## **Dickson County Board of Education**

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The Board expects all school staff, students and parents to assume the responsibility for appropriate behaviors in the school.

Each student has the right to:

- 1. Have the opportunity for a free education in the most appropriate learning environment;
- 2. Be secure in his/her person, papers and effects against unreasonable searches and seizure;
- 3. Expect that the school will be a safe place;
- 4. Have an appropriate environment conducive to learning;
- 5. Not be discriminated against on the basis of sex, race, color, creed, religion, national origin or disabilities; and
- 6. Be fully informed of school rules and regulations.

Each student has the responsibility to (TCA 49-6-3401):

- 1. Know and adhere to reasonable rules and regulations established by the Board and school;
- 2. Respect the human dignity and worth of every other individual;
- 3. Refrain from libel, slanderous remarks, and obscenity in verbal and written expression;
- 4. Study and maintain the best possible level of academic achievement;
- 5. Be punctual and present in the regular school program;
- 6. Dress and groom in a manner that meets reasonable standards of health, cleanliness, modesty and safety;
- 7. Maintain and/or improve the school environment, preserve school and private property, and exercise care while using school facilities;
- 8. Refrain from behavior which would lead to physical or emotional harm or which disrupts the educational process;
- 9. Respect the authority of school administrators, teachers and other authorized personnel in maintaining discipline in the school and at school-sponsored activities;
- 10. Obey the law and school rules as to the possession or the use of alcohol, illegal drugs and other unauthorized substances or materials; and
- 11. Possess on school grounds only those materials which are acceptable under the law and to accept the consequences for articles stored in one's locker.