**Students** BP 5137

**POSITIVE SCHOOL CLIMATE**

The Governing Board desires to provide an orderly, caring and nondiscriminatory learning environment in which all students can feel comfortable and take pride in CCA and their achievements.

*(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in CCA Programs and Activities)*

*(cf. 5132 - Dress and Grooming)*

*(cf. 5144 - Discipline)*

*(cf. 5145.2 - Freedom of Speech/Expression)*

*(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)*

*(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)*

The Board encourages staff to teach students the meaning of equality, human dignity, and mutual respect, and to employ cooperative learning strategies that foster positive interactions in the classroom among students from diverse backgrounds.

*(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)*

*Legal Reference:*

*EDUCATION CODE*

*233.5 Duty concerning instruction of students*

*35160 Authority of governing boards*

*35160.1 Broad authority of school districts*

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