



Baypoint Preparatory Academy - San Diego Discipline Policy

Baypoint Preparatory Academy - San Diego (BPA-SD)'s primary focus is education. Our goal is to create a school culture that reinforces positive behavior and eliminates the distractions caused by student misbehavior. Students are expected to demonstrate behavior that maximizes the potential for learning for all students. Students who do not adhere to stated expectations for behavior may expect consequences for their behavior. This list should not be considered progressive discipline in all cases. BPA-SD reserves the right to determine the proper level of discipline that best suits the circumstances requiring discipline. Consequences may include, but are not limited to:

- Warning, verbal and/or written
- Lunch period-Self-Reflection Time
- Loss of privileges
- Individual conferences with the teacher/staff
- Referral to the School Administrator
- Loss of classroom activities
- Teacher intervention/phone call to parent/guardian
- Teacher/Parent/Student conference
- Teacher/Parent/Student conference with the Site Administrator
- Suspension and/or Expulsion

Discipline includes but is not limited to advising and counseling students, conferring with parents/guardians, loss of privileges during and after school hours, use of alternative educational environments, suspension, and expulsion.

Corporal punishment shall not be used as a disciplinary measure against any student. Corporal punishment includes the willful infliction of or willfully causing the infliction of physical pain on a student. For purposes of this policy, corporal punishment does not include an employee's use of force that is reasonable and necessary to protect the employee, students, staff, or other persons or to prevent damage to school property.

Suspended or expelled students shall be excluded from all school and school-related activities unless otherwise agreed during the period of suspension or expulsion.

Any student who engages in repeated violations of the school's behavioral expectations will be required to attend a meeting with the school's staff and the student's parents. The school will prepare a specific, written agreement outlining

future student conduct expectations, timelines, and consequences for failure to meet the expectations which may include, but are not limited to, suspension or expulsion. A student may be suspended or expelled for any of the acts enumerated in Education Code Section 48900 related to school activity or school attendance that occur at any time including, but not limited to:

While on school grounds

While going to or leaving from school

During, or traveling to or from, a school-sponsored activity

Minor Infractions may include but **are not limited to:**

Disrespect

Defiance

Disruptions

Harassment/Bullying

Tardies

Littering

Inappropriate Language

Coming Unprepared for Class

Non-completion of Assignments

The following actions may result in self-reflection, loss of privileges, and suspension. Parents will be notified in all cases.

Major Infractions may include but **are not limited to:**

Blatant Disrespect

Blatant Defiance

Habitual Defiance

Blatant Disruption

Harassment/Bullying of any kind (including cyberbullying)

Infliction of Physical Injury

Truancy

Property Damage

Blatant Obscenity/Profanity

Receipt of Stolen Property

Non-completion of Assignments

Students may be referred to the BPA-SD's Governing Board for an expulsion hearing for any of the following infractions, depending upon their severity. Parents will be notified in all cases.

Additional Major Infractions may include but are not limited to:

- Assault
- Fighting
- Controlled Substance
- Weapons/
- Smoking
- Alcohol
- Tobacco
- Theft
- Improper Use of Technology
- Harassment/Bullying of any Kind
- Hazing
- Threats/Extortion