

StudentsStudent Grievance Procedure

It is the right and responsibility of both school officials and students to develop a functional and orderly procedure through which consideration of student problems and concerns can be discussed and resolved quickly and equitably.

Students shall have the right to participate in recommending procedures through which discussion of student problems and concerns can be handled. The procedures should be developed through student-faculty coordinating committees composed of an equal number of students and faculty members. Representatives of the parent-teacher organization should also be part of this action-oriented committee.

1. Students shall have the right to discuss with faculty members matters of both educational and personal concern. This informal and private process should be followed in order to resolve differences and problems in a friendly and cooperative manner.
2. Students shall have the right to appeal in writing matters of educational and personal concern to the building administrator, should discussion with staff member not resolve the issue.
3. The rights of appeal regarding educational and personal problems shall extend to the school superintendent and the board of education.