



South Carolina Additional Resources Related to School Discipline

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School Discipline Laws and Regulations

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State-Sponsored, Publicly Available Websites or Other Resources on School Discipline

Safe, supportive learning environments use disciplinary policies and practices that help students stay out of the justice system, while ensuring academic engagement and success for all students. The following resources provided by South Carolina provide additional context to state policy and regulations and, in some cases, may support the readers' efforts to provide a positive disciplinary school climate.

Title	Description	Website address (if applicable)
<i>Website</i>		
Bullying, South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE)	Provides an overview on bullying and includes links to cyberbullying resources and model policy prohibiting harassment.	https://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/bullying/
School Safety, SCDE	Provides links to resource about health and safety surveys, discipline related reports, safe schools, and anti-bullying resources.	http://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/
SC Safe Schools, SCDE	Provides resources and tools regarding active shooter, substance abuse and prevention, and school violence.	https://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/resources-and-training/safety-resources/
<i>Documents</i>		
Model Policy Prohibiting Harassment, Intimidation, or Bullying (April 2006), SCDE	Model policy addressing the prohibition of harassment, intimidation, or bullying in South Carolina schools.	https://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/bullying/model-policy-prohibiting-harassment/
Minimum Standards of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Enforcement Procedures to be Implemented by Local School Districts (May 2017), SCDE	Document presents State Board regulation regarding minimum standards of student conduct and disciplinary enforcement procedures to be implemented by local school districts.	https://www.scstatehouse.gov/CommitteeInfo/SchoolSafetyTaskForce/Regulation%2043-279.pdf
<i>Other Resources</i>		
Truancy, Suspension and Expulsion Data, SCDE	Truancy, and suspension/expulsion reports on the number of students meeting the definition of habitual truant, chronic truant, and truant.	http://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/discipline-related-reports/truancy-suspension-and-expulsion-data/

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2017-2018 Bullying Incidents by District and School, SCDE	Report on incidents regarding intimidation, bullying, and cyberbullying in South Carolina schools.	https://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/discipline-related-reports/2017-18-bullying-incidents-by-district-and-school/
Best Practices for Supporting Educators with Discipline (February 2019), SCDE	Best practices document provides an overview of laws and policies related to effective discipline, best practices: what works in schools, focus groups recommendations, and department training opportunities.	https://ed.sc.gov/districts-schools/school-safety/discipline-related-reports/best-practices-for-supporting-educators-with-discipline/