**Agenda Item:** Approval of Policy

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## **VISITORS**

Blue Oak Charter Council (BOCC) believes that it is important for parents/guardians and community members to take an active interest in the issues affecting students and encourages parents/guardians and other interested members of the community to visit the school and participate in the educational program.

To ensure the safety of students and staff and minimize interruption of the instructional program, the Executive Director will establish procedures that facilitate visits during regular school days. Visits during school hours should be first arranged with the Teacher and Executive Director or designee.

To ensure the safety of students and staff and avoid potential disruptions, all visitors shall sign-in immediately upon entering any school building or grounds when school is in session.

No electronic listening or recording device may be used by students or visitors in a classroom without the Teacher and Executive Director's permission.

BOCC encourages all individuals to assist in maintaining a safe and secure school environment by behaving in an orderly manner while on school grounds and by utilizing the complaint process posted on our website if they have concerns with any district program or employee.

In accordance with Penal Code 626.7, the Executive Director or designee may request that any individual who is causing a disruption, including exhibiting volatile, hostile, aggressive, or offensive behavior, immediately leave school grounds.

Any person who is required to register as a sex offender pursuant to Penal Code 290, including a parent/guardian of a district student, shall request written permission from the Executive Director before entering the school campus or grounds. As necessary, the Executive Director shall consult with local law enforcement authorities before allowing the presence of any such person at school or other school activities.