

**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF
NONDISCRIMINATION / NON-HARASSMENT POLICY**

It is the policy of the Merton Community School District that no person may be denied admission to Merton Schools or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, pupil service, recreational or other program or activity because of the person's sex, race, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability or handicap as required by section 118.13 of the statutes. This policy prohibits discrimination as defined by Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (sex), Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (race and national origin), and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (handicap). This policy also prohibits harassment.

The district encourages informal resolution of complaints under this policy. A formal complaint resolution procedure is available however, to address allegations of violations of the policy in the Merton Community School District.

Any questions concerning this policy should be directed to:

District Administrator
Merton Community School District
P.O. Box 15
Merton, WI 53056
(262) 538-1130

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