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School staff focus groups (including deans, principals, teachers, counselors, social workers, etc.)

New upfront mission statement establishes a more holistic, supportive approach to address the root cause of student behavior

Includes new section outlining rights and responsibilities

Streamlines the appeal process for parents and guardians to express concerns with a single point of contact through the Office of Family & Community Engagement (FACE)

Developing administrator guidelines that will guide principals in implementing SCC policy

h... for assigning out-of-school suspensions for students in third through twelfth grades:

- o... attendance at school endangers others, or
- Student... school activities and prior interventions have been utilized

Prohibits suspensions for Pre-K through 2nd grade, with exception where behavior poses an imminent danger in these cases suspensions are limited to one day, require Network Chief approval, must be preceded by restorative efforts, and principal must develop student support plan

Removes out-of-school suspension as an available consequence for responding to minor misconducts, and lowers the number of suspension days permitted for repeated and more serious misconducts

Requires administrators to develop a plan to support students if suspended for 3+ days

Prohibits punitive group punishments, including silent lunches

Re-words behaviors to increase specificity and appropriateness of behavior codes, for example:

- 1- [faded text]
- 3- [faded text]

Differentiates T~~307~~

Removes Group 6 mandatory expulsion request for students below sixth grade, except for weapons-related offenses

Allows referral of students to district-level intervention programs in lieu of expulsion for Groups 5 and 6 behaviors (prior to an expulsion hearing)

Gives administrators greater discretion in situations during which police may be called (limits when police notification is mandatory)

	38,053	36,017	28,217
	29,459	33,828	21,644
	51%	52%	41%
	74%	75%	74%
	282	183	89
	265	306	291