

## Willits Charter School Discipline Policy (2010-2011)

### Minor Infractions of Rules:

Discipline will be addressed using classroom procedures. Teachers will assign detentions as needed. Information about each teacher's policies can be found on class syllabi.

### Blue Slip Offenses:

- Gross disrespect (e.g., not doing what is being asked, name-calling, offensive language)
- Dangerous behavior (includes potentially dangerous behavior like leaning in chair)
- Damaging property (includes writing on, carving, breaking, etc.)
- Repeatedly flaunting school rules (includes repeated minor offenses such as gum chewing, running, etc)
- Repeatedly violating classroom rules (not correcting behavior when repeatedly warned)

A student who receives a blue slip is to leave class immediately and go to the office for the duration of class period. No talking, music or bathroom privileges while in office. Student is encouraged to return to teacher to discuss blue slip at an appropriate time before leaving school.

Teacher will log blue slip in binder in office as soon as possible after the offense. The logbook will contain one page for each student with student name, parents' names, contact info and spaces for logging of blue slip offenses. A copy of the blue slip and log sheet will be mailed home.

Blue Slip counts will reset at semester. Students with no blue slips at the end of the semester will have a special event as a reward (ice cream party, pizza lunch, etc.)

### Blue Slip Consequences:

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1	Teacher calls home, Friday detention (30 minutes)
2	Director calls home, Friday detention (30 minutes)
3	SST meeting, loss of privileges for semester (no field trips, dances, off-campus lunch)
4	Full day suspension (no make-up work or tests, no school events)
5	3 days of suspensions/placement hearing
6+	Each additional blue slip will have consequence #5

### Friday Detention

Students will serve 30 minutes of Friday detention per blue slip received during that week. Students are to report to the detention room by 2:30 on Friday. There will be no talking, no music, no food, no bathroom breaks while in detention. Detention will be either school service or in the detention room at discretion of detention supervisor.

### Immediate Suspensions:

- Drugs/alcohol/tobacco
- Weapons/explosives
- Sexual harassment/obscene acts
- Hate crimes
- Fighting/physical injury
- Robbery
- Destruction of personal or school property

When student is suspended they are to go directly home. The student **will not** be given schoolwork and **will not** be allowed to make up work or tests missed during day(s) of suspension. The length of suspension will be on a case-by-case basis, dependent on the situation. Students will not be allowed to attend school functions (field trips, dances or other extra-curricular events) if they have any suspensions during that semester.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_