Mission: To ignite the passion within all students to reach their greatest potential through a nurturing and innovative learning environment. Vision: All students experience positive education, career, and life outcomes.

Samueli Academy Charter School
Appeal Policy

- The Board of Trustees, as governing entity of Samueli Academy, will hear appeals of administrative decisions made by Samueli Academy staff. These appeals will be held during closed session of regularly scheduled monthly Board of Trustees meetings.

- All appeal requests must be made using established Appeal Procedures by law.

- Requests should be written in detail and include all relevant information the Board should consider.

- The appeal will be heard in closed session as outlined by the Brown Act. Samueli Academy staff will have 5 minutes to make their presentation. The parent/student will have 5 minutes to respond and add additional information. Board members may then ask questions of either party.

- The Board of Trustees will meet in a closed session to render their decision, unless otherwise indicated, the Board will render a decision within 72 hours of the hearing.

- If the student has been expelled or his/her inter-district transfer has been revoked, the student should enroll in his/her home school district during the appeal process.

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