

**STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT Grades 7-12**

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
Failure to dress properly	See guidelines
Failure to submit homework	Grade reduction and/or Detention (1 hr)
Late to class or school	Detention (1 hr)
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, 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
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), loss of driving privilege, 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 (1-3 hrs)



<b>Level IV Violations</b>	
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:	
<b>Violation</b>	<b>Penalty</b>
Cumulative Violations of Level III	Suspension (4-10 days)
Harassment- General, Discriminatory and Sexual Bullying	Suspension (1-3 days) (3-10 days?) (see guidelines)
Fighting	Suspension (3 days) and Referral for prosecution
Assault	Suspension (4-10 days) Referral for Prosecution Possible expulsion
Indecent exposure	Suspension (4-10 days) and possible referral for prosecution
Assault and/or battery of staff member	Suspension (10 days) and Board Hearing Referral for prosecution
Safety violation with injury	Suspension (1-3 days)
Institutional Vandalism	<i>Suspension</i> (3 days) Referral for prosecution
Inciting riot, demonstrations, sit-down or other similar activity	Suspension (4-10 days)
False alarm	Suspension (4-10 days)
Possession of and/or use of tobacco	Suspension (3 days) 2nd offense will result in issuance of a citation
Use, possession or under the influence of drugs or alcohol	Suspension (10 days) Referral for prosecution possible expulsion
Selling drugs or alcohol	Suspension (10 days) Referral for prosecution Board hearing, possible expulsion
Bomb scare	Suspension (10 days) and Referral for prosecution Board hearing, possible expulsion
<i>Weapons- 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)