



Utah

Additional Resources

Related to School

Discipline

Excerpted from Utah Compilation of 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 Utah provide additional context to state policy and regulations and, in some cases, may support the readers’ efforts to provide a positive disciplinary school climate.

<i>Title</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Website address (if applicable)</i>
Website		
Prevention and At-Risk Programs, Utah State Board of Education (USBE)	Provides information and links to absenteeism and dropout prevention, bullying prevention, restorative practices, and other related topics.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/prevention
Restorative Practices, USBE	Provides information and resources about restorative practices.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/prevention/restorativepractices
Safe and Healthy Schools, USBE	Provides an overview of Utah’s framework for school safety that includes 8 conditions schools may follow to create comprehensive safe and healthy school policies, plans, protocols and partnerships. Also includes resources regarding support programs (PBIS, MTSS, Social Emotional Learning, Trauma-Informed Practices) for educators.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/safehealthyschools
Attending to School-based Mental Health, USBE	Provides resources on school-based mental health, and information on state funded initiatives supporting the implementation of mental health supports in schools.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/safehealthyschools/mentalhealth
Utah Multi-Tiered System of Supports (UMTSS), USBE	Provides an overview of Utah MTSS and additional resources for learning and implementation tools of UMTSS.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/curr/umtss

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Utah State Board of Education Administrative Rules, USBE	Compilation of administrative rules regarding various topics within education.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/administrativerules
Documents		
Behavior and Equity Recommendations for PBIS Teams	Describes potential pitfalls that a PBIS team might experience, including those related to discipline and behavior management, and offers recommendations for each pitfall.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/file/1552e2f-a71f-4759-9c1f-6ba828da01b4
Bullying, Cyberbullying, Harassment, Hazing, and Retaliation Model Policy (Revised July 2018), USBE	Model policy addressing bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, hazing, and retaliation in Utah schools.	https://schools.utah.gov/file/86110147-0c87-43be-a6cd-21617e053cf5
Electronic Device Model Policy, USBE	Model policy addressing the permissive and restrictive use of electronic devices in Utah schools.	https://schools.utah.gov/file/f9238285-76c4-4128-9615-6517887d3a52
School District or Charter School Search and Seizure Model Policy (Revised April 2012), USBE	Model policy addressing search and seizure in Utah schools.	https://schools.utah.gov/file/bc7b118f-62ea-4600-af74-5aa3bdce7a07
Student Suspension/Expulsion Model Policy (December 2003), USBE	Model policy addressing suspension and expulsion in Utah schools.	https://schools.utah.gov/file/a9185614-c0a1-40e1-9f9f-54b69a1fb0ed
XYZ School District Student Discipline Model Policy (including Safe School Policy), USBE	Model policy addressing student discipline in Utah schools.	https://schools.utah.gov/file/4516c544-dcb9-48ec-9a9a-97cdfd49cab8
Other Resources		
Data and Statistics - Reports, Utah State Board of Education	Superintendent's annual report of incidents of prohibited behavior in school or school-related activities.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/data/reports?mid=1424&tid=6
Trauma-Informed Resources, USBE	Resource library for school leaders and educators regard student trauma including guides and toolkits, videos, and models.	https://www.schools.utah.gov/file/188f11df-9c61-424a-b57b-47a34e29cf55