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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

## Introduction

The *Code of Virginia* (§ 22.1-279.3:1) requires school divisions statewide to submit data to the Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) on incidents of discipline, crime, and violence (DCV). School divisions began reporting such data in 1991. This annual report focuses primarily on DCV data submitted for school year 2016-2017, with selected comparisons to prior years. The DCV data is also used to complete federal reports required by the *Gun-Free Schools Act of 1994* (*GFSA*, Sec. 14061) and the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act* (*IDEA).*

Virginia uses incident-based reporting consistent with federal standards. The reporting process is consistent with those recommended by the National Center for Education Statistics and the National Forum on Education Statistics. Incidents range in seriousness from minor acts of misbehavior to criminal acts that result in law enforcement action. A single incident may involve more than one offender, more than one offense, and multiple disciplinary actions. An incident may also involve multiple students and result in multiple disciplinary actions. The DCV data reporting process is a self-reporting system. School division Superintendents are required to verify the accuracy of the data submitted to VDOE.

### **Understanding Incidents, Offenses, and Disciplinary Outcomes**

The DCV data is an incident-based reporting system. Incidents may involve one or more offenses, may involve one or more students, and may result in multiple disciplinary outcomes. The following are key terms used in this report:

An **incident** is an *event* that may involve one or more offenses. An incident also may involve one or more students and may result in one or more disciplinary outcomes. An incident count is not equivalent to a student count, as one student could be involved in multiple incidents throughout the school year.

An **offense** is the problem *behavior* exhibited by the student(s). Nearly 140 offense codes are available to report different behaviors. Each offense has a unique code and a specific definition.

A **disciplinary outcome** is the *sanction* imposed on a student for his/her misconduct. Types of outcomes reported are short-term suspension, long-term suspension, expulsion, modified expulsion, other sanctions, and special education interim placements. Disciplinary counts are numbers of sanctions determined by offense.

### Suspensions and Expulsions

Virginia law prescribes minimum due process procedures for the suspension and expulsion of students. Definitions based on Virginia law are as follows:

**Suspension** is a temporary denial of a student’s attendance at school. The duration of a short-term suspension is ten days or less. A long-term suspension is defined as more than ten days but less than 365 calendar days (§ 22.1-277.01, *Code of Virginia*).

**Expulsion** is the permanent denial of a student’s attendance at school. A student who is expelled by a school board is ineligible for readmission for 365 calendar days after the date of the expulsion (§ 22.1-277.01, *Code of Virginia*).

Although there are uniform requirements and procedures governing the suspension and expulsion of students. Local student conduct policies vary, these differences may affect the way offenses and disciplinary actions are applied. The *Student Conduct Policy Guidelines,* adopted by the Virginia Board of Education are available from VDOE website from “[STUDENT CONDUCT & DISCIPLINE](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/support/student_conduct/index.shtml)” webpage.

### Safe Schools Information Resource

The [Safe Schools Information Resource (SSIR)](https://p1pe.doe.virginia.gov/pti/) website is to provide user-friendly access to the discipline, crime, and violence (DCV) data that is collected yearly from all Virginia school divisions, all regional centers and programs. This website makes DCV data available for the most recent five years. Reports may be generated in various categories according to the user’s selections.

The SSIR reports are designed to provide an overview and trends over time of the information available. Each report area provides a “Big Picture” view and allows “Drilling” down in the data. There are six areas of information available via SSIR:

* Information about *Incident Frequency* in schools
* Information about *Offense Frequency* in schools
* Information about *Student Offenders*
* Information about *Repeat Offenders*
* Information about *Non-Student Offenders*
* Information about the *Disciplinary Outcomes* that result from the student offenses

Offense and Incident types reported in the SSIR are coded and grouped into offense categories. These offense categories are aligned according to severity of offense. There are nine categories:

* Weapons Related Offenses
* Offenses Against Students
* Offenses Against Staff
* Offenses Against Persons
* Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs
* Property Offenses
* Disorderly Disruptive Behavior
* Technology Offenses
* Other Offenses

### Use of DCV Data to Identify Persistently Dangerous Schools

In Virginia, a “persistently dangerous school” is one that exceeds a threshold of offense incidents over a three-year period as established by the Virginia Board of Education’s *Persistently Dangerous Schools Identification Process and Criteria* is located in “[Superintendent’s and Principals’ memos](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/administrators/index.shtml)” in year 2004, as adm051 memo.

