**0115-E STUDENT HARASSMENT AND/OR BULLYING COMPLAINT FORM**

The purpose of this form is to inform the district of an incident or series of incidents of bullying or harassment so we can investigate and take appropriate steps. The district prohibits bullying and harassment of students on the basis of actual or perceived race (including traits historically associated with race, including, but not limited to, hair texture and protective hairstyles such as but not limited to braids, locks, and twists), color, weight, national origin, ethnic group, religion, religious practice, disability, sex, sexual orientation, and gender identity or gender expression.

If the student feels unsafe at school, fill out this form, but we urge you to speak directly with your principal by either visiting their office or calling as soon as possible so we can address your concerns.

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| Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Contact information: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

1. List the name(s) of the individual(s) accused of bullying and/or harassment (use additional sheets if necessary).

2. Describe the incident(s). Please include when and where it happened. Please use additional sheets of paper if necessary and attach any relevant documents or evidence.

3. I believe the harassment is based on my (check all that apply):

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| \_\_\_race | \_\_\_ethnic group | \_\_\_sex |
| \_\_\_color | \_\_\_religion | \_\_\_sexual orientation |
| \_\_\_weight | \_\_\_religious practice | \_\_\_gender identity or expression |
| \_\_\_national origin | \_\_\_disability | \_\_\_other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

4. Is the harassment continuing? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

5. Please list the name (if known) of anyone who witnessed the incident or may have information related to your complaint.

The following question is optional, but may help the district's investigation.

6. Have you previously complained about or provided information (verbal or written) about bullying, harassment or discrimination or related incidents to the district? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

If yes, when and to whom did you complain or provide information?

7. If you have retained legal counsel and would like us to work with them, please provide their contact information.

I certify that all statements on this form are accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Name                                                                          Relationship to student

Signature                                                                    Date

Preferred contact method (please select one): phone, email, mail, in person

Please attach any supporting documentation (i.e., copies of emails, notes, photos, etc.). Return this form to: Your Building Principal or DAC

Note on confidentiality:

In order to investigate the complaint, the district will disclose the content of the complaint only to those persons who have a need to know. This form will not be shown to the accused student(s)/staff.

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**Dobbs Ferry Union Free School District**