

5145.4 Students

NON-DISCRIMINATION (STUDENTS)

The Board of Education complies with all applicable federal, state and local laws prohibiting the exclusion of any person from any of its educational programs or activities, or the denial to any person of the benefits of any of its educational programs or activities because of race, color, religious creed, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability (including, but not limited to, intellectual disability, past or present history of mental disorder, physical disability or learning disability), genetic information, or any other basis prohibited by Connecticut state and/or federal nondiscrimination laws.

For the purposes of this policy, “genetic information” means the information about genes, gene products, or inherited characteristics that may derive from an individual or a family member.

Legal Reference:

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1681, *et seq.*
Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d, *et seq.*
Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. § 12101, *et seq.*
Connecticut General Statutes § 10-15c and § 46a-81a, *et seq.* -
Discrimination on basis of sexual orientation
Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. § 794, *et seq.*