

<b>BOARD POLICIES</b>	<b>SUSPENSION/DISMISSAL OF STUDENTS (BP-10006) METRO TECHNOLOGY CENTERS</b>	<b>The on-line version of the policy is official. Therefore, all printed versions are unofficial copies.</b>
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**1.0 POLICY:**

Metro Technology Centers serves both adult and secondary students. Standards of conduct are provided for all students to inform them of the expected behaviors, and of the consequences that follow misconduct. Educational opportunities available to any student may be cut short or terminated in instances where the student’s conduct violates the approved standards or when a student, for other reasons, cannot fulfill program requirements essential to successful course completion.

School laws that prescribe procedures applicable to secondary students are, in many instances, not applicable to adult students. Accordingly, Metro Technology Centers has established separate procedures applicable to adult and secondary students. These procedures explain the process in which misconduct is handled and also explain the actions that may be taken when misconduct occurs. All students are held to the same standards of conduct that Metro Technology Centers has established.

In instances involving a student’s dismissal or removal from a course or program, Metro Technology Centers will utilize procedures that are fair and reasonable. The complete cooperation of students is encouraged to assure that all students have an opportunity to benefit from the educational opportunities available. The Board directs the superintendent or designee to develop procedures consistent with this policy and to take appropriate action when conduct that violates policies, rules, and practices is observed or when inappropriate behavior interferes with or disrupts learning.

**2.0 CROSS REFERENCE:** N/A

**3.0 REVISION HISTORY:**

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Description of Revision:</u>
11-Sep-95	A	Adopted
20-May-02	B	Revised
22-Sep-03	C	Reformatted
15-Dec-03	D	Legal references reviewed and revised as necessary
01-May-12		Date, title, and revision formats revised to new Metro Tech formats; title changed and policy completely revised; presented to Metro Tech Board of Education for review, 5-1-2012 Regular Board Meeting
05-Jun-12	E	Proposed revisions adopted by Board of Education, 6-5-12 Regular Board Meeting
07-May-13	F	Blanket approval granted by Board of Education to update all policies to approved format and to remove two sections: 2.0 Legal Reference and 5.0 PCF Framework

**\*\*\* End of Policy \*\*\***