

File: G6

METAL SCANNER POLICY

It is the policy of the Chicopee Public Schools to continually work to provide a safe environment in which students can learn and participate in all programs offered or sponsored by the school system. If a school department employee is confronted with a situation which s/he considers to be unsafe for any reason, s/he should report the circumstances involved to his/her building principal.

If at any time any school official has reasonable cause to believe that any student is in possession of a dangerous weapon in violation of school policy, s/he shall take steps appropriate under the circumstances. Immediately upon learning of reasonable cause to believe any student has such a weapon, the school official shall take steps to see that the student undergoes a hand held metal detector search. This search shall take place according to the Metal Scanner Procedure.

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2nd reading: Reg SC Mtg 1/17/07

**Please refer to the Metal Scanner Procedure (File: G6.1) located in the Chicopee Public Schools Procedures Manual.*