## Project SAVE

School Conduct and Discipline Code

Public Hearing June 14, 2016

#### Recommended Revisions

## Change grades to align to building configurations Student Appearance Code

- For students in grades K-7, backpacks and gym bags will remain in a student's locker during the school day.
- O The use of backpacks in grades 8-12 must take into consideration the District's ability for search and seizure (page 31) as well as the health and safety of our students. For example, aisles in classrooms must remain clear of backpacks.

#### Recommended Revisions cont.

## Add **Use of Surveillance Cameras**

In order to promote school security and ensure a safe and effective learning environment, the District may use surveillance cameras and recording equipment in its schools, on its buses and on school grounds. District surveillance cameras will only be utilized in public areas where there is no "reasonable expectation of privacy."

Policy 5684 - Use of Surveillance Cameras in the School District & on School Buses

#### Recommended Revisions cont.

#### **Amend**

#### Child Protective Services Investigations

Consistent with the District's commitment to keep students safe from harm and the obligation of school officials to report to child protective services when they have reasonable cause to suspect that a student has been abused or maltreated, the district will cooperate with local child protective services workers who wish to conduct interviews of students on school property relating to allegations of suspected child abuse, and/or neglect, or custody investigations in accordance with the guidance provided by the New York State Education Department.

### Thank you, SAVE Committee!

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# Questions or Comments