

# INTERMEDIATE UNIT 1

TITLE: FAYETTE ALTERNATIVE  
SCHOOL

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132. FAYETTE ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL	
1. Purpose	A consortium of six (6) Fayette County school districts: Albert Gallatin Area, Brownsville Area, Connellsville Area, Laurel Highlands, Uniontown Area, and IU 1 established the Fayette Alternative School. The school serves students in grades 7-12. The alternative school curriculum is designed to address the academic needs of students, social skills training and character development.
2. Authority SC 1901-C, 1902-C, 1902-E	The Board adopts this policy to fulfill the requirements for applying for and using state funds to operate an alternative education program.
3. Definition SC 1901-C	<b>Disruptive student</b> – a student who poses a clear threat to the safety and welfare of other students or school staff or creates an unsafe school environment, whose behavior materially interferes with the learning of other students, disrupts the overall educational process, or exhibits to a marked degree the conditions specified in law.
4. Delegation of Responsibility	The Executive Director or designee shall be responsible to develop and disseminate administrative guidelines to implement this policy, which shall include:
SC 1902-C, 1902-E	1. Statement of criteria used to identify students eligible for placement in an alternative education program.
SC 1901-C, 1902-E	2. Process to ensure compliance with required informal hearing procedures when placing a student in an alternative education program.
SC 1901-C	3. Periodic review to determine if students placed in an alternative education program are ready to return to the regular school curriculum.