

Protection of children's rights, prevention of the antisocial behavior and punishment in the education system of the Russian Federation

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The Federal Law of July 21, 2007

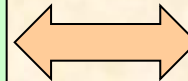
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- Established that all three levels of general education are obligatory.
- The requirement of compulsory general education remains valid until the age of 18 (previously - 15) if the required education has not been received earlier.
- A requirement of coordination of expulsion of students who have not yet completed compulsory education with the commission on minors and protection of their rights.

Interaction of the Ministry with the federal bodies of executive power in the organization of preventive work in the sphere of education

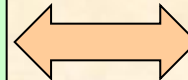
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The organization of vacation, recreation, leisure time, employment of minors and young people, their involvement in physical activities and sports



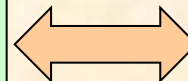
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Detection, reporting, organization of comprehensive care to minors and young people with antisocial behavior in educational and recreational institutions



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Preventing and combating crimes in educational institutions, places of leisure



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Promoting healthy lifestyle, protection of children and young people from information that is harmful to their health, moral and spiritual development



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Activities within the frames of departmental target program of development of upbringing in the education system

- Organization of socially meaningful leisure activities and employment as preventive measures to prevent anti-social manifestations in children and youth environment
- Creating conditions for activities of children's and youth organizations
- Development of infrastructure for ensuring employment and leisure activities for children
- Scientific-methodological, organizational, informational and personnel support for training, retraining and advanced training of teachers and pedagogical staff in the education system
- Organization of a national competition for organizers of the educational process in educational institutions of all types that provide the improvement of professional skills of teachers, encouragement of their activities

Institutions of additional education for children by type of educational activity

Type of institution	Number of institutions	Number of children (in thousand)
Centres for Children`s Art	4208	5368,0
Child and youth clubs	1007	590,1
Centers for young travelers, young technicians, young naturalists	841	590,4
Children`s parks	29	17,3
Children's art schools, studios, museums	2589	1693,4
Recreational and educational camps	193	47,5
Totally	8867	8306,7

Article 32 of the Law of the Russian Federation “On Education”:

An educational institution is in accordance with the laws of the Russian Federation responsible for:

- life and health of pupils, students and employees of an educational institution during the educational process;
- violation of rights and freedoms of pupils, students and employees of an educational institution.

Article 15 of the Law of the Russian Federation “On Education”:

- Discipline in an educational institution is supported by respect for human dignity of students

Article 8.1 of the Federal Law “On the basics of prevention of child neglect and juvenile delinquency”:

- The use of physical or mental violence against students are not allowed

Article 56 of the Law of the Russian Federation “On Education”:

- One of the reasons for dismissing a member of teaching staff of an educational institution on the initiative of the administration of the institution prior to the expiration of the employment contract is use, also a one-time, educational practices that include physical and (or) mental violence against the student
- Dismissal on this ground can be carried out without the consent of the administration of the trade union

Article 9 of the Federal Law “On Basic Guarantees of the Rights of the Child in the Russian Federation”

- Students of educational institutions may personally or through their elected representatives apply to the administration of these institutions to conduct a disciplinary investigation of employees of educational institutions that violate and infringe the rights of the child involving the elected representatives of the students
- If students disagree with the administration on this question, they are entitled through elected representatives to ask for advice and assistance from public authorities

Form of federal statistical observation # 103-RIC

Takes into account information on:

- the number of children affected by abuse in substitute families
- the incidence of withdrawal of decisions on the transfer of children in substitute family because of child abuse
- the number of cases of child abuse discovered by guardianship authorities
- the number of lawsuits brought against the court or provided opinions on the protection of children against cruelty

Psychological and educational institutions for support and rehabilitation of children and youth

Type of institutions	2010
• Regional and municipal psychological, medical and pedagogical commissions	1400
• Centers of psycho-pedagogical and medico-social assistance	700
• Rehabilitation centers for juvenile abusers of psychoactive substances	24

Special educational institutions

Institutions / years		2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
1	Special educational institutions of the closed type	60	60	61	61	61
2	Special educational institutions of the open type	33	33	33	33	33

Pupils of special educational institutions

	2010	
	Number	%
Total number of students	2 950	100
of them females	321	11
of them orphans	532	18
of them in the age of 11 - 14	1 014	34
of them older than 14	1 936	66

The reasons for placing minors in special educational institutions

Illegal actions	%
Theft	58,7
Hooliganism	3,7
Robbery	7,0
Extortion	2,0
Murder	0,5
Banditry	1,0
Intentional infliction of severe or moderate injury to health	3,7
Deliberate destruction or damage to property	3,0
Misappropriation of the vehicle without theft	4,8
Rape	0,2
Sexual assault	6,4
Indecent assault	0,1
Drug-related crimes	0,3
Other types of socially dangerous acts	8,6

Federal Law of December 28, 2010 № 427-FZ

- determines the order of a medical examination of children to address the issue of the possibility of placing them in a special educational institution of the closed type
- introduces a mechanism for reviewing length of the stay in the institution, or inappropriate early termination of the stay by the court
- required regular review of petitions by the court on whether early termination of stay in an institution or a minor extension of the rehabilitation is appropriate
- list of materials sent to the court, supplemented by the conclusion of psycho-medical-pedagogical commission on the results of complex examination of a minor
- secures the possibility of establishing correction classes (groups) for children with mental problems
- eliminates inconsistencies in existing legislation regarding the definition of categories of juveniles who may be placed in a special institution

Federal Target Programme for the Development of Education

- development of educational programs and methodological kits for vocational training of adolescents with behavioral problems in professions demanded at the labor market
- development, testing and implementation of training programs for the management and teaching staff
- development of methodological guidelines for the implementation of technologies for prevention of deviant behavior and rehabilitation of young people staying in special educational institutions of the closed type