

## WEAPONS

No person shall be authorized to carry any weapon or firearm into any meeting of the public school district; any school athletic event not related to firearms; any school administration building; any school facility; and/or school sponsored event. Any person possessing, transmitting, and/or using a weapon on School Board property shall be subject to arrest. In addition, employees who violate this policy may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination of employment. The SBBC hereby waives the exception in section 790.115(2)(a)3., and therefore prohibits the possession of any firearms in vehicles for student or campus parking privileges.

- a. Certified law enforcement officers are exempt when working within the scope of their employment. Additionally, Armed Safe School Officers, Marshal/Guardians Program positions placed in schools pursuant to the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act are exempt when working within the scope of their employment.
- b. School Board property shall be defined as school grounds, facilities, administrative offices, bus stop, school bus, or vehicle provided for transportation by the school system.
- c. School sponsored activities shall be defined as any approved School Board event or official School Board business, on or off School Board property.

Weapons shall be defined as indicated in F.S. 790.001.

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