



# POLICY

# SO-06

## STUDENT SUSPENSIONS

<b>Superintendent Responsible:</b> Superintendent of Education, Safe Schools	<b>Initial Effective Date:</b> 2019/11/25
<b>Last Updated:</b> 2023/06/26	<b>Next Review Date:</b> 2027/06/25

### Objective:

To support a safe, inclusive, and accepting environment in which every student can reach their full potential.

### Policy Statement:

The Grand Erie District School Board (Grand Erie) shall foster a safe, caring anti-oppressive, anti-racist, and inclusive culture by supporting the use of positive practices, as well as consequences for inappropriate behaviour, including progressive discipline, which could involve suspension.

### Reference(s):

- Student Suspensions Procedure (SO-006)
- [Education Act, R.S.O. c. E.2](#)
- [Education Amendment Act \(Progressive Discipline and School Safety\) 2007](#)
- Ontario Regulation 472/07
- Policy/Program Memorandum 141
- [Safe Schools Act, 2000](#)