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Vaping Policy

A student shall not possess, distribute, use, or be under the influence of any vaping products in school buildings, on school grounds, in school vehicles or buses, or at any school-sponsored activity at any time, whether on or off school grounds, or while representing the school in any capacity. To “use” shall mean holding of any type of vape pen, dab pen, cart pen, electronic/vapor cigarette, or any other vape product that is yet to be named, or any other paraphernalia used for the purpose of vaping.

First Offense: Assignment to the Grainger County Alternative School for a 8-45 day placement.
(Student may be referred to Juvenile court).

Second Offense: Assignment to the Grainger County Alternative School for a 20-45 day placement.
(Student will be referred to Juvenile court).

Third Offense: Assignment to the Grainger County Alternative School for a 45-90 day placement.
(Student will be referred to Juvenile court).

Fourth Offense: The student will be subject to expulsion from the school system for a minimum of one (1) calendar year from the date of infraction. The Director of Schools and the School Board will determine the punishment for a student who has reached this level of the Vaping Policy.