

*Central Office Administration*  
**Regional School District No. 17**  
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TO: Mr. Jeff Wihbey, Superintendent of Schools

FROM: JeanAnn C. Paddyfote, Ph.D., Transition Administrator

DATE: June 3, 2022

RE: Second Read Policies for June 7, 2022, Board of Education Meeting

**Exhibit A**

**Policies below are recommended for approval.**

<b>Policy #</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
5113	Student Attendance, Truancy and Chronic Absenteeism	Approve
5125	Confidentiality and Access to Education Records	Approve
5131	Student Discipline	Approve
5131.6	Drug and Alcohol Use by Students	Approve
5131.7	Chemical Health Policy for Student Athletes	Approve
5141.7	Policy Regarding Wellness	Approve
6145	Policy Addressing Enrollment in an Advanced Course of Challenging Curriculum	Approve
6147	Weighted Grading and Calculation of Grade Point Averages	Approve

**Items of Information—Administrative Regulations**

<b>Reg. #</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Note</b>
5113R	Administrative Regulations Regarding Student Attendance, Truancy and Chronic Absenteeism	Revised definitions of excused and un-excused absences and updated age a high school student can withdraw from high school commencing July 1, 2023.
5125R	Administrative Regulations Regarding Classification of Education Record	Reviewed—no changes.

## Items of Information—Administrative Regulations (Continued)

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5131R	Administrative Regulations Regarding Alternative Educational Opportunities for Expelled Students	Reviewed—no changes.