

MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #33

## **Student Conduct**

It is imperative that a student demonstrates a level of responsible behavior that will foster a sense of personal safety and respect for oneself and for others. Appropriate student behavior is also essential to the successful delivery of an educational program that will prepare a student for academic and professional success and instill a sense of being a responsible and ethical individual.

The District's "Standards of Ethical and Responsible Behavior," known as the Student Code of Conduct, shall be the cornerstone in promoting and reinforcing acceptable behavior. Under the guidance of the superintendent, building principals may also establish school rules deemed necessary to further clarify specific expectations not addressed through the Student Code of Conduct. Teachers shall adopt methods of delivering instruction that will provide for effective classroom management and foster appropriate behavior.

Irresponsible, disrespectful, or violent behavior that undermines the ability to teach and learn will not be tolerated.

Cross Reference:    JIC-E Student Code of Conduct  
                          JK        Student Discipline

History:             Adopted        Meeting # 780        April 7, 2003