A school that exceeds its established threshold for **three consecutive years** is designated as a “persistently dangerous school.” In year one, the school is in “caution” status and in year two the school is “on probation.” Schools must develop corrective action plans and are subject to graduated interventions.

Each state receiving funds under the federal *Every Student Succeeds Act 2015* is required to establish and implement a statewide policy requiring a student attending a persistently dangerous school be allowed to attend a safe school. In May 2002, the Virginia Board of Education’s “Unsafe School Choice Option” policy was adopted. Virginia’s “Unsafe School Choice Option” policy can be accessed on the Virginia Department of Education *Criteria* is located in “[Superintendent’s and Principals’ memos](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/administrators/index.shtml)” in year 2003, as inf086 memo.

## OVERVIEW OF ALL INCIDENTS

This report focuses on the DCV data reported for the 2016-2017 school year and includes information submitted to the VDOE by all school divisions. In the school year 2016-2017, there were 147,155 incidents reported. The incidents of defiance, classroom/campus disruption, disruptive demonstrations, obscene language/gestures, minor physical altercations, and disrespect combined accounted for 61.15 percent of all incidents in 2016-2017.

The most frequently reported incidents were defiance 20,576, classroom/campus disruption 17,746, disruptive demonstrations 16,025, minor physical altercation 14,327, using obscene inappropriate language/gestures 11,119, and disrespect/walking away 10,198.

Due to the personally identifiable nature of the information represented in this report, numbers ten (10) and less are suppressed with the use of an asterisk (\*). This includes all data including student counts, outcome counts, and incident count.

### Table 1. All incidents of Discipline, Crime, and Violence 2016-2017 Statewide totals of all incident counts broken out by offense.

