

## OLDHAM COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY

### TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES: UNIFORM CODE OF CONDUCT

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*References: KRS 620.030, KRS 161.180*

#### **Teachers have the responsibility to:**

1. Exhibit respect for all students, parents and staff.
2. Participation in activities and strategies as outlined in the school improvement plan.
3. Present the education materials and experiences based on the needs of students and appropriate to their course or grade level as delineated from the District Curriculum Framework and approved by the SBDM council.
4. Promote high standards of achievement in the classroom.
5. Provide feedback on student assignments as soon as possible.
6. Inform students and parents/guardians/custodians of achievement and progress, problems and failures pursuant to Oldham County Board of Education Policy.
7. Maintain a classroom atmosphere conducive to appropriate behavior.
8. Recognize exemplary student work and/or classroom behavior.
9. Become familiar with the student code of conduct.
10. Administer such disciplinary measures as outlined in this code in order to maintain a positive learning climate.
11. Maintain high personal, professional standards.
12. Exhibit appropriate behavior in terms of dress, action, and voice.
13. Follow the rules and regulations of the Board of Education and the local school.
14. Immediately make an oral or written report to the Cabinet for Health & Family Services; a local law enforcement agency or the Kentucky State Police, or the Commonwealth's or county attorney if she/he knows or has reasonable cause to believe that a child is dependent, neglected or abused. Staff members shall notify the school principal that they have made a report, but nothing shall diminish individual responsibility to make a report.