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*NOTE: We have provided this policy and accompanying regulation to expand upon the Board's current Policy 3140 (Flag Display).*

*Education Law requires the Board to adopt rules and regulations for the custody, care, and display of the flag. Additionally, under Executive Law, the Board has the authority to establish further rules regarding when the flag may be flown at half-mast. This policy and regulation are intended to fulfill those requirements and provide clear guidance on when the flag may be flown at half-mast.*

The Board of Education believes that the flag of the United States is a symbol of the values of our nation, the ideals embedded in our Constitution and the spirit that should animate our district.

The district shall purchase a United States flag, flag staff and the necessary appliances for its display upon or near every school building. There shall be a flag on display in every assembly room of every school.

Consistent with national and state law and regulations and this policy, the Superintendent of Schools shall develop rules and regulations for the proper custody, care and display of the flag.

Ref:

4 U.S.C. §§5-9 (display of the flag)

Education Law §§418; 419; 420 (requirement for the school to purchase, display and develop rules and regulations for the care and custody of the flag)

Executive Law §§400-403 (rules for display of the flag)

8 NYCRR Part 108 (flag regulations)

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