



## Discipline Matrix

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A spreadsheet that outlines possible behavior of students specifically directing administrators and staff on the appropriate discipline response options.

Below are a Range of Responses to Consider based on Mitigating and Aggravating Factors

Behavior Code	Disciplinary Response							Additional Information
		Classroom Response	School Based Response	In School Suspension	Short Term Suspension	Long Term Suspension	Expulsion	
Arson	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Referral to Fire Stoppers (206-386-1338), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Assault	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			See Physical Aggression, Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
(Physical)Aggression	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Appropriate to Consider Pre K-12
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Bullying, Intimidation, and Harassment	Elementary	✓	✓					Consult with OSCR/HIB, 206-252-0306
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Burglary	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Computer Trespass, Tampering, and Misuse	Elementary	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Dangerous Weapons	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Consult with Safety & Security (206-252-0707), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Disobedience	Elementary	✓	✓					Pre K -5 Not Eligible for Suspension
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			

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Disruptive Conduct	Elementary	✓	✓					Pre K -5 Not Eligible for Suspension
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Distributing Alcoholic Beverages	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Distributing Illegal Drugs, Controlled Substances, Prescription or Over the Counter Drugs	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Distributing Marijuana	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Extortion, Blackmail, Coercion	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
False Alarm	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
False Reporting	Elementary	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
False Threats	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			

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Fighting	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓		
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Firearms	Elementary						✓	Mandatory Expulsion from SPS for One Year, Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School						✓	
	High School						✓	
Fireworks, Explosives, Chemicals, and Incendiary Devices	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Gambling	Elementary	✓	✓					
	Middle School	✓	✓					
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Gang/Hate Group Activity	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Graffiti	Elementary	✓	✓	✓				
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Hazing	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Consult with OSCR/HIB (206-252-0306), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Inappropriate Language	Elementary	✓	✓					Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367)
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Inappropriate Sexual Conduct	Elementary	✓	✓					Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367)
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			

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Inappropriate Touching	Elementary	✓	✓					Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367)
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Interference with School Authorities	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓		
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Intimidation of School Authorities	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Lewd Conduct	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367)
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Malicious Harassment	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Consult with OSCR/HIB (206-252-0306), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Malicious Property Damage	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Misrepresentation	Elementary		✓	✓				
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Misuse of Computers	Elementary	✓	✓					
	Middle School	✓	✓					
	High School	✓	✓					
Other Exceptional Misconduct	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			Must meet criteria for a felony, gross misdemeanor, or misdemeanor
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			

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Plagiarism	Elementary	✓	✓					
	Middle School	✓	✓					
	High School	✓	✓					
Possession of Stolen Property	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Possessing or Using Alcoholic Beverages	Elementary			✓	✓			Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓		
	High School			✓	✓	✓		
Possessing or Using Illegal Drugs, Controlled Substances, Prescription or Over the Counter Drugs	Elementary			✓	✓			Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓		
	High School			✓	✓	✓		
Possession or Using Marijuana	Elementary			✓	✓			Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859),Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓		
	High School			✓	✓	✓		
Robbery	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Rule Breaking	Elementary	✓	✓					Pre K -5 Not Eligible for Suspension
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			

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Selling Alcoholic Beverages	Elementary				✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859), Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School					✓	✓	
	High School					✓	✓	
Selling Illegal Drugs, Controlled Substances, Prescription or Over the Counter Drugs	Elementary				✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859), Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School					✓	✓	
	High School					✓	✓	
Selling Marijuana	Elementary				✓		✓	Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859), Drug/Alcohol Mediation Eligible
	Middle School					✓	✓	
	High School					✓	✓	
Sexual Assault	Elementary				✓		✓	Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367), Consider referral to outside agency for assessment of needs
	Middle School					✓	✓	
	High School					✓	✓	
Sexual Harassment	Elementary	✓	✓					Consult with OSCR/Title IX (206-252-0367)
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Small Folding Knives	Elementary		✓	✓	✓		✓	Consult with Security (206-252-0707), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

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Theft	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Threats of Violence	Elementary			✓	✓		✓	Consult with STAT/Safety & Security (206-252-0707), Behavior Modification Eligible
	Middle School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
	High School			✓	✓	✓	✓	
Toy Guns and Toy Weapons	Elementary	✓	✓					
	Middle School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
	High School	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Trespass	Elementary		✓	✓	✓			
	Middle School		✓	✓	✓			
	High School		✓	✓	✓			
Using/Possession of Tobacco	Elementary		✓					Provide with Tobacco or Vape Fact Sheet, Consult with Prevention/Intervention (206-252-0859)
	Middle School		✓					
	High School		✓					