

# DANBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Danbury, Connecticut

## POLICY

### *STUDENT GOVERNMENT*

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The purpose of the student government, through representation of the student body, will be to enable pupils to:

1. Participate in or manage activities and affairs
2. Develop student responsibility, initiative, leadership and school pride
3. Promote the welfare of the school through proper student-faculty relationships
4. Promote citizenship training
5. Promote general welfare
6. Provide a channel for pupil expression in the internal administration of the school

The school staff shall assist the student government in implementing their constitution, charter or compact whereby students shall have designated duties, powers and authority limited only by the general policies of the Board and due process. The school staff shall assist in the effort to secure representation that reflects the racial/ethnic composition of the student body.