

**S SEMINOLE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PRESCHOOL**

**LAKE BRANTLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

**DISCIPLINE POLICY**

The purpose of discipline at \_\_\_\_\_ is to help the preschoolers develop self-discipline (to control their own actions and make their own choices) while building self-esteem.

The forms of discipline used are:

- **Discussion** - The discussion will consist of why the child behaved as he/she did, what was acceptable or unacceptable behavior, the circumstances under which the behavior may be acceptable, and a better way of handling the situation if it should occur again. If applicable, the child will be asked to remedy the results of his/her behavior such as picking up something that was knocked over.
- **Natural consequences** – Often it is punishment enough for children to suffer the consequences or natural results of their own behavior.
- **Removal of privileges** – This is when a toy is removed from the child or the child is removed from an activity.
- **Ignoring misbehavior** – Sometimes children want attention and will misbehave. When possible, the child will be ignored.
- **Time-out** – The child will be placed in a specific area where there is to be no interaction with people, toys, or equipment for a short time until her/she is ready to return to an activity without being disruptive. This form is usually used when a child is hurting someone or something.

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Parent Signature

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Date