## STUDENTS WITH PENDING CRIMINAL CHARGES

Any student charged with violating a local, state, and/or federal law on or off school property/school buses, which constitutes a Class A misdemeanor involving drugs, violence, any type of weapon, physical harm to a person or threatened physical harm to a person, or any class of felony, or a delinquent act which would have been a Class A misdemeanor involving drugs, violence, any type of weapon, physical harm to a person or threatened physical harm to a person or any class of felony if committed by an adult, regardless of whether adjudication is withheld, shall not be allowed to return to a regular classroom setting until all legal proceedings are exhausted. Upon the completion of legal proceedings which render a verdict of "not guilty", or its counterpart for a juvenile delinquent act, the charged student shall be allowed to re-enter the regular classroom setting. Any work missed shall be classified as excused and the student will be given an opportunity to make up work according to policies set forth by the Henry County Board of Education.

Special education students who violate this policy shall be dealt with in accordance to the discipline methods outlined in the Individuals with Disabilities Act (IDEA) as amended and Alabama Administrative Code §290-8-9-09(1).

**REFERENCE(S)**:

CODE OF ALABAMA 16-1-24(e), 16-12-3(a), 16-12-16, 36-25-5(a), 36-25-7, 36-25-8, AAC §290-8-9-09(1)

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