

Student Code of Conduct**

1. Code of Conduct

A student, while at school, on school property, including parking lots, or at school-sponsored activities shall:

- a. Obey and comply with the instructions and directions of school employee(s) and official school volunteers;
- b. Attend school regularly and punctually (See Board policy JEA – Truancy/Compulsory School Attendance);
- c. Comply with individual building school rules;
- d. Not damage school property (See Board policy ECAB – Vandalism/Malicious Mischief/Theft);
- e. Not use obscene, profane or libelous language (harmful to another person’s character), and not use racially, ethnically, sexually or religiously discriminatory or abusive language; nor shall the student distribute, hand out or display material containing such language, caricatures or representations;
- f. Not disrupt or attempt to disrupt the orderly operation of the school, its offices, classes, assemblies or co-curricular activities;
- g. Comply with Oregon Revised Statutes which make it illegal for children under the age of 18 to possess any form of tobacco and with Board policy JFCG/KGC/GBK - Prohibited Use, Possession, Distribution or Sale of Tobacco Products and Inhalant Delivery Systems, which includes all tobacco products, nicotine and nicotine delivery devices and inhalant delivery systems;
- h. Not possess, solicit, use or be under the influence of alcohol, non-prescribed drugs or illegal substances, or possess any form of drug, narcotic, imitation illegal substance or related paraphernalia (See Board policies JFCH - Alcohol and JFCI - Substance/Drug Use);
- i. Not possess, store or carry real or replica firearms, destructive devices, dangerous or deadly weapons, dangerous chemicals, stolen property or contraband (See Board policy JFCJ - Weapons in the Schools);
- j. Not loiter, litter, trespass or create nuisances, including while the student is coming to or going from school;
- k. Comply with school rules regarding operation of vehicles on school property during school hours and comply with school traffic rules, and local and state traffic laws (See Board policy JHFD - Student Vehicle Use);
- l. Not steal or rob (See Board policy ECAB – Vandalism/Malicious Mischief/Theft);
- m. Not dress or groom in a manner that disrupts the educational process or climate, or be unclean, or threaten the health or safety of the student or others, including dress, signing or paraphernalia which reflects gang activity (See