

ZERO TOLERANCE

IT'S REAL. REAL OFFENSES. REAL CONSEQUENCES.

Thank you for allowing Richland School District Two to be a part of your child's education. To ensure the safety of all students, it is essential that parents/guardians and students understand and comply with the school district's "Zero Tolerance" rules and policies. The following items are never allowed on any Richland Two campus, school bus or during school activities/field trips, whether these offenses occur on or off campus.

Students may not possess and/or distribute alcohol or drugs. All medicine must be dispensed by a school nurse. All kinds and all sorts of knives, brass knuckles,

bullying, guns and tasers are prohibited. If a student realizes that he/she has an unauthorized item in his/her possession, then that item must be reported to school officials or the school resource officer immediately. If a student is found in possession of a prohibited item before the student reports

REAL OFFENSES PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES

Alcohol	Bullying
Drugs	Guns
Knives	Tasers
Brass Knuckles	
Medication not dispensed by school nurse	

the unauthorized item, then the student possessing it will go through district disciplinary procedures to resolve the issue. Additionally, the following are never allowed on any Richland Two campus, school bus, or during school activities/field trips.

Felonies

Felonies including but not limited to robbery, arson or physical assault are prohibited.

Gang Activities

Gang activities or gang related activities including but not limited to the use of signs, drawings, dress, keeping records, paraphernalia, beat-ins, beat-outs and threats are prohibited.

Sexual Activities

Consensual and non-consensual sexual activities are prohibited.

Threats

Threats including but not limited to the use of profanity directed to students, faculty or staff are prohibited.



REAL CONSEQUENCES ENFORCED AT ALL TIMES

Expulsion

The board of trustees intends to expel all students involved in illegal activities. School district policies and rules govern the disciplinary procedures that will be used to resolve any and all Zero Tolerance offenses. The board intends to expel all students involved in these illegal activities. The expulsion may be for one year or expulsion may be permanent.

All school board policies are posted on the Richland Two website: www.richland2.org. Policy J addresses student issues. The following is an abridged list of policies that cover the offenses discussed here.

Policy JI Student Rights and Responsibilities
(Sexual Harassment of Students)

Policy JIC Student Conduct

Policy JICDA Code of Conduct

Policy JICF Secret Societies/Gang Activity

Policy JICFAA Harassment, Intimidation or Bullying

Policy JICG Tobacco Use By Students

Policy JICH Drug and Alcohol Use By Students

Policy JICI Weapons In School

Policy JK Student Discipline

Policy JKD Suspension of Students

Policy JKE Expulsion of Students

Policy JKEE* Urinalysis Drug and Alcohol Testing for Certain
Expelled Students

If you have questions about any of this information, please contact your child's school or the District Office, 803.787.1910.