

Quick Reference Chart Governors Discipline Committee Responsibility Fixed Period Exclusion

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No. of Days (or an aggregate in one term)	Governors Discipline Committee (GDC) Responsibility
Lunchtime	<p>NB - Lunchtime exclusion is a fixed period exclusion (equivalent to one half school day).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rights of representation and expectations for GDC to meet will be the same as those stated below. Obviously, the category (below) into which they will fall, will be dependent upon the number of days the lunchtime exclusion adds up to!
1 – 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No obligation for GDC to meet, unless the parents choose to make representations. There is no guidance given regarding restrictions for when they should meet. No power of reinstatement.
6 - 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No obligation for GDC to meet, unless the parents choose to make representations If required, the GDC should meet between the 6th and 50th school day after the date the Governing Body was informed of the exclusion by the head teacher. GDC have power of reinstatement
16+	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GDC should meet between the 6th & 15th school day after the date the Governing Body was informed of the exclusion by the head teacher. GDC have power of reinstatement
where a public examination will be missed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GDC should try to meet before the date of the examination. If, exceptionally the chair of the Committee does not consider it practical for the committee to meet before the time when the pupil is due to take the public



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	<p>examination, he/she alone may consider the exclusion and decide whether or not to reinstate the pupil (these are the only circumstances in which a chair can sit alone to review an exclusion).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• GDC have power of reinstatement
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