

**School District #62 (Sooke)**

<b>STUDENT SUSPENSION PROCESS</b>	No.: C-319
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**SCHOOL BOARD POLICY**

The Board of Education recognizes two sets of circumstances related to a student's removal from school:

A. STUDENT SUSPENSION

Suspension of a student is viewed by the Board as a serious course of action, to be taken only in circumstances where the student's behaviour is such that removal from school is deemed necessary, and/or where other corrective measures have not resulted in an acceptable pattern of behaviour.

B. REFUSAL TO OFFER AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The Board may refuse to offer an educational program to a student of 16 years of age or older if the student fails to apply himself/herself to his/her studies or fails to comply with the rules and regulations of the school or Board.