

OPERATIONAL EXPECTATIONS**OE-11: Learning Environment/Treatment of Students****Monitoring Method: Internal Report****Monitoring Frequency: Annually**

The Chief Superintendent shall establish and maintain a learning environment that is welcoming, caring, safe, respectful and conducive to effective learning for each student.

The Chief Superintendent will:

- 11.1 Protect instructional time provided for students during the academic day by prohibiting interruptions due to unnecessary intrusions.
- 11.2 Provide safe and positive learning conditions for each student that foster a sense of belonging and a respect for diversity.
- 11.3 Maintain a climate that is characterized by support and encouragement for high student achievement.
- 11.4 Ensure that all confidential student information is lawfully collected, used and protected.
- 11.5 Provide instructional programs and transportation services that consider the educational needs of students, the choices of families, and the fiscal and operational capacity of the organization.
- 11.6 Provide transportation services that are safe and reliable.
- 11.7 Ensure that no student will be denied access to instructional programs due to an inability to pay.
- 11.8 Ensure that all volunteers clear reasonable background inquiries and checks prior to having contact with students.

The Chief Superintendent shall not:

- 11.9 Tolerate any behaviors, actions or attitudes by adults who have contact with students that hinder the academic performance or the well-being of students.

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