| **Offenses** | **Offense Codes** | **Count** | **Percent** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Defiance of Authority/Insubordination | D2C | 20,576 | 13.98 |
| Classroom or Campus Disruption | D5C | 17,746 | 12.06 |
| Disruptive Demonstrations | D3C | 16,025 | 10.89 |
| Minor Physical Altercation | F1T | 14,327 | 9.74 |
| Using Obscene/Inappropriate Language/Gestures | D6C | 11,119 | 7.56 |
| Disrespect/Walking Away | D1C | 10,198 | 6.93 |
| Fighting: Mutual Contact--No/Minor Injuries, No Med Attn. | FA2 | 7,356 | 5.00 |
| Minor Insubordination | D8C | 4,490 | 3.05 |
| Threatening Student (physical or verbal threat or intimidation) | TI2 | 4,421 | 3.00 |
| Other School Code of Conduct Violation Not Covered in These Codes | S3V | 4,105 | 2.79 |
| Harassment | HR1 | 3,983 | 2.71 |
| Assault Against Student/No Weapon | BA4 | 2,834 | 1.93 |
| Tobacco | TB1 | 2,616 | 1.78 |
| Bullying | BU1 | 2,540 | 1.73 |
| Assault/Battery against student without injury | BA6 | 2,255 | 1.53 |
| Cellular Telephones | C2M | 2,129 | 1.45 |
| Theft Offenses (except motor vehicles) | TH1 | 2,040 | 1.39 |
| Threatening Staff Member (physical/verbal thread) | TI1 | 1,829 | 1.24 |
| Drug Possession/Use of Schedule I and II drugs | DR1 | 1,819 | 1.24 |
| Attendance | A1T | 1,498 | 1.02 |
| Offensive Sexual Touching Against Student | SX2 | 1,150 | 0.78 |
| Vandalism | VA1 | 1,124 | 0.76 |
| Assault Against Staff: No Weapon | BA2 | 1,093 | 0.74 |
| Sexual Harassment | SX0 | 829 | 0.56 |
| Drug Violations Schedule III-VI Poss./Sale/Dist./ Paraphernalia | DR5 | 739 | 0.5 |
| Alcohol | AL1 | 678 | 0.46 |
| Bringing a Knife to School/School Event (more than 3 inches) | WP5 | 667 | 0.45 |
| Bringing Razor Blades/Box Cutters/Knife less than 3 inches to School/ Event | W8P | 554 | 0.38 |
| Misrepresentation (altering notes, false information, cheating, etc.) | S2V | 494 | 0.34 |
| Inappropriate Personal Property (food/beverage, clothing, toys, etc.) | S1V | 492 | 0.33 |
| Possession of Other Weapon (instrument/object to inflict harm) | WP9 | 457 | 0.31 |
| Unauthorized Use of Technology and/or Information | T1C | 454 | 0.31 |
| Tobacco Paraphernalia to school events | T4B | 380 | 0.26 |
| Sexual Offenses Without Force | SX7 | 352 | 0.24 |
| Electronic cigarette (possession, use, sale, distribution) | TB2 | 341 | 0.23 |
| Violations of Acceptable Usage Policy | T3C | 260 | 0.18 |
| Cyber Bullying | BU2 | 264 | 0.18 |
| Possession of Obscene/Disruptive Literature/Illustrations | D4C | 261 | 0.18 |
| Bomb Threat | BB1 | 231 | 0.16 |
| Bringing a Toy/Look-Alike Gun to School/School Event | W3P | 203 | 0.14 |
| Drug Violations Schedule I and II Anabolic Steroid, Marijuana--Sale/Dist. | DR4 | 188 | 0.13 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Possession | D5G | 182 | 0.12 |
| Electronic Devices (radios, tape players, etc.) | C3M | 156 | 0.11 |
| Trespassing | TR1 | 155 | 0.11 |
| Possession of a BB gun | WP0 | 148 | 0.1 |
| Gang Activity | GA1 | 116 | 0.08 |
| Drug violation-- look a-like--use/poss. | DR2 | 103 | 0.07 |
| Inciting a Riot | RT1 | 108 | 0.07 |
| Violations of Internet Policy | T4C | 105 | 0.07 |
| Bringing Fireworks/Explosives to School/School Event | W9P | 105 | 0.07 |
| Arson | AR1 | 84 | 0.06 |
| Bringing Ammunition to School or School Event | W1P | 70 | 0.05 |
| Possession of Weapons/Chemical Substance | W2P | 75 | 0.05 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Use | D4G | 66 | 0.04 |
| Offensive Sexual Touching Against Staff | SX1 | 66 | 0.04 |
| Causing/Attempting to Cause Damage to Computer Hardware, Software or Files | T2C | 61 | 0.04 |
| Malicious Wounding without a weapon | BA5 | 37 | 0.03 |
| Assault Against Student--Firearm or Other Weapon | BA3 | 51 | 0.03 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Sale/Distribution | D6G | 39 | 0.03 |
| Theft or Attempted Theft of Student Prescription Medication | DR3 | 29 | 0.02 |
| Bringing a Handgun to School/School Event | WP1 | 25 | 0.02 |
| Sexual Battery against Student | SB2 | 34 | 0.02 |
| Possession of Taser | WT1 | 34 | 0.02 |
| Robbery | RO1 | 17 | 0.01 |
| Gambling | G1B | 20 | 0.01 |
| Extortion | EX1 | 15 | 0.01 |
| Use of Inhalants | D16 | 15 | 0.01 |
| Possession of Inhalants | D15 | 20 | 0.01 |
| Breaking and Entering/Burglary | BR1 | 17 | 0.01 |
| Possession of Stun Gun | WS1 | 16 | 0.01 |
| Possession or Representation of Any Destructive Bomb Device | WP6 | 11 | 0.01 |
| Bringing Other Weapon, Designed/May Be Converted to Expel | WP4 | 13 | 0.01 |

### Chart 1. The top fifteen offense codes represent 85 percent of all incidents that occurred for 2016-2017

### Table 2. Comparison of Incidents in 2016-2017 with 2015-2016. Comparison of the most frequently reported incidents reported in 2016-2017 with incidents reported in 2015-2016.

