

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT Grades 5-6

To aid you in understanding our disciplinary policy, we are listing types of violations and penalties for those violations. This list is not all-inclusive, but it is meant to serve as a guide. Students are expected to comply with all rules and regulations in the Standards of Conduct.

Level I Violations

Misbehavior which impedes the educational process and orderly classroom procedures or interferes with the orderly operation of the school. The following list includes, but is not limited to, examples of what constitutes Level I Violations:

| Violation | Penalty |
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| Failure to dress properly | See guidelines |
| Failure to submit homework | Warning (1 st 3 misses of each month) Lunch Detention (After 3 rd miss of the the month) After School Detention (After the 8 th miss of the month) |
| Late to class or school | Detention (1 hr) |
| Food out of cafeteria | Reprimand or detention (2 hrs) |
| Misuse of school permits/passes | Detention (1-3 hrs) |
| Violation of lavatory regulations | Detention (1-3 hrs) |
| Violation of cafeteria procedures/guidelines | Detention (2 hrs) |
| Class Disruption | Reprimand or detention (1-3 hrs.) |
| Public display of affection | Reprimand or detention (2 hrs.) |
| Possession of electronic devices | See guidelines |
| Not Cooperating with or disrespectful to School Personnel | Reprimand, detention (2hrs) |
| Non co-operation/lack of effort during testing | Detention (1-3 hrs.) |
| Bus Violations (Level I) | <i>Reprimand, detention (2 hrs. or loss of riding privileges</i> |

Level II Violations

Misbehavior whose frequency or seriousness tends to disrupt the learning climate of the school, or impacts adversely on the school operation or public image. The following list includes, but is not limited to, examples of what constitutes Level II Violations:

| Violation | Penalty |
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| Cumulative violations of Level I | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Willful disregard of school policy | Detention (1-3 hrs) |
| Willful profanity (written or verbal) | Suspension (1-2 days) |
| Violation of Acceptable Use of Internet Policy | Loss of network privileges and/or suspension (1-3 days) |
| Cheating | See guidelines |
| Forgery (note, pass, etc.) | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Lying | Detention (2-3 hours) |
| Truancy | Suspension (3-10 days), suspension of extra-curricular activities |
| Leaving building/grounds | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Leaving class without permission | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Cutting class | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Defacing/Damaging school property (not rising to institutional vandalism) | Restitution, detention (1-3 days) |
| Throwing food in cafeteria | Detention (3 hrs) |
| Safety violation (no injury) | Detention (1 hr) |

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| Neglect or refusal to serve detention | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Violations by student drivers/Parking | See guidelines |
| Bus Violations (Level II) | Detention (2 hrs. or loss of riding privileges) |
| Level III Violations | |
| Acts directed against persons or property whose consequences endanger the health or safety of others in the school. The following list includes, but is not limited to, examples of what constitutes Level III Violations: | |
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| Violation | Penalty |
| Cumulative violations of Level II | Suspension (10 days) and Board Hearing |
| Physical Bullying-Type Behaviors (hitting, kicking, spitting, pushing, taking/extorting and/or damaging personal belongings, invasion of one's personal space in an aggressive manner, sexual acts) | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Verbal/Written Bullying-Type Behavior (taunting, malicious teasing, name-calling, making threats, sexual remarks) | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Emotional Bullying-Type Behavior (spreading rumors, manipulating social relationships or environment, engaging in social exclusion, ridiculing, intimidating) | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Harassing Behaviors- general unwelcome conduct such as graphic, written, electronic, verbal or nonverbal acts. | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Discriminatory Harassing Behaviors- unwelcome conduct such as graphic, written, electronic, verbal or nonverbal acts which relates to an individual's or group's race, color, age, creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation, ancestry, national origin, marital status, pregnancy or handicap/disability | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Sexual Harassing Behaviors- unwelcome sexual advances; requests for sexual favors; and other inappropriate verbal, nonverbal, written, graphic or physical conduct | Reprimand After School Detention 1-3 days suspension Apology to the victim. May require referral to law enforcement and/or counseling. |
| Failure to respond to bullying Passive Bystander- | Reprimand, Detention (1-3 hours) |
| Failure to respond to bullying: Active Bystander | Detention (1-3 hours), Suspension (1-2 days) |
| Pushing/shoving fight | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Theft | Restitution, Suspension (3 days) possible referral for prosecution. |
| Strong abusive language to school personnel and other adults | Suspension (3 days) |
| Strong abusive language directed toward other students | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Making Threats | Suspension (10 days) and possible Board Hearing |
| Insubordination/insolent | Suspension (3 days) |

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| Bus Violations (Level III) | Loss of riding privileges and/or Suspension (1-5 days) |
| Level IV Violations | |
| Acts which result in violence to another person or property, or which pose a direct threat to the safety of others in the school. The following list includes, but is not limited to, examples of what constitutes Level IV Violations: | |
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| Violation | Penalty |
| Cumulative Violations of Level III | Suspension (4-10 days) |
| Continued Harassment- General, Discriminatory and Sexual Bullying | Suspension (3-10 days) |
| Fighting | (see guidelines) |
| Assault against another student | Referral for prosecution and Suspension (3 days) |
| Assault and/or battery of staff member | Suspension (4-10 days) Referral for prosecution Referral for counseling Possible Board Hearing and expulsion |
| Safety violation with injury | Suspension (10 days) and Board Hearing |
| Institutional Vandalism | Suspension (1-3 days) |
| Inciting riot, demonstrations, sit-down or other similar activity | Suspension (3 days) |
| False alarm | Suspension (4-10 days) |
| Possession of and/or use of tobacco/nicotine products | Suspension (4-10 days) Participation in Tobacco/Nicotine Cessation program Referral to law enforcement- possible \$50 fine plus court costs |
| Use, possession or under the influence of drugs or alcohol | Suspension (3 days) Referral for prosecution, possible expulsion |
| Selling drugs or alcohol | Suspension (10 days), referral for prosecution and Board hearing, possible expulsion |
| Bomb scare | Suspension (10 days) and Board hearing |
| Weapons- <i>the term shall include but not be limited to any knife, cutting instrument, cutting tool, nunchaku, firearm, shotgun, rifle, replica of a weapon, and any other tool, instrument or implement capable of inflicting serious bodily injury.</i> | Expulsion (minimum of 1 year unless Superintendent recommends a less severe sanction), Referral for prosecution |
| Bus Violations (Level IV) | Loss of riding privileges and/or Suspension (1-5 days) |