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Students and employees will not be subjected to retaliation for reporting such discrimination or harassment. A copy of the discriminatory complaints procedure under Policy JAA (Equal Educational Opportunities) and under Policy JCAC-Sexual Harassment of Students is located in the District policy manual, which is available in the school office, central office, and on the District website.

PARENT NOTIFICATION OF ONLINE OPTIONS

On-Line Options: State law requires schools to allow student opportunities to take online courses. Online courses are not required to graduate but provide an online learning option should your student or you choose this option. In addition, House Bill 175 passed establishing a clearinghouse for stakeholders to find online courses and online course providers in the state of Georgia. This notice is to inform you about the key components of legislation and how to find online opportunities for your student. **Accessing Georgia's Online Clearinghouse:** The Georgia Online Clearinghouse provides students and parent with information and access to high-quality academic and career-oriented courses, aligned to state and national standards, through a variety of online providers. To access the information found in the clearinghouse go to: http://www.gadoe.org/_layouts/GADOEPublic.SPApp/Clearinghouse.aspx

PARENTS RIGHT TO KNOW

In compliance with the requirements of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESSA), the Jasper County Charter System informs parents that you may request information about the professional qualifications of your student's teacher(s). The following information may be requested:

- (1) Whether the teacher has met the Georgia Professional Standards Commission requirements for certification for the grade level and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- (2) Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which Georgia qualifications or certification criteria have been waived;
- (3) Whether the teacher is teaching under the field of discipline of the teacher's certification;
- (4) Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

PBIS

Positive behavioral interventions and supports (PBIS) is an evidence based data-driven framework to reduce disciplinary incidents, increase a school's sense of safety, and support improved academic outcomes through a multi-tiered approach, using disciplinary data and principles of behavior analysis to develop school-wide, targeted, and individualized interventions and supports.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

Each student enrolled in the Jasper County Charter System shall be afforded the opportunity to recite the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America. Those students who wish to recite the Pledge will stand, salute the flag and recite the Pledge in unison. Those who do not wish to recite the Pledge will stand and remain silent. Each student in JCCS shall be afforded the opportunity for a moment of silent reflection.

PROHIBITED ITEMS

When a search of students, lockers, vehicles, book bags or any other type search occurs on school property, the following procedures shall guide the school administration in dealing with any prohibited items that are found that may necessitate action by a law enforcement agency. The administrator in charge of the school facility shall notify the Superintendent's Office immediately that the search has occurred, illegal items found, and that specific students are being detained to complete an investigation. By the end of the business day, a parent of any student suspected of involvement shall be notified that the investigation is in progress and the nature of the child's involvement as best it is known at that time. The administrator in charge of the school facility shall conduct the investigation to discover all students involved and the level of involvement with all due speed. The Superintendent's Office shall be notified when the investigation has produced enough evidence to file charges against the student(s) involved. The administrator in charge of the school facility shall contact the law enforcement agency with the information the investigation has revealed and the evidence gathered. The law enforcement agency shall contact any other agency as may be appropriate. A parent shall be notified that the investigation and evidence supports a report to a law enforcement agency and that the report has been made. This should occur before any agency removes a student from the campus. Parents should have the opportunity to meet with the student and the administrator prior to the removal. A written report shall be filed with the Superintendent, summarizing the findings of the investigation within 24 hours of the completion of the investigation.