

THE DOBIE WAY

EXPECTATIONS



EXPECTATIONS & COVID-19 PRACTICES

- EXPECTATIONS DISCUSSED PERTAIN TO ON-CAMPUS PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES
- SOME EXPECTATIONS MAY CHANGE AS NEW INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE FROM THE DISTRICT CHANGES

WELCOME TO THE SECONDARY LEVEL

- FOSTERING INDEPENDENCE
- BE SELF-MANAGERS
- BE ACCOUNTABLE TO SELF
- BE RESPONSIBLE
- BE RESPECTFUL OF OTHERS
- BE APPROPRIATE

ID CARDS

- SCHOOL ID: ISSUED TO STUDENTS FIRST WEEK STUDENTS RETURN TO CAMPUS
 - DO NOT NEED TO BE DISPLAYED BUT MUST BE PRODUCED WHEN ASKED BY A STAFF MEMBER TO INCLUDE TEACHERS, LIBRARIAN, ADMINISTRATION, OFFICE STAFF, ETC.
- TO BE USED IN THE CAFETERIA LINE WHEN PURCHASING BREAKFAST OR LUNCH (SCAN BAR CODE)

WATER BOTTLES

- WATER BOTTLES PERMITTED IN CLASSROOM
- NON-DISPOSABLE, CLEAR, WATER ONLY
- AVOID SPILLS – SAFETY

AROUND THE CAMPUS

- **HALLWAYS/STAIRS**

- WALK; INDOOR VOICE; KEEP RIGHT; HANDS/FEET TO SELF
- SOCIAL DISTANCING TO BEST OF ABILITY
- MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES
- LOITERING NOT PERMITTED

- **RESTROOMS**

- GO, FLUSH, WASH, LEAVE.
- IMAGE CAPTURING DEVICES NOT PERMITTED

AROUND THE CAMPUS

- CLASSROOM: TEACHER MAKES THE RULES
 - NO FOOD OR UNAPPROVED DRINK
- BUS: SAFETY FIRST - DRIVER MAKES THE RULES
 - REMAIN IN SEAT; APPROPRIATE LANGUAGE
 - MULTIPLE REFERRALS = SUSPENSION FROM BUS
 - [BUS INFORMATION](#)

AROUND THE CAMPUS

- **PASSES DURING CLASS**
 - STRAIGHT TO AND STRAIGHT BACK (RR, OFFICE, NURSE, ETC.)
- **BEFORE/AFTERSCHOOL TUTORING**
 - MUST BE PREARRANGED WITH TEACHER
 - MUST HAVE A PASS TO TEACHER'S ROOM

AROUND THE CAMPUS

PUBLIC DISPLAYS OF AFFECTION (PDA) ARE NOT ALLOWED

- EXAMPLES OF PDA INCLUDE (BUT NOT LIMITED TO)
 - HAND HOLDING
 - KISSING
 - HUGGING

ATTENDANCE

- STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT 90% OF THE TIME FOR EACH COURSE TO RECEIVE COURSE CREDIT.
- LESS THAN 90% ATTENDANCE = CREDIT RECOVERY.
- IF YOU ARE ABSENT, SUBMIT A NOTE TO THE ATTENDANCE OFFICE WITHIN 3 DAYS OF RETURN TO SCHOOL
- 3 UNEXCUSED ABSENCES = 1ST WARNING LETTER
- TRUANCY COURT
- MAKE UP WORK: FOR EACH DAY ABSENT, STUDENT HAS TWO DAYS TO TURN IN WORK
- TARDIES: NO BELLS ON CAMPUS TO ALLOW FOR STAGGERED RELEASE – STUDENTS STILL RESPONSIBLE TO MAKE IT TO CLASS ON TIME
- EXCESSIVE TARDIES = CONSEQUENCES SUCH AS DETENTION AND ISS. COURT FINES MAY APPLY IN EXTREME CASES

