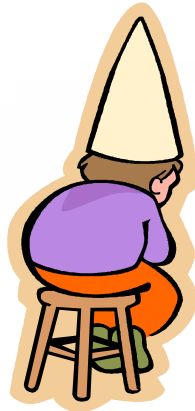


Board's Role in Student Discipline



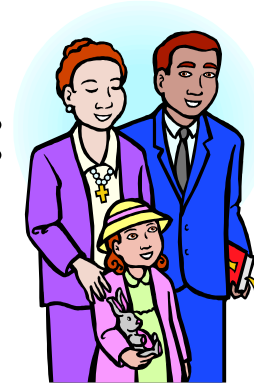
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Information

Students and their parents:

- Letter from the school
- Information from the MoE



The principal, board and the disciplinary committee

- Legislation
- Information from the MoE
- Information from the board



The Purpose

1. Provide a range of responses for varying degrees of seriousness
2. Minimise disruption to a student's education and facilitate their return when appropriate
3. Ensure that individual cases are dealt with in accordance with the principles of natural justice



The Roles

The Principal:

The Prosecutor
Section 14 of the Act

The Student

The Defendant

The parents and support people

The Supporters

**The Board - The
Discipline
Committee**
The Jury Section 15(4)
and 17(4) of the Act



The Board's Documentation

- Minuted Delegated Authority to:
 - Deputy Principal
 - Individual Members of Discipline Committee
- Letter of Delegation Sent to:
 - Deputy Principal
 - Individual Members of Discipline Committee
- Terms of Reference for the Discipline Committee
- Minutes of the Hearings



The Process



Help Available:

- NZSTA helpdesk 0800782435
- Local MoE Office

