CORPORAL PUNISHMENT

Corporal punishment shall be used only as a last resort in the most unusual circumstances and after all other corrective measures have been used without success.

A staff member may use physical force against a student without advance notice when it is essential for self-defense, for the preservation or order, or for the protection of other persons or the property of the Salem School District. In the event such an incident occurs, a written statement of the facts precipitating the instance, the event, and the aftermath is to be given to the building principal.