| **Offenses** | **Offense Codes** | **2015-2016 Count** | **2015-2016 Percent of all Incidents** | **2016-2017 Count** | **2016-2017 Percent of all Incidents** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Defiance of Authority/Insubordination | D2C | 21,838 | 14.59 | 20,576 | 13.98 |
| Classroom or Campus Disruption | D5C | 17,153 | 11.46 | 17,746 | 12.06 |
| Disruptive Demonstrations | D3C | 17,081 | 11.41 | 16,025 | 10.89 |
| Minor Physical Altercation | F1T | 13,854 | 9.25 | 14,327 | 9.74 |
| Using Obscene/Inappropriate Language/Gestures | D6C | 11,644 | 7.78 | 11,119 | 7.56 |
| Disrespect/Walking Away | D1C | 10,627 | 7.1 | 10,198 | 6.93 |
| Fighting: Mutual Contact--No/Minor Injuries, No Med Attn. | FA2 | 7,082 | 4.73 | 7,356 | 5.00 |
| Minor Insubordination | D8C | 4,870 | 3.25 | 4,490 | 3.05 |
| Threatening Student (physical or verbal threat or intimidation) | TI2 | 4,220 | 2.82 | 4,421 | 3.00 |
| Other School Code of Conduct Violation Not Covered in These Codes | S3V | 4,133 | 2.76 | 4,105 | 2.79 |
| Harassment | HR1 | 3,695 | 2.47 | 3,983 | 2.71 |
| Assault Against Student/No Weapon | BA4 | 2,897 | 1.94 | 2,834 | 1.93 |
| Tobacco | TB1 | 3,146 | 2.1 | 2,616 | 1.78 |
| Bullying | BU1 | 2,694 | 1.8 | 2,540 | 1.73 |
| Assault/Battery against student without injury | BA6 | 1,153 | 0.77 | 2,255 | 1.53 |
| Cellular Telephones | C2M | 2,780 | 1.86 | 2,129 | 1.45 |
| Theft Offenses (except motor vehicles) | TH1 | 2,357 | 1.57 | 2,040 | 1.39 |
| Threatening Staff Member (physical/verbal thread) | TI1 | 1,782 | 1.19 | 1,829 | 1.24 |
| Drug Possession/Use of Schedule I and II drugs | DR1 | 1,860 | 1.24 | 1,819 | 1.24 |
| Attendance | A1T | 1,714 | 1.14 | 1,498 | 1.02 |
| Offensive Sexual Touching Against Student | SX2 | 1,008 | 0.67 | 1,150 | 0.78 |
| Vandalism | VA1 | 950 | 0.63 | 1,124 | 0.76 |
| Assault Against Staff: No Weapon | BA2 | 1063 | 0.71 | 1,093 | 0.74 |
| Sexual Harassment | SX0 | 773 | 0.52 | 829 | 0.56 |
| Drug Violations Schedule III-VI Poss./Sale/Dist./ Paraphernalia | DR5 | 740 | 0.49 | 739 | 0.5 |
| Alcohol | AL1 | 740 | 0.49 | 678 | 0.46 |
| Bringing a Knife to School/School Event (more than 3 inches) | WP5 | 684 | 0.46 | 667 | 0.45 |
| Bringing Razor Blades/Box Cutters/Knife less than 3 inches to School/ Event | W8P | 479 | 0.32 | 554 | 0.38 |
| Misrepresentation (altering notes, false information, cheating, etc.) | S2V | 655 | 0.44 | 494 | 0.34 |
| Inappropriate Personal Property (food/beverage, clothing, toys, etc.) | S1V | 639 | 0.43 | 492 | 0.33 |
| Possession of Other Weapon (instrument/object to inflict harm) | WP9 | 385 | 0.26 | 457 | 0.31 |
| Unauthorized Use of Technology and/or Information | T1C | 326 | 0.22 | 454 | 0.31 |
| Tobacco Paraphernalia to school events | T4B | 506 | 0.34 | 380 | 0.26 |
| Sexual Offenses Without Force | SX7 | 285 | 0.19 | 352 | 0.24 |
| Electronic cigarette (possession, use, sale, distribution) | TB2 | 352 | 0.24 | 341 | 0.23 |
| Cyber Bullying | BU2 | 199 | 0.13 | 264 | 0.18 |
| Possession of Obscene/Disruptive Literature/Illustrations | D4C | 265 | 0.18 | 261 | 0.18 |
| Violations of Acceptable Usage Policy | T3C | 242 | 0.16 | 260 | 0.18 |
| Bomb Threat | BB1 | 205 | 0.14 | 231 | 0.16 |
| Bringing a Toy/Look-Alike Gun to School/School Event | W3P | 201 | 0.13 | 203 | 0.14 |
| Drug Violations Schedule I and II Anabolic Steroid, Marijuana--Sale/Dist. | DR4 | 219 | 0.15 | 188 | 0.13 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Possession | D5G | 171 | 0.11 | 182 | 0.12 |
| Electronic Devices (radios, tape players, etc.) | C3M | 187 | 0.12 | 156 | 0.11 |
| Trespassing | TR1 | 173 | 0.12 | 155 | 0.11 |
| Possession of a BB gun | WP0 | 120 | 0.08 | 148 | 0.1 |
| Gang Activity | GA1 | 115 | 0.08 | 116 | 0.08 |
| Inciting a Riot | RT1 | 346 | 0.23 | 108 | 0.07 |
| Bringing Fireworks/Explosives to School/School Event | W9P | 105 | 0.07 | 105 | 0.07 |
| Violations of Internet Policy | T4C | 86 | 0.06 | 105 | 0.07 |
| Drug violation-- look a-like--use/poss. | DR2 | 110 | 0.07 | 103 | 0.07 |
| Arson | AR1 | 73 | 0.05 | 84 | 0.06 |
| Possession of Weapons/Chemical Substance | W2P | 38 | 0.03 | 75 | 0.05 |
| Bringing Ammunition to School or School Event | W1P | 64 | 0.04 | 70 | 0.05 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Use | D4G | 72 | 0.05 | 66 | 0.04 |
| Offensive Sexual Touching Against Staff | SX1 | 53 | 0.04 | 66 | 0.04 |
| Causing/Attempting to Cause Damage to Computer Hardware, Software or Files | T2C | 45 | 0.03 | 61 | 0.04 |
| Assault Against Student--Firearm or Other Weapon | BA3 | 48 | 0.03 | 51 | 0.03 |
| Over-the-Counter Medication Sale/Distribution | D6G | 58 | 0.04 | 39 | 0.03 |
| Malicious Wounding without a weapon | BA5 | 53 | 0.04 | 37 | 0.03 |
| Possession of Taser | WT1 | 40 | 0.03 | 34 | 0.02 |
| Sexual Battery against Student | SB2 | 34 | 0.02 | 34 | 0.02 |
| Theft or Attempted Theft of Student Prescription Medication | DR3 | 26 | 0.02 | 29 | 0.02 |
| Bringing a Handgun to School/School Event | WP1 | 18 | 0.01 | 25 | 0.02 |
| Gambling | G1B | 30 | 0.02 | 20 | 0.01 |
| Possession of Inhalants | D15 | 23 | 0.02 | 20 | 0.01 |
| Robbery | RO1 | 13 | 0.01 | 17 | 0.01 |
| Possession of Stun Gun | WS1 | 11 | 0.01 | 16 | 0.01 |
| Extortion | EX1 | 14 | 0.01 | 15 | 0.01 |
| Use of Inhalants | D16 | 13 | 0.01 | 15 | 0.01 |

