Board Policy GAMB: Possession of Weapons by Employees Status: ADOPTED

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Possession of Weapons by Employees

The Board of Public Education for Bibb County ("Board") is committed to maintaining a safe and secure working and learning environment. Employees shall be prohibited from bringing weapons on any property or in any building owned or leased by the District, at school functions, and on school buses or other transportation furnished by the ~~School District~~Bibb County School District ("District"). Employees in violation of this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment.

A "weapon" includes any pistol, revolver, or any weapon designed or intended to propel a missile of any kind, or any dirk, bowie knife, switchblade knife, ballistic knife, any other knife having a blade of two or more inches, straight-edge razor, razor blade, spring stick, knuckles, whether made from metal, thermoplastic, wood, or other similar material, blackjack, any bat, club, or other bludgeon-type weapon, or any flailing instrument consisting of two or more rigid parts connected in such a manner as to allow them to swing freely, which may be known as a nunchahka, nun chuck, nunchaku, shuriken, or fighting chain, or any disc, of whatever configuration, having at least two points or pointed blades which is designed to be thrown or propelled and which may be known as a throwing star or oriental dart, or any weapon of like kind, and any stun gun or taser as defined in O.C.G.A. §16-11-106.

Only School Resource Officers, employed by the District~~Board of Public Education for Bibb County~~, and authorized law enforcement, in performance of their official duties or when en route to or fro~~r~~m their official duties, are allowed to possess weapons on any school property or in any building owned or leased by the ~~School~~ District, at school functions, and on school buses or other transportation furnished by the ~~School~~ District.