

Students

Non-discrimination

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In compliance with regulations of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Civil Rights Act of 1987 and the Americans With Disabilities Act, the Board of Education adopts the following Equal Education Opportunity Policies:

Equal Education Opportunity: Pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, no otherwise qualified individual with handicaps shall, solely by reason of such handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program of the Board of Education.

Every student has the right to participate fully in classroom instruction and extracurricular activities which shall not be abridged or impaired because of age, sex, sexual orientation, race, religion, national origin, pregnancy, parenthood, marriage, or for any reason not related to his/her individual capabilities.

Legal References:

Connecticut General Statutes

19-581 through 585 AIDS testing and medical information

10-209 Records not be public

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Section 504 and the Federal Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973,

20 U.S.C. 706(7)(b)

American Disability Act of 1989 (42.U.S.C. Ch 126§12112), as amended

By ADA Amendments Act of 2008

Chalk v. The United States District Court of Central California

Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title VII, 42 U.S.C. 2000-e2(a)

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 34 CFR Section 106

Meritor Savings Bank FSB v. Vinson, 477 U.S. 57 (1986)

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Constitution of the State of Connecticut, Article I, Section 20

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