

**Dubuque Community Schools
Safe and Drug Free Schools 2008-09 Goals
(includes progress toward goals)**

Goals

Goal 1: By 2011, decrease by 5% the number of grade 6 students that report they have been called names, made fun of, or teased in hurtful ways.

Goal 2: By 2011, decrease by 5% the number of grade 8 students that report they have been called names, made fun of, or teased in hurtful ways.

Goal 3: By 2011, decrease by 5% the number of grade 11 students that report they have been called names, made fun of, or teased in hurtful ways.

Goal 4: By 2011, decrease by 5% the number of district-wide suspensions

Goal 5: By 2011, decrease the number of district-wide bullying and harassment incidents by 5%.

Goal 6: By 2011, decrease the number of middle and high school referrals to the Substance Abuse Services Center by 5%

Goal 7: By 2011, increase the number of schools using peer conflict mediation and increase the number of students trained in the process.

Progress to Goals

Goals 1-3 will not have progress reported until we get the results of the 2008 Iowa Youth Survey.

Goal 4: During the 2006-07 school year, district-wide we had 1256 suspensions. During the 2007-08 school year, we reported 1278 suspensions. This is an increase of 2%.

Goal 5: During the 2006-07 school year, we reported 302 bullying and harassment incidents. During the 2007-08 school year we reported 217 incidents. This is a decrease of 28%.

Goal 6: During the 2006-07 school year, a total of 277 students were referred to the Substance Abuse Services Center by our middle and high schools.

Goal 7: During the 2007-08 school year, four elementary schools used peer conflict mediation. 125 students were trained as mediators and 311 mediations took place.

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