

EXPECTATIONS FOR STUDENT CONDUCT

Progressive disciplinary action is applied in most situations. However, behaviors violating Ed Code 48900 such as fighting, stealing, defiance, profanity, vandalism, possession of dangerous objects or illegal items etc. will have serious consequences on the first offense. Every student has the right to attend school, and each student has a responsibility to follow the rules, be a good citizen and contribute to a safe and orderly learning environment for all.

BASIC SCHOOL RULES

1. **ATTEND SCHOOL EVERY DAY, ON TIME:** be prepared for class.
2. **SHOW RESPECT FOR SELF:** take responsibility for your appearance, effort, achievement, and behavior.
OTHERS: treat others with respect, care and consideration. Comply with school authorities promptly.
PROPERTY: respect and protect school and personal property. Show pride in your school and keep it clean.
3. **LEAVE DISTRACTIONS AT HOME:** i.e. toys, gum, games, playing cards, electronics, sports equipment, and other valuables. Registered cell phones must be off and put away during school hours. Confiscated items are returned to parents after a week on 1st offense; on 2nd offense, item is returned in May. Possession of dangerous or illegal items are grounds for suspension and/or expulsion.

CHEATING POLICY:

- Cheating will result in a failing grade on the assignment and a lowered citizenship grade.
- Parents will be notified of any cheating incidents.
- Continued offenses may result in suspension, removal from elected positions, Service Club, and exclusion from honorary recognition or special activities.

Student must not:

- forge parent/guardian signatures on any home/school correspondence,
- copy, duplicate or use another's work and turn it in as their work,
- copy formulas/codes/keywords on his/her person or objects from a test,
- use hidden notes during a test,
- share or exchange answers with others in any way.

LUNCH AREA BASIC RULES

- Have lunch card/money ready
- No lunch card/money: go to the end of the line
- Eat food: don't throw it at others
- Clear and dispose of your trash
- Raise hands to be dismissed by an adult on duty

RESTROOM BASIC RULES

- Use assigned restrooms properly
- Do not play or loiter
- Hall Passes required during class time
- Dispose of trash appropriately after use
- Report problems and damages

RECESS/PLAYGROUND BASIC RULES

- Promptly and respectfully follow instructions
- Use equipment properly
- Stay in assigned areas, away from classroom areas
- **No tag, football, dodgeball or rough play**
- Leave school promptly when school is over except when participating in authorized school programs or activities

BICYCLES

- Allowable for students in grades 4-8
- Park and lock bike in designated area
- Walk bicycles on school grounds
- Bicycle helmets must be worn

SKATEBOARDS

Skateboards and rollerblades are not allowed on campus at any time.

If a skateboard is used as transportation, it must be checked in and out at the front office.

OTHER

- Do not disturb classes in session when traveling between rooms.
- Public Display of Affection (PDA) is inappropriate on campus; parents will be notified.