### Chart 2. Top fifteen offenses codes, percent comparison from 2015-2016 to 2016-2017.

### Table 3. Disciplinary Outcome and Comparison between 2015-2016 and 2016-2017

| **Type** | **2015-2016 Count** | **2015-2016 Percentage** | **2016-2017 Count** | **2016-2017 Percentage** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Short-term suspension (out of school) | 151876 | 89.91 | 148678 | 89.23 |
| None | 9450 | 5.59 | 7456 | 4.47 |
| In-school suspension | 1269 | 0.75 | 4449 | 2.67 |
| Long-term suspension (out-of-school) | 4389 | 2.6 | 4187 | 2.51 |
| Modified expulsion to suspension | 1521 | 0.9 | 1532 | 0.92 |
| Expulsion | 381 | 0.23 | 302 | 0.18 |
| Special education interim placement-lea | 29 | 0.02 | 23 | 0.01 |
| **Total** | **168,915** | **100.00** | **166,627** | **99.99** |

**Overall Discipline Outcomes**

Disciplinary outcomes reported for all incidents in 2016-2017 totaled 166,627 a decrease of 2,288 compared with the 168,915 reported in 2015-2016. The majority of disciplinary actions involved short-term suspensions 148,678 (89.23%).

Most of the 148,678 short-term suspensions in 2016-2017 resulted from the twelve most frequently reported offenses. A majority of the offenses involved behavioral disruptions. The most frequently reported offenses resulting in short-term suspensions are in Table 4. The fifteen most frequently reported offenses that resulted in long-term suspensions are shown in Table 5 and the nineteen most frequently reported offenses that resulted in expulsions are shown in Table 6.

