

**BOARD OF EDUCATION  
School District #33 (Chilliwack)**

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**514  
POLICY  
Safe Schools**

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The Board is committed to providing safe schools and a positive climate for all members of the school community in which each member will be able to develop fully to their potential.

In accordance with the *Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom*, the *British Columbia Human Rights Code* and the district's collective agreements, the Board of Education values all of its students and employees without discrimination.

The Board expects members of the school community to treat others with respect and courtesy and to conduct themselves in a manner worthy of the respect of others in order to promote a safe and positive school climate.

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Cross Refs: Policy 501 - Student Behaviour, Policy 515 - Weapons, Policy 501 - Student Discipline and Suspension, Ministry of Education – Safe, Caring & Orderly Schools

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