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DANGEROUS WEAPONS

Dangerous weapons (knives, guns, firecrackers, etc.) are not permitted on district property. Students in possession will have weapons confiscated, parents notified, and appropriate disciplinary action taken. The criminal justice or juvenile delinquency system will be notified of any student who brings a firearm or weapon to school.

Any student who knowingly possesses a firearm in a safe school zone as defined in RSA 193-D:1, without written authorization from the Superintendent or his/her designee, shall be expelled for a minimum of one year in accordance with the federal "Gun Free Schools Act." (The Superintendent of Schools may modify the expulsion requirement on a case by case basis in accordance with federal statutes.) Any expulsion shall be subject to review, if requested, prior to the start of each school year; and further, any parent or guardian has the right to appeal any such expulsion by the local Board to the State Board of Education.