

Resolution Agreement
Prince George's County Public Schools
OCR Docket Number 03151200

In order to resolve the allegations in the above-referenced complaint filed with the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR), under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (Title IX), 20 U.S.C. § 1681 et seq., and its implementing regulation, 34 C.F.R. Part 106, the Prince George's County Public Schools (the District) commits to implement the provisions set forth in this Resolution Agreement (Agreement).

xxx – paragraph redacted – xxx

The District agrees to take all reasonable steps to ensure that students enrolled in the District are not subject to sexual harassment. To this end, the District will promptly investigate all incidents of sexual harassment of students that are known or reasonably should be known to the District. The District will take prompt and effective responsive action reasonably designed to end the harassment, prevent its recurrence and take steps to remedy the effects of the harassment on the victim and the larger school community.

ACTION STEPS

1. xxx – paragraph redacted – xxx

The District understands that OCR will not close the monitoring of this agreement until OCR determines that the District has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement and is in compliance with the regulations implementing Title IX, at 34 C.F.R. § 106.31, which were at issue in this complaint.

The District understands that by signing this Agreement, it agrees to shall provide data and other information in a timely manner in accordance with the reporting requirements of this Agreement. Further, the District understands that during the monitoring of this Agreement, OCR may visit the District, interview staff, and students and request such additional reports or data as are necessary for OCR to determine whether the District has complied with the terms of this Agreement and is in compliance with the regulations implementing Title IX, at 34 C.F.R. § 106.31, which were at issue in this complaint.

The District understands and acknowledges that OCR may initiate administrative enforcement or judicial proceedings to enforce the specific terms and obligations of this Agreement. Before initiating administrative enforcement (34 C.F.R. §§ 100.9, 100.10), or judicial proceedings to enforce this Agreement, OCR shall give the District written notice of the alleged breach and sixty (60) calendar days to cure the alleged breach.

/s/

19 Sept. 16

Superintendent/Designee
Prince George's County Public Schools

Date