District Policy Prohibiting Discrimination

Transgender students the Rochester City School District will remain protected regardless of the new directive by the Trump administration pertaining to access to restrooms and locker rooms. The Rochester City School District will continue to follow New York State law and our consistent District policy that protects all District students.

The Rochester City School District does not discriminate on the basis of an individual's actual or perceived race, color, religion, creed, ethnicity, national origin, citizenship status, age, marital status, partnership status, disability, predisposing genetic characteristics, sexual orientation, gender (sex), military status, veteran status, domestic violence victim status or political affiliation, and additionally does not discriminate against students on the basis of weight, gender identity, gender expression, and religious practices or any other basis prohibited by New York State and/or federal non-discrimination laws in employment or its programs and activities. The District provides equal access to community and youth organizations.

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Attorney General Schneiderman and State Education Commissioner Elia Issue Reminder That New York State Protects Transgender Students