



BULLYING, DISCRIMINATION, AND HARASSMENT COMPLAINT FORM

Weber School District maintains a firm policy prohibiting all forms of bullying, including bullying, cyber-bullying, discriminatory harassment, hazing, retaliation, and sexual harassment.

SCHOOL: _____

COMPLAINANT NAME: _____ **COMPLAINANT GRADE LEVEL:** _____

RESPONDENT(S) NAMES(S):*

*Please list all persons involved in the bullying

INCIDENT(S) INFORMATION:

Check the box(es) to indicate the type of conduct you are complaining of:

- General Bullying Sexual Harassment Harassment Hazing Retaliation
- Cyber-Bullying

Check the box(es) to indicate the basis of the conduct:

- Race/Color/National Origin Sex/Gender Religion Disability N/A or None

Date(s) / Time(s) of incident(s): _____

Name(s) of alleged respondent(s): _____

Location of incident(s): _____

Name(s) of witness(es): _____

Is this a repeat offense: Yes No

Describe the incident(s) as clearly as possible, including what was said (threats, requests, demands, etc.), whether any physical contact occurred, and what force was used (attach additional pages if necessary):

Describe the harm caused by the incident(s) described above, including any hostile school environment, or other adverse effects on your education (attach additional pages if necessary):

Describe the remedy you seek, including any assistance you may need to address the harm described above (attach additional pages if necessary). [Please note that seeking a particular remedy does not confer authority on anyone to determine the discipline imposed on the alleged respondent. All remedies, including any disciplinary action, are within the exclusive authority and sole discretion of the School District]:

This complaint is based on my honest belief that I have been bullied, discriminated against, or harassed as described above. I hereby represent that the information provided herein is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Complainant's

signature: _____ **Date:** _____

If the target is unable or unwilling to complete and sign this form, provide the following information and sign below.

Name of person completing form: _____ Title: _____

Reason target did not complete and sign form: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Information for Persons Filing a Complaint

Overview of Investigative Process

The Bullying Investigator will be promptly notified of this complaint. The District Director of Equity, Justice and Inclusion will also be notified if this is a complaint of discrimination or harassment. If additional information from you is needed, you will be contacted for a follow-up interview. The investigation will also include interviews with, and written statements from, the target, the person against whom the complaint is made, witnesses, and others identified as having pertinent information.

The Bullying Investigator will consider all the evidence and will make findings of fact and conclusions as to whether any District policies have been violated. In the case of policy violation, disciplinary action may be taken against the respondent. Other actions may be taken to address the effects on the target and the school environment. To the extent legally permissible, the target and the respondent will be notified of these decisions.

Confidentiality

The investigation will be conducted in a reasonably confidential manner. However, witnesses and others with pertinent information may need to be made aware of the investigation and sufficient facts to elicit their verbal/written statements. The Bullying Investigator will take measures to protect confidentiality of the target and the accused, including directing all witnesses to refrain from disseminating information related to the complaint and investigation.

You should also keep the complaint and investigation confidential. Do not attempt to conduct your own parallel investigation or discuss the facts of your complaint with others.

No Contact

You should avoid contact with the accused. This includes written, electronic, verbal, and in-person contact. If contact with the accused is unavoidable in the school, please notify the investigator.

Office for Civil Rights

In addition to filing a complaint with the District, you may also contact the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights, 1244 Speer Boulevard, Suite 310, Denver, CO 80204-3582; Telephone No. 303-844-5695; Fax No. 303-844-4303; TDD No. 877-521-2172; Email OCR.Denver@ed.gov.

For School Use Only

Maintain original at school in investigation file. Submit copy to Coordinator of Student Services.