### Chart 3. Percent of discipline outcome comparisons

### Table 4. Most Frequently Reported Offenses Resulting in Short-Term Suspensions, 2016-2017

| **Offenses** | **Offense Codes** | **Counts** | **Percent of all 148,678 Short-Term Suspensions** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Defiance of Authority/Insubordination | D2C | 21153 | 14.23 |
| Classroom or Campus Disruption | D5C | 18806 | 12.65 |
| Minor Physical Altercation | F1T | 17158 | 11.54 |
| Disruptive Demonstrations | D3C | 16591 | 11.16 |
| Fighting: Mutual Contact--No/Minor Injuries, No Med Attention | FA2 | 13029 | 8.76 |
| Using Obscene/Inappropriate Language/Gestures | D6C | 11540 | 7.76 |
| Disrespect/Walking Away | D1C | 10360 | 6.97 |
| Minor Insubordination | D8C | 4780 | 3.22 |
| Other School Code of Conduct Violation Not Covered in These Codes | S3V | 4247 | 2.86 |
| Threatening Student (physical or verbal threat or intimidation) | TI2 | 2793 | 1.88 |
| Assault Against Student/No Weapon | BA4 | 2210 | 1.49 |
| Theft Offenses (except motor vehicles) | TH1 | 2173 | 1.46 |

### Chart 4. The twelve most frequently reported offenses that resulted in short-term suspensions make up 84 percent of all short-term suspensions.

### Table 5. Most Frequently Reported Offenses Resulting in Long-Term Suspensions, 2016-2017

| **Offenses** | **Offense Codes** | **Counts** | **Percent of all 4,187 Long-Term Suspensions** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Assault Against Student/No Weapon | BA4 | 424 | 10.13 |
| Disruptive Demonstrations | D3C | 402 | 9.6 |
| Defiance of Authority/Insubordination | D2C | 247 | 5.9 |
| Threatening Staff Member (physical/verbal threat) | TI1 | 243 | 5.8 |
| Threatening Student (physical or verbal threat or intimidation) | TI2 | 217 | 5.18 |
| Classroom or Campus Disruption | D5C | 198 | 4.73 |
| Other School Code of Conduct Violation Not Covered in These Codes | S3V | 179 | 4.28 |
| Fighting: Mutual Contact--No/Minor Injuries, No Med Attention | FA2 | 177 | 4.23 |
| Assault Against Staff: No Weapon | BA2 | 172 | 4.11 |
| Drug Possession/Use of Schedule I and II drugs | DR1 | 151 | 3.61 |
| Bringing a Knife to School/School Event (more than 3 inches) | WP5 | 150 | 3.58 |
| Using Obscene/Inappropriate Language/Gestures | D6C | 101 | 2.41 |
| Disrespect/Walking Away | D1C | 99 | 2.36 |
| Drug Violations Schedule III-VI Poss./Sale/Dist./ Paraphernalia | DR5 | 98 | 2.34 |

### Chart 5. Fifteen most frequently reported offenses that resulted in long-term suspensions.

### Table 6. Most Frequently Reported Offenses Resulting in Expulsions 2016-2017

| **Offenses** | **Offense Codes** | **Counts** | **Percent of all 302 Expulsions** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Drug Possession/Use of Schedule I and II drugs | DR1 | 37 | 12.25 |
| Drug Violations Schedule III-VI Poss./Sale/Dist./ Paraphernalia | DR5 | 27 | 8.94 |
| Assault Against Staff: No Weapon | BA2 | 23 | 7.62 |
| Threatening Staff Member (physical/verbal threat) | TI1 | 23 | 7.62 |
| Drug Violations Schedule I and II Anabolic Steroid, Marijuana--Sale/Dist. | DR4 | 17 | 5.63 |
| Threatening Student (physical or verbal threat or intimidation) | TI2 | 17 | 5.63 |
| Bringing a Handgun to School/School Event | WP1 | 15 | 4.97 |
| Possession of a BB gun | WP0 | 12 | 3.97 |
| Arson | AR1 | \* | \* |
| Assault Against Student/No Weapon | BA4 | \* | \* |
| Classroom or Campus Disruption | D5C | \* | \* |
| Bringing a Knife to School/School Event (more than 3 inches) | WP5 | \* | \* |
| Vandalism | VA1 | \* | \* |
| Defiance of Authority/Insubordination | D2C | \* | \* |
| Alcohol | AL1 | \* | \* |
| Bomb Threat | BB1 | \* | \* |
| Disruptive Demonstrations | D3C | \* | \* |
| Extortion | EX1 | \* | \* |
| Offensive Sexual Touching Against Student | SX2 | \* | \* |

### Chart 6. Nineteen most frequently reported offenses that resulted in expulsions, make up 81percent of all expulsion.