

- Policy Number: 515
  - Policy Name: Suspension of Students (revision #1)
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**Suspension of Students**

***Rationale:** School District #64 (Gulf Islands) Board of Trustees recognizes the need of the school administrator to maintain a safe and healthy atmosphere for students at all times.*

**Policy**

The Board of Trustees supports the use of alternatives which include counseling, mediation, and restorative justice measures to student suspension when and where possible.

The Principals and/or Vice Principals are given general authority to suspend a student in accordance with Board Procedures or they may designate that authority to a Teacher-in-Charge.