

Professional Judgment in Classroom Control

A teacher may exclude a pupil from his class when the grossness of the offense, the persistence of the misbehavior or the disruptive effect of the violation makes the continued presence of the student in the classroom intolerable. In such cases, the teacher will furnish the principal or counselor with knowledge (in writing, if possible) of the exclusion and as promptly as possible, full particulars of the incident. The affected pupil will, after consultation with the teacher, be readmitted to the classroom only upon written authorization of the principal or counselor, or when requested, by written guidelines from the principal for the future handling of this case.



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