CELL PHONES

- OFF AND AWAY DURING THE SCHOOL DAY
 - EARBUDS IN INDICATES PHONE USAGE – IT WILL BE PICKED UP
 - EARBUDS/HEADPHONES SHOULD NOT BE VISIBLE
- \$15 FEE – PAID TO [MYSCHOOLBUCKS.COM](https://myschoolbucks.com)
- MAY BE USED IN CLASSROOM FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES, WITH TEACHER PERMISSION
 - **MUST BE PUT AWAY BEFORE LEAVING THE CLASSROOM**
- CELLPHONES/IMAGE CAPTURING DEVICES ARE **NOT PERMITTED** IN RESTROOMS/LOCKER ROOMS

DRESS CODE

- ANY HEAD COVERINGS, INCLUDED BUT NOT LIMITED TO HATS AND HOODIES, ARE NOT TO BE WORN INSIDE THE BUILDING.
- HALTER TOPS, EXPOSED MIDRIFFS, STRAPLESS AND/OR LOW CUT TOPS, EXPOSED BACKS, SPAGHETTI STRAPS AND SEE-THROUGH CLOTHING ARE NOT PERMITTED. **UNDERGARMENTS SHALL NOT BE VISIBLE OR EXPOSED.**
- DRESSES, SKIRTS, SHORTS, SKORTS AND SPLIT-SKIRTS WILL BE PERMITTED PROVIDED THAT THEY ARE NO SHORTER THAN MID-THIGH (FRONT & BACK) WHEN STANDING AND **WHEN SEATED**

DRESS CODE

- PANTS SHALL BE WORN SECURELY AT THE WAIST. SAGGING, THE PRACTICE OF WEARING EXTREMELY LOOSE OR BAGGY PANTS BELOW THE WAIST IS PROHIBITED.
- HOLES IN JEANS ABOVE MID-THIGH ARE PROHIBITED.
- LEGGINGS/JEGGINGS/YOGA PANTS, ETC., MUST HAVE AN ITEM OF CLOTHING WORN OVER THE MATERIAL THAT COVERS THE BOTTOM WHEN SITTING AND STANDING.
- PAJAMA PANTS OF ANY TYPE ARE PROHIBITED.
- PLEASE REFER TO STUDENT HANDBOOK FOR COMPLETE LIST

PROHIBITED ITEMS

- DRUGS
 - OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATION MUST BE KEPT IN THE NURSE'S OFFICE – NOT PERMITTED IN STUDENT'S POSSESSION
 - INHALERS CAN BE CARRIED BY STUDENT IF A PLAN IS ON FILE IN THE NURSE'S OFFICE
- ALCOHOL
- SMOKING, VAPING
- WEAPONS AND LOOK-ALIKES
- SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING

CONSEQUENCES

- GOAL: STUDENTS SELF-MONITOR BEHAVIOR
- POSITIVE ACTIONS = POSITIVE CONSEQUENCES

- LUNCH D-HALL
- IN-SCHOOL SUSPENSION (ISS)
- OUT OF SCHOOL SUSPENSION (OSS)
- DAEP

- *A STUDENT RECEIVING ISS/OSS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND DANCE

- PLEASE REFER TO STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

CONSEQUENCES

- MINOR OFFENSES IN CAFETERIA = LUNCH D-HALL*
 - YELLING
 - LEAVING TRASH
 - MAKING MESS
- MINOR OFFENSES IN HALLWAYS = LUNCH D-HALL*
 - YELLING
 - RUNNING (SPEEDING TICKETS)
 - LOITERING/HANGING AROUND (PARKING TICKETS)
- DRESS CODE: REFUSAL TO CORRECT = ISS*
 - *REPEATED OFFENSES MAY RESULT IN MORE SERIOUS DISCIPLINARY ACTION

CONSEQUENCES

- MINOR OFFENSES IN CLASSROOM:
 - CLASSROOM INTERVENTIONS/TEACHER CONSEQUENCES
- EXAMPLES:
 - NOT FOLLOWING EXPECTATIONS/PROCEDURES
 - MULTIPLE MINOR OFFENSES = OFFICE REFERRAL

POSITIVES

- POSITIVE ACTIONS = POSITIVE CONSEQUENCES:
 - STUDENT CHARACTER RECOGNITION CERTIFICATES
 - PRAISE: TEACHERS/COACHES/SPONSORS
 - SUCCESS: HONORS NIGHT

QUESTIONS?

- PLEASE REFER TO [STUDENT HANDBOOK](#) / [CODE OF CONDUCT](#)