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**Observable Negative Behaviors Defined**

**Teacher Managed (Minors)**

* **Defiance/Disruption/Disrespect**: failure to follow school or classroom expectations. Off task behaviors/comments, eye rolling, rude statements, disturbing others, etc.
* **Physical Contact (non-fighting/mutual combat**): shoving, poking, touching (except for private areas), bumping.
* **Property/School Supplies Misuse**: breaking crayons or pencils, tipping back in chairs, writing on desks in pencils, misusing recess equipment, etc.
* **Inappropriate Language/Teasing**: name calling, teasing, using inappropriate words that are not racial or sexual in nature.
* **Dress Code:** inappropriate shoes, bra straps showing, inappropriate language or pictures, midriffs, etc. Send to health office if a change of clothing of is necessary.
* **Minor Technology Misuse:**
	+ Chromebooks/School Devices: on other websites (appropriate but not at that time), unsafe handling, forgetting devices at home.
	+ Personal: device is accidentally out, but not powered on. If in doubt, you can confiscate the device until the end of the day. Best practice: collect cell phones to start the day and return before dismissal.

**Admin Managed Office Referrals (Majors)**

* **Repeated Defiance/Disrespect/Disruption**: see above
* **Destruction of School Property:** intentional destruction of technology, textbooks, chairs, desks, and other higher end items.
* **Physical Aggression/Fighting:** one sided fighting (ie a student is jumped) or mutual combat between two students regardless of who started it. A single punch or kick, depending on severity, can be handled at the teacher level.
* **Vandalism/Graffiti:** writing/defacing school property, structures, or supplies (books, etc.)
* **Repeated Inappropriate Language/Abusive Language**: see above and any racial slurs/homophobic comments, etc.
* **Harassment/Bullying/Sexual Harassment (grades 4-6)**: typically acts for bullying are pervasive, occur more than once, and are one sided. Bullying includes in-person and cyber bullying. Sexual harassment would include any comments/gestures/written/posted messages of a sexual nature directed towards another student or staff member. Per ed code, sexual harassment is only applicable in grades 4 and above.
* **Major Technology/Social Media Misuse**: accessing inappropriate websites, phones being on and used during school hours, posting inappropriate material on social media or without others consent during school hours.
* **Threats to Self/Others:** student states/writes/makes a gesture/posts on social media he/she wants to harm or kill another student, staff member, or self. Notify admin immediately.
* **Possession of weapon/sharp object/drugs/alcohol**: knife/gun/weapon or any other dangerous object. Notify admin immediately.