

**Tammy Handy**  
**Suspension – 3 Months, Retroactive**

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**The Background:**

*Facts:* Educator was suspended for three (3) days by Cheatham County Schools for breaching test security by answering student questions during a state assessment on May 8, 2018. Educator told one student another name for a bison when asked and told another student how to pronounce the name of a plant when asked. Students' test scores were nullified.

*Status:* Respondent was notified by certified mail, return receipt requested, of the Board's intent to suspend her educator license based upon these findings. Respondent received said notice.

**The Recommendation:**

Respondent's conduct constitutes grounds for license suspension pursuant to Board Rule 0520-02-03-.09 (3)(g), (3)(h), and (5)(a)(4)(ii).

The Board staff recommends that the Board approve the signed Consent Order submitted by the Respondent for the suspension of her license.