



Corporal Punishment Policy

No Voyager employee or volunteer may use corporal punishment to discipline a student. Corporal punishment is any kind of punishment inflicted on the body, including, but not limited to, spanking, paddling, or slapping.

Notwithstanding the policy prohibiting the use of corporal punishment as a means of discipline, school personnel may use reasonable force to control behavior or to remove a person from the scene in these situations when necessary: -To quell a disturbance threatening injury to others; -To obtain possession of weapons or other dangerous objects on the person or within the control of a student; -For self-defense; -For the protection of persons or property; or -To restrain or direct pupils or otherwise maintain order.