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# Policy J-6.8.1 Student Safety- Bullying/Harassment Prevention

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# Policy Updates

## Policy J-6.8-1 Student Safety-Bullying/Harassment Prevention

**Last revision:** September 2017

- **Minor adjustments:**
  - Added supportive to describe learning environment
  - Added “school community” as related to out of school actions that impact school.
  - Adjusted definition of bullying/harassment
    - *“Student bullying or harassment is the repeated infliction or attempted infliction of injury, discomfort, or humiliation on a student ~~by one or more students.~~”*



# PIP Updates

Policy Implementation Procedure J-6.8-1 PIP-1 Student Safety Bullying/Harassment Prevention

**Last Revision:** April 2008

- **Updates Include:**
  - Added prevention to title of guidelines
  - Changed “instruction” to “curriculum”
  - Added “evidence-based programs” removed “character education”
  - Clarified Complaint Procedures
  - Clarified timeline for parent/guardian/student notification
  - Changed “Disciplinary actions” to “Disciplinary outcomes”
  - Added “age” and “disability” as factors to consider for discipline
  - Added “Interim Actions” section
  - Added language regarding appeals



# PIP Updates

## Policy Implementation Procedure J-6.8-1 PIP-1 Student Safety-Bullying/Harassment Prevention (Incident Form)

- **Updates Include:**
  - Available in fillable online form
  - Linked to website
  - Clarification of language
  - Added guidance in the Outcome of Investigation Section
  - Form will be translated



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