Rancho Santiago Community College District BOARD POLICY

Chapter 5
Student Services

BP 5500 Standards of Student Conduct

References:

Education Codes 66300, and 66301, 72122, 76030-76038, 76120 and 76243 ACCJC Accreditation Standards 2

The Chancellor shall establish procedures for the imposition of student discipline that are in accordance with the standards for due process existing under federal and state law.

The procedures shall clearly define the conduct that is subject to discipline and shall identify potential disciplinary actions, including but not limited to the removal, suspension or expulsion of a student.

The Board of Trustees shall consider any recommendation from the Chancellor for expulsion. The Board shall consider an expulsion recommendation in closed session unless the student requests that the matter be considered in a public meeting. Final action by the Board on the expulsion shall be taken at a public meeting.

The procedures shall be made widely available to students through the college catalog and other means.

See Administrative Regulations 5500 Standards of Student Conduct and 5520 Student Discipline Procedures for more information.

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