



STUDENT DISCIPLINE

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- New DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE:
 - '62' Possessed, Sold, Gave, Used, Delivered, Or Was Under The Influence Of Marihuana Or Tetrahydrocannabinol – TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(C-1)
 - '63' Possessed, Sold, Gave, Delivered, Or Used E-Cigarette – TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(C-2)
 - '64' Possessed, Sold, Gave, Used, Delivered, Or Was Under The Influence Of Other Controlled Substance – TEC, §37.007(b)

- Disciplinary Action for New DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE:
 - Mandatory Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP)

- Revised DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE:
 - '05' Possessed, Sold, Used, Or Was Under The Influence Of An Alcoholic Beverage – TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(D), and TEC, §37.007(b)
 - Code '05' now includes ALL alcoholic beverage incidents. There is no longer a felony level alcoholic beverage offense with a mandatory expulsion. Engaging in any element of an alcohol beverage is now a mandatory DAEP or discretionary expulsion.
 - '36' Felony Controlled Substance Violation – TEC §37.007(a)(3)
 - This code no longer includes marihuana or THC.

Student Discipline – Action Reason Code



Code Table Id	Name	XML Name	Date Issued	Date Updated
C165	DISCIPLINARY-ACTION-REASON-CODE	TX-DisciplinaryActionReasonType	03/02/1998	9/1/2023
Code	Translation			
01	Permanent Removal By A Teacher From Class (Teacher has removed the student from classroom and denied the student the right to return. TEC §37.003 has been invoked.) – TEC §37.002(b)			
02	Conduct Punishable As A Felony – TEC §37.006(a)(2)(A)			
04	Possessed, Sold, Used, Or Was Under The Influence Of Marihuana Or Other Controlled Substance – TEC §§37.006(a)(2)(C) and 37.007(b) - Only valid until September 1, 2023.			
05	Possessed, Sold, Used, Or Was Under The Influence Of An Alcoholic Beverage – TEC §§37.006(a)(2)(D) and 37.007(b)			
06	Abuse Of A Volatile Chemical – TEC §37.006(a)(2)(E)			
07	Public Lewdness Or Indecent Exposure – TEC §37.006(a)(2)(F)			
08	Retaliation Against School Employee – TEC §§37.006(b) and 37.007(d)			
09	Based On Conduct Occurring Off Campus And While The Student Is Not In Attendance At A School-Sponsored Or School-Related Activity For Felony Offenses In Title 5, Penal Code – TEC §37.006(c), TEC §37.007(b)(4), and TEC §37.0081			
10	Based On Conduct Occurring Off Campus And While The Student Is Not In Attendance At A School-Sponsored Or School-Related Activity For Felony Offenses Not In Title 5, Penal Code – TEC §37.006(d) and TEC §37.007(b)(4)			
11	Brought a Firearm to School - TEC 37.007(e) or Unlawful Carrying of a Handgun under Penal Code 46.02 - TEC 37.007(a)(1)			
12	Unlawful Carrying of a Location-Restricted Knife under Penal Code 46.02 - TEC 37.007(a)(1) (Location-Restricted Knife - blade longer than 5.5 inches)			
14	Conduct Containing the Elements of an Offense Relating to Prohibited Weapons Under Penal Code 46.05 - TEC 37.007(a)(1)			
16	Arson – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(B)			

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31	Sexual Assault Under Penal Code §22.011 Or Aggravated Sexual Assault Under Penal Code §22.021 Against a school district employee or volunteer – TEC §37.007(d)
32	Sexual Assault Under Penal Code §22.011 Or Aggravated Sexual Assault Under Penal Code §22.021 Against someone other than a school district employee or volunteer – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(A)
35	False Alarm/False Report – TEC §§37.006(a)(1) and 37.007(b)
36	Felony Controlled Substance Violation – TEC §37.007(a)(3)
37	Felony Alcohol Violation – TEC §37.007(a)(3)
41	Fighting/Mutual Combat – Excludes all offenses under Penal Code §22.01
46	Aggravated Robbery – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(F), TEC §37.007(C)-(D) (HB9680)
47	Manslaughter – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(G)
48	Criminally Negligent Homicide – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(H)
49	Engages In Deadly Conduct – TEC §37.007(b)(3)
55	Student Is Required To Register As A Sex Offender Under Chapter 62 Of The Code Of Criminal Procedure And Is Under Court Supervision - TEC §37.304. The offense(s) for which the student is required to register as a sex offender must have occurred on or after Sept. 1, 2007
56	Student Is Required To Register As A Sex Offender Under Chapter 62 Of The Code Of Criminal Procedure And Is Not Under Court Supervision - TEC §37.305. The offense(s) for which the student is required to register as a sex offender must have occurred on or after Sept. 1, 2007

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Code	Translation
57	Continuous Sexual Abuse Of Young Child Or Disabled Individual Under §21.02 Penal Code – TEC §37.007(a)(2)(l)
58	Breach of Computer Security – TEC §37.007(a)(5) (HB1224)
59	Serious Misbehavior, as defined by TEC §37.007(c), while expelled to/placed in a Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP)- TEC §37.007(c) defines "serious misbehavior" as: (1) deliberate violent behavior that poses a direct threat to the health or safety of others; (2) extortion, meaning the gaining of money or other property by force or threat; (3) conduct that constitutes coercion, as defined by Section 1.07, Penal Code; or (4) conduct that constitutes the offense of: (A) public lewdness under Section 21.07, Penal Code; (B) indecent exposure under Section 21.08, Penal Code; (C) criminal mischief under Section 28.03, Penal Code; (D) personal hazing under Section 37.152; or (E) harassment under Section 42.07(a)(1), Penal Code, of a student or district employee.
60	Harassment Against an Employee of the School District under Texas Penal Code 42.07(a)(1), (2), (3), or (7) – TEC 37.006(a)(2)(G)
61	Bullying – TEC 37.0052(b)
	Codes 62-64, valid beginning September 1, 2023
62	Possessed, Sold, Gave, Used, Delivered, Or Was Under The Influence Of Marihuana Or Tetrahydrocannabinol - TEC 37.006(a)(2)(C-1)
63	Possessed, Sold, Gave, Delivered, Or Used E-Cigarette - TEC 37.006(a)(2)(C-2)
64	Possessed, Sold, Gave, Used, Delivered, Or Was Under The Influence Of Other Controlled Substance – TEC 37.007(b)

- New DISCIPLINARY-LENGTH-DIFFERENCE-REASON-CODE:
 - '11' Term Modified By District – Disciplinary Alternative Education Program Capacity
 - TEC, §37.009(a-1): If a disciplinary alternative education program(DAEP) is at capacity at the time a campus behavior coordinator is deciding placement for a student who engaged in conduct described under TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(C-1), (C-2), (D), or (E), the student shall be:
 - (1) placed in in-school suspension (ISS); and
 - (2) if a position becomes available in the program before the expiration of the period of the placement, transferred to the program for the remainder of the period.

NOTE: TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(C-1), (C-2), (D), or (E), consist of Marihuana/THC, E-Cigarettes, Alcoholic Beverage, and Abusable Volatile Chemical.

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Code Table Id	Name	XML Name	Date Issued	Date Updated
C166	DISCIPLINARY-LENGTH-DIFFERENCE-REASON-CODE	TX-DisciplineActionLengthDifferenceReasonType	03/02/1998	9/1/2023
Code	Translation			
00	No Difference Between Official And Actual Lengths Of Disciplinary Assignments			
01	Term Modified By District			
02	Term Modified By Court Order			
03	Term Modified By Mutual Agreement Of District, Student, And/Or Parents			
04	Student Completed Term Requirements Sooner Than Expected			
05	Student Incarcerated			
06	Term Decreased Due To Extenuating Health-Related Circumstances			
07	Student Withdrew From School			
08	School Year Ended Before Completion Of Disciplinary Action Assignment			
09	Continuation Of Previous Year's Disciplinary Action Assignment			
10	Term Modified By Placement Program Due To Student Behavior While In The Placement			
11	Term Modified By District – Disciplinary Alternative Education Program Capacity			
99	Other			

- New DISCIPLINARY-LENGTH-DIFFERENCE-REASON-CODE (CONTINUED):
 - '11' Term Modified By District – Disciplinary Alternative Education Program Capacity
 - TEC, §37.009(a-2): If a DAP is at capacity at the time a campus behavior coordinator is deciding placement for a student who engaged in conduct described under TEC, §37.007, that constitutes violent conduct, as defined by commissioner rule, a student who has been placed in the program for conduct described under TEC, §37.006(a)(2)(C-1), (C-2), (D), or (E):
 - (1) may be removed from the program and placed in ISS to make a position in the program available for the student who engaged in violent conduct; and
 - (2) if removed from the DAEP under (1) and a position in the program becomes available before the expiration of the period of the placement, the student shall be returned to the program for the remainder of the period.

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Student Discipline - Resources



- Email: StudentDisciplineSupport@tea.texas.gov
- Student Discipline Webpage Link: <https://tea.texas.gov/texas-schools/health-safety-discipline/student-discipline>
 - Located on this page:
 - Link to register for Admin and PEIMS trainings.
 - Technical Assistance and Resources