

LACKAWANNA TRAIL SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: FIGHTING/USE OF PROFANITY

ADOPTED:

REVISED:

<p>. Purpose</p> <p>2. Definitions</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">218.3. FIGHTING/USE OF PROFANITY</p> <p>The Board recognizes that fighting and the use of profanity are unacceptable behavior in the learning environment of a school and, therefore, of concern to the Board.</p> <p>For purposes of this policy, fighting shall mean to overcome a person through physical force.</p> <p>Profanity shall mean to use abusive and threatening language towards a person.</p> <p>In order to prevent students and staff from an environment that may be harmful to them and because the Board cannot, even by indirection, condone fighting and the use of profanity because of its personal harm to personal wellbeing, the Board prohibits fighting and the use of profanity in school buildings; on school grounds; on school buses; and in any classroom, hallway, or instructional area.</p> <p>The above will also apply to students in school buildings when they are in use for public assemblies (parent-teacher conferences, adult education classes, auditoriums, gymnasiums, or other rooms in use for student presentations, athletics, etc.).</p> <p>Violation of this policy may be punishable by Saturday detention(s), a suspension, and/or the administration can file disorderly conduct charges, a summary offense through magisterial court of not more than three hundred (\$300.00) dollars.</p>
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