## POLICY 4271 EMPLOYEE COMPLAINT (GRIEVANCE)

Employees shall use the following procedure for resolving disputes regarding employee termination, employee discipline or workplace safety issues.

## 1. Definitions.

- a. "Days" as used in this policy is defined as any day that the district is open.
- b. "Employee Termination" as used in this policy section, shall <u>not</u> include the following:

Layoffs;

Workforce reduction activities;

Voluntary termination including, without limitation, quitting or resignation;

Job abandonment;

End of employment due to disability, lack of qualification or licensure or other inability to perform job duties;

Retirement; or

Any other cessation of employment not involving involuntary termination.

c. "Employee discipline" as used in this policy shall include any employment action that results in disciplinary action, which typically involves any four (4) steps: verbal