## LETHAL WEAPONS ON DISTRICT PROPERTY

Lethal weapons of any kind, including but not limited to firearms, knives with blades exceeding 2-1/2 inches, and explosives shall not be permitted on District property at any time except when carried by law enforcement officials.

Intentional use, possession, or sale of firearms or any other dangerous weapon is strictly prohibited by State Law. Any student who brings a lethal weapon on District property or to a District sponsored function whether or not on District property shall be subject to expulsion.

Any employee who brings a lethal weapon on District property, or to a District sponsored function whether or not on District property, shall be subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination in accordance with Governing Board policies on discipline, the State of California Education Code and applicable collective bargaining agreements.

Students may be authorized to carry lethal weapons in the course and scope of their studies in state mandated pre-employment law enforcement training or in the courses in which the tool used might also be considered a lethal weapon. This policy shall not prohibit an employee from possessing or using a tool (which may be considered a lethal weapon) that he or she is authorized to use in the course and scope of his or her employment.

Penal Code, Sections 626.9 and 626.10 Education Code, Section 76030 et seq.

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