

## 2023-24 Employee Handbook Changes

- + Added Acceptable Use Policy Agreement (page 3)
- + Updates to Work Schedule policy (page 30)
  - + Business Hours
  - + Amended central office hours
- + Added "School Events" policy (page 33)
  - + Clarifies expectations for exempt staff, non-exempt staff, and supervisors for staff who volunteer for school events.
- + Updates to Phone/Voicemail policy (page 40)
  - + Updated information for the current online platform, 8x8.
  - + Updated expectations for school-provided services and personal devices.
- + Added Internet Access (page 41)
  - + Outlines requirements for remote staff
- + Added Acceptable Use policy (page 41)
  - + Correlates with Board Policy
- + Added "All-Staff Retreat" policy (page 43)
  - + Outlines expectations for staff attendance, medical excuses, and subjectivity to blackout dates.
- + Updated "Work Environment" (page 45)
  - + Clarification of the work location and expectations.
- + Update to "Accident/Incident Reporting" policy (page 45)
  - + Clarification on where incidents may be reported.
- + Update to "Reporting Fires and Emergencies" (page 46)
  - + Clarification on where incidents may be reported.
- + Update to "Paydays" policy (page 48)
  - + Addition of the pay periods and correlating pay dates

- + Update to "Expenses" policy (page 49)
  - + Updated process in alignment with the finance department's policy and procedures for processing Expenses.
- + Update to "Mileage Reimbursement" policy (page 50)
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- + Update to "Holidays" policy (page 55)
  - + Updated holidays, adding:
    - + Genocide Remembrance Day
    - + Juneteenth
    - + Summer Break (12-month staff)
- Update to "Floating Holidays" policy
  - Removed floating holiday policy
- + Update to "Sick Leave" policy (page 56)
  - + Added clarification of certification for 3 or more days of consecutive sick time.
  - + Added "Transfer of Sick Leave" policy
    - + Outlines our current process for transferring sick leave credit from other schools/districts.
- Update to "School Appearance and Activities Leave" policy
  - + Removed School Appearance and Activities Leave policy
- + Added "Personal Necessity Leave" policy (page 57)
  - + Provides 40 hours of personal time for staff use
  - + Covers personal matters, school appearances, birthdays, and work anniversaries.
- + Added "Leave Interactions" policy (page 67)
  - + Provides clarification to employees on the difference between PDL, FMLA, and CFRA
- + Updates to "Bereavement" policy (page 69)
  - + Added 2 days unpaid, for a total of five days of bereavement