

Students shall not bring weapons to school

A student shall not possess or transmit any object that can reasonably be considered a firearm, knife, air gun, dangerous weapon/ammunition or facsimile thereof.

State law provides that possession of a dangerous weapon is grounds for expulsion. State and federal law requires that students in possession of a firearm on school grounds be expelled without the opportunity to apply for readmission for at least one calendar year. Law enforcement agencies and parents will be notified of the expulsion. Exceptions to this mandatory penalty may be made on a case-by-case basis by the Superintendent.

Students over 18 years of age and students between 14 and 18 years of age with written parental or guardian permission may possess personal protection spray devices. No one under 18 years of age may transmit such devices, nor may they be used other than in self-defense as defined by state law. Possession, transmission or use of personal protection spray devices under any other circumstance is a violation of this rule against dangerous weapons.