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## NCSA ALTERNATIVE TO SUSPENSION PROCEDURE Parents Allowed to Accompany Child as Alternative to Suspension

### Addendum #1 to the 2018-2019 Student Handbook (Updated March 4, 2019)

The following is the procedure for the Alternative to Suspension Policy to require parents to attend school in place of suspending students.

1. The Alternative to Suspension Policy can be used in place of any violation of rules that result in the consequence of five (5) or more days out of school suspension.
  - a. This option must be stated in the disciplinary referral. A parent letter can be attached to the disciplinary referral to notify the parent, but this is optional.
  - b. If the parent refuses, or if the parent is not able to attend school with the student, then the student must serve the entirety of the suspension.
  - c. The parent must accompany the student wherever the student is assigned throughout the day. The parent must be with the student at all times in visible locations.
  - d. If the parent has to leave early, the student must leave with the parent.
  - e. The parent may be subject to a background check at the expense of the parent.
2. The district disciplinary committee may vote to decide if the parent will be required to attend school every day with the student, for the entirety of each day in place of being referred to alternative school.
  - a. The district disciplinary committee will designate a specific period of time for the parent to attend school with the student child.
  - b. If the parent refuses to comply to the disciplinary committee's decision, the student will either be referred to alternative school or be subject to expulsion.
3. The parent must abide by the following guidelines as they are at the school:
  - a. The parent will not be either a disruption in any way in the classroom nor hallways.
  - b. The parent will not confront the teacher in the classroom.
  - c. If there are any concerns, a parent conference with the teacher, principal, and the parent coordinator will be done as soon as possible.
  - d. The parent will not impede on the instructional progress of other students.
  - e. The parent will follow all instructions from the teacher and principal.
  - f. Failure to abide by the statements above will result in IMMEDIATE REMOVAL from the school, escorted by security, and POSSIBLE BANISHMENT from the school for future visits. The parent may be escorted by police to the local jail depending on the severity of the disruptions.