

Tapestry Public Charter School Policy On Resolution of Conflict with DeKalb County School District

Adopted: 11/15/2021

The Tapestry Public Charter School Board adopts the following policy, effective on the date of adoption by the Board.

Introduction and Scope

Tapestry Public Charter School values its relationship with its Local Authorizer, DeKalb County School District. Tapestry recognizes that as with any relationship, disputes may arise between it and its authorizer. At the request of DCSD, this policy shall be applied beginning with the 2021-22 Academic Year going forward and shall not apply to any prior academic years.

Tapestry adopts the following policy to address those conflicts:

Policy

The Tapestry board (hereinafter “Board”) encourages resolution of any issues or concerns that it may have related to DCSD at the earliest opportunity.

It is important that as issues do arise, they are dealt with in a fair and timely manner. While some conflicts will be resolved by an informal discussion between the parties, others will need a process for successful resolution.

Procedure

- A) The Principal or his/her designee and the Board Chair and his/her designee are authorized to communicate with representatives of the district in an effort to resolve disputes.
- B) Attempts to resolve disputes may be accomplished informally (call or email) or formally (letter)
- C) Legal Counsel may be consulted as needed.
- D) The authorized representative may consult with the representatives from the state, the Charter School Associates or others deemed appropriate by the representative to gain information or support in resolving the dispute
- E) In the event a matter cannot be resolved by those identified in (A) the matter should be brought to the Board at the next board meeting to discuss next steps.
- F) If the dispute has potential to have a significant impact on the operations of the school the matter shall be brought to the attention of the board regardless if the dispute was able to be resolved.