BOARD OF TRUSTEES CARSON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

POLICY No. 524 STUDENTS

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT

In accordance with NRS 392.4633, the Board of Trustees of the Carson City School District decrees that corporal punishment shall not be administered upon a student in the Carson City School District. This policy does not prohibit any person from defending himself or herself if attacked by a student.

As used in this section, "corporal punishment" means the intentional infliction of physical pain upon or the physical restraint of a student for disciplinary purposes. The term does not include the use of reasonable and necessary force:

- (a) To quell a disturbance that threatens physical injury to any person or the destruction of property;
- (b) To obtain possession of a weapon or other dangerous object within a student's control; or
- (c) For the purpose of self-defense or the defense of another person; or
- (d) To escort a disruptive student who refuses to go voluntarily with the proper authorities.

Reference: NRS 392.4633

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