

J-14 STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The privileges and rights of all students shall be guaranteed without regard to race, religion, sex, disability, creed, or national origin.

Students shall have the right to advocate change of any law, policy, or regulation. Students may exercise their right to freedom of expression through speech, assembly, petition, and other lawful means. The exercise of this right may not interfere with the rights of others and/or the educational process. Freedom of expression may not be utilized to present material which tends to be obscene or slanderous, or to defame character, or to advocate violation of federal, state, and local laws, or official school policies, rules, and/or regulations.

Students may present complaints to teachers or administrators. Adequate opportunities shall be provided for students to exercise this right through procedures established for considering such complaints.

The Board of School Trustees of the Plainfield Community School Corporation adheres to the beliefs that as teachers and students are brought together so that learning may take place in classrooms, an environment which permits an orderly and efficient operation of the schools must be provided. This environment, most of all, comes through consideration and self-discipline so that individuals do not allow themselves to infringe upon the rights of others as they seek an expression for their own just and legal privileges as members of the school and society.

The responsibility for the development and maintenance of self-discipline falls to the cooperative efforts of students, parents, teachers, administrators, and members of the community.

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