

## **POLICY**

**SO-06** 

STUDENT SUSPENSIONS	
<b>Superintendent Responsible:</b> Superintendent of Education, Safe Schools	Initial Effective Date: 2019/11/25
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## **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