## **Bullying Policy**

"Harassment, intimidation and bullying," as defined by Oklahoma Statutes at 70 O.S. § 24-100.0, means any gesture, written or verbal expression, or physical act that a reasonable person should know will harm another student, damage another student's property, place another student in reasonable fear of harm to the student's person or damage to the student's property, or insult or demean any student or group of students in such a way as to disrupt or interfere with the school's educational mission or the education of any student.

- -- "Harassment, intimidation and bullying" include, but are not limited to, a gesture or written, verbal or physical act that is reasonable perceived as being motivated by a student's religion, race, color, national origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, disability, height, weight, socioeconomic status, or any other distinguishing characteristic.
- -- "At school" means on school grounds, in school vehicles, at designated school bus stops, at school-sponsored activities, or at school-sanctioned events.

Harassment, intimidation and bullying are specifically prohibited by the Sulphur School District. Students violating the prohibitions set forth in its policy shall be subject to any and all disciplinary measures the district deems appropriate.