

CORPORAL PUNISHMENT

Corporal punishment shall not be used in the School District of Amery. School officials may, however, use:

1. Reasonable and necessary force to quell a disturbance or prevent an act that threatens physical injury to any person;
2. Reasonable and necessary force to obtain possession of a weapon or other dangerous object within a student's control;
3. Reasonable and necessary force for the purpose of self-defense or the defense of others, or for the protection of property in accordance with state statutes;
4. Reasonable and necessary force to remove a disruptive student from school premises, a motor vehicle or school-sponsored activity;
5. Reasonable and necessary force to prevent a student from inflicting harm on him/herself;
6. Reasonable and necessary force to protect the safety of others; or
7. Incidental, minor or reasonable physical contact designed to maintain order and control.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 118.31 Wisconsin Statutes
939.48

CROSS REF.: 447, Student Discipline

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