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6	During the recitation of the Pledge, students shall stand and recite the Pledge while facing the flag	
7 8	with their rig	the hands over their hearts or in an appropriate salute if in uniform.
9	No school of	ficial shall compel a student to recite the Pledge if the student or the student's paren
10	or legal guardian objects on religious, philosophical, or other grounds to participating in this	
11	exercise.	
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13	Students who object to reciting the Pledge shall quietly stand or sit while others recite the Pledge	
14 15	and shall mal	ke no display that disrupts or distracts those who are reciting the Pledge.
16	Appropriate accommodations are made for students who are unable to comply with the procedur	
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23	Legal Refs:	Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended § 22.1-202
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## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance, as established in 4 U.S.C. § 4, shall be\_is\_recited daily prior to or following the Moment Minute of Silence in each classroom of the Alexandria City Public Schools.

During the recitation of the Pledge, students shall stand and recite the Pledge while facing the flag with their right hands over their hearts or in an appropriate salute if in uniform.

No school official shall compel a student to recite the Pledge if he/she\_the student or his/her\_the student's parent or legal guardian objects on religious, philosophical, or other grounds to participating in this exercise.

Students who object to<mark>are exempt from</mark> reciting the Pledge shall quietly stand or sit at their desks while others recite the Pledge and shall make no display that disrupts or distracts those who are reciting the Pledge.

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