

# Eola Hills Charter School Board Adopted Policies

Code:  
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## **Tobacco/ Alcohol/ Drug Policy**

**Possessing, dispensing, selling, or attending school or school events after using alcohol, tobacco and/or other illegal drugs is a Level 4 behavior. The consequence is an automatic five (5) day out-of- school short-term suspension with the possibility of expulsion and notification of police.**

**A zero tolerance stance has been adopted to ensure an alcohol, tobacco and drug-free and productive learning environment for all students, along with protecting the welfare of the suspected student.**

1. Any student exhibiting drug related behavior will be brought to the attention of the Administrator/Behavioral Specialist and have their condition assessed.
2. A telephone call to parents/guardians will request they come to school to discuss/observe behavior and escort student home. Probation/parole officers can be responsible for transportation, if applicable.
3. In a case of suspected alcohol/other drug use before school, parents/guardians in doubt of usage are encouraged to take student to a physician for an alcohol/other drug test immediately upon release from school for the day. Test results proving negative will reverse any administrative action.
4. Staff will discuss the behavior incident and consequence and administration after school is dismissed.
5. The administration will recommend suspension or expulsion at that time.
6. Student and parents will be notified by phone, and a suspension/expulsion letter will be mailed the next day.

**Alcohol, tobacco and/or other illegal drugs are not permitted in the following areas:**

**-In any building, facility or vehicle that is owned, leased, rented or chartered by the school.**

**-On any school grounds, athletics grounds, or in parking lots.**

**-On any persons or in personal storage property kept on school property.**

For the purposes of this policy, "tobacco" is defined to include any lighted or unlighted cigarette, cigar, pipe, bidi, clove cigarette, and any other smoking product, spit tobacco, known as smokeless, dip, chew, snuff, in any form, nicotine or nicotine delivering device, chemicals or devices that produce the physical effect of nicotine substances or any other tobacco substitute (e.g., e-cigarettes). This does not include FDA approved nicotine replacement therapy products used for the purpose of cessation.