Students are expected to behave properly in the classrooms by treating other students, teachers, and all other staff with respect. Each student is expected to follow the provider’s established policies and handbook guidelines regarding behavior expectations.

When a youth engages in disruptive behavior (behavior that occurs in the academic classroom, school setting, and/or during non-school hours) that requires his/her removal from the regular scheduled classroom environment for more than one class period, the facility administrator, in conjunction with the school principal/administrator shall determine if the youth should be removed from the regularly scheduled classroom environment and receive education services at a separate location.

The Division of Youth Services (DYS) Education Department will monitor youth who are not in the regular classrooms due to behavioral issues to ensure they receive adequate educational services. Facility administrators and/or the Director of Residential Services will ensure the relocation is for short-term intervention and/or stabilization related to behavioral disruptions. ROP and DYS developed a process in which student behavior incidents are recorded via Daily Progress Notes, also referred to as “DPN’s.” DPN’s are housed in a database commonly called, “THE GARAGE.” This information is collected and used to write Treatment Team Reviews which are reports generated every 90 days and include information about each youth’s grades and behavior.

Computer incident reports are created when students misuse technology/computers. They become a part of Daily Progress Notes (DPN’s), as well, and therefore, may be included in Treatment Team Reviews. These reports are submitted to the DYS assistant superintendent where they are reviewed, signed, dated, and placed in student folders.

Rite of Passage (ROP) campuses have published student handbooks. There you can read detailed information regarding behavioral expectations and consequences.

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