

POLICY COMMITTEE
Liverpool Central School District Board of Education
April 8, 2021 7am
Liverpool Central School District Office
Liverpool, New York 13090

Present: Dr. Mark Potter, Stacey Balduf, Joseph Morawski, Nicholas Blaney

Proposed New Policies: takes two readings before the Board

Policy 3330 – Website Accessibility: Campus Suite, our new website platform, requested that we adopt a Website Accessibility policy. The proposed policy is provided by Erie 1 BOCES. Send to BOE for first reading.

This came about as the US Department of Ed started going after non-compliant districts with website accessibility. Districts like Rome were sued.

Policy 7554 – Student Gender Identity: The proposed policy is provided by Erie 1 BOCES. This policy will help clarify the process for handling certain circumstances involving transgender or GNC students.

Proposed Policy Revisions:

Policy 5681 – School Safety Plans, was revised to include protocols for responding to a declared “state disaster emergency” rather than a “public health emergency”.
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The policies below are revisions listed that were revised as part of Erie 1 BOCES Policy Services’ review of all of its sample non-discrimination and anti-harassment policies which was undertaken in light of recent revisions to the implementing regulations for Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972. The revisions create consistency between the policies and emphasize the connection that exists between and among them.

Policy 6120 – Equal Employment Opportunity
Looks more like a rewrite than a revision. Grievance process is clearer in this rewrite.
Send to BOE

Policy 6121 – Sexual Harassment in the Workplace
Changes to law. Civil rights compliance officer not available there is now a provision for that.
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Policy 7550 – Dignity for All Students
NY State Law.
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Policy 7551 – Sexual Harassment of Students

Revised so that policy corresponds with NYS law.

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Policy 7553 – Hazing of Students

Revised to reference other related policies.

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Policy 8130 – Equal Educational Opportunities

Rewrite of existing policy to reframe to correspond with current law and existing policies.

Grievance process added.

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Policy 8220 – Career and Technical (Occupational) Education

Expanded the examples of who is protected.

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Next Meeting: June 3, 2021 7am