

Wilson County Board of Education

Policy Description: Zero Tolerance Offenses	Policy Number: 6.309	Amended Date: 02/04/10
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1 In order to ensure a safe and secure learning environment, the following offenses will not be tolerated:

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3 Violators of this section shall be subject to expulsion from school for one (1) calendar school year.

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5 **FIREARMS (AS DEFINED IN 18 U.S.C. § 921)¹**

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7 In accordance with state law, any student who brings or possess a firearm on school property shall be expelled
8 for a period of not less than one (1) calendar year. The Director of Schools shall have the authority to modify
9 this expulsion requirement on a case by case basis.²

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11 **DRUGS**

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13 In accordance with state law, any student who unlawfully possesses any drug including any controlled
14 substance, or legend drug shall be expelled for a period of not less than one (1) calendar year. The Director of
15 Schools shall have the authority to modify this expulsion requirement on a case by case basis.³

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17 **BATTERY**

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19 In accordance with state law, any student who commits battery upon any teacher, principal, administrator or any
20 other employee of the school system or school resource officer shall be expelled for a period of not less than one
21 (1) calendar year. The Director of Schools shall have the authority to modify this expulsion requirement on a
22 case by case basis.³

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24 **NOTIFICATION**

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26 When it is determined that a student has violated this policy, the principal of the school shall notify the student's
27 parent/guardian within 24 hours and the criminal justice or juvenile delinquency system as required by law.⁴

¹ 18 U.S.C. 921

² 20 U.S.C. § 8921; TCA 49-6-4216(b); TCA 49-6-3401(g)

³ TCA 49-6-3401(g); TCA 49-6-4216(b)

⁴ TCA 49-6-3401(c)(2), TCA 49-6-4209