

MIDDLE BUCKS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: TERRORISTIC THREATS/ACTS

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218.1. TERRORISTIC THREATS/ACTS	
<p>1. Purpose</p>	<p>The Executive Council recognizes the danger that terroristic threats and acts by students presents to the safety and welfare of district students, staff and community. The Executive Council acknowledges the need for an immediate and effective response to a situation involving such a threat or act.</p>
<p>2. Definitions 18 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 2706</p> <p>18 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 3301-4101 Sec. 2301-3201</p>	<p>Terroristic threat - shall mean a threat to commit violence communicated with the intent to terrorize another; to cause evacuation of a building; or to cause serious public inconvenience, in reckless disregard of the risk of causing such terror or inconvenience.</p> <p>Terroristic act - shall mean an offense against property or involving danger to another person.</p>
<p>3. Authority</p>	<p>The Executive Council prohibits any district student from communicating terroristic threats or committing terroristic acts directed at any student, employee, Executive Council member, community member or school building.</p>
<p>4. Delegation of Responsibility</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 12.2</p>	<p>The Executive Council directs the Director to react promptly and appropriately to information and knowledge concerning a possible or actual terroristic threat or act.</p> <p>The Director or designee shall be responsible for developing administrative procedures to implement this policy.</p> <p>Staff members and students shall be responsible for informing the building principal regarding any information or knowledge relevant to a possible or actual terroristic threat or act.</p> <p>An administrator shall immediately inform the Director after receiving a report of such a threat or act.</p>

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<p>5. Guidelines</p> <p>20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 et seq</p>	<p>When an administrator has sufficient, credible evidence that a student violated this policy, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.</p> <p>In the case of exceptional students, the district will take all steps necessary to comply with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act and follow Executive Council policy.</p>
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