ST. JAMES-ASSINIBOIA SCHOOL DIVISION

Great Schools for Growing and Learning

POLICY: JICI

#1807773

JICM JICM-R JKD-R

WEAPONS AND VIOLENCE IN SCHOOLS

The St. James-Assiniboia School Division is responsible for ensuring a safe respectful and positive learning environment.

The St. James-Assiniboia School Division will not tolerate harmful, threatening or actual acts of violence, or other unlawful acts on its property or in its buildings, or vehicles, and will ensure that action be taken against offenders of this policy as appropriate:

- a) under the Public Schools Act, including suspension and/or expulsion, and/or
- b) under the Criminal Code and other penal statutes.

The St. James-Assiniboia School Division will not tolerate the possession of weapons by persons, or the presence of weapons on its property, or in its buildings or lockers or vehicles, and will ensure that action be taken against offenders of this policy as appropriate:

- a) under the Public Schools Act, including suspension and/or expulsion, and/or
- b) under the Criminal Code and other penal statutes.

School administrators will exercise appropriate action in circumstances involving violence or weapons as per policy JICM (Risk Threat Assessment) and JICM-R (Assessing Violence Potential: Protocol for Dealing with Student Threats and High Risk Behaviours.) and will respond with appropriate interventions and disciplinary consequences as per JKD-R.

If a school administrator reports a student to the police as a result of violence or weapons, the administrator shall inform parent(s)/guardian(s) that the police have been notified.

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