The district will endeavor to respond to and resolve all complaints in a fair, equitable, and prompt manner. The individual with a complaint is encouraged to first discuss it with the teacher, counselor, or building administrator involved, with the objective of resolving the matter promptly and informally.

When a parent of a student has a complaint against an employee of the district that cannot be resolved at the informal level, the following procedure shall apply:

- 1. The parent will contact the principal to inform him/her of the nature of the complaint.
- 2. The principal will arrange for a meeting between the teacher or employee to whom the complaint was brought forth and the parent or student. The arrangement for such meeting shall be made as soon as possible.
- 3. If the complaint is not resolved at this level, the superintendent /principal shall meet with all parties involved in the complaint to mediate a resolution.
- 4. If the complaint is not resolved at the superintendent/principal level, the parent or student must submit a written complaint to be filed at the Board of Trustees.

Cross Reference: Policy # 424.1 Hazing/Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying/Menacing

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LEGAL REFERENCE:

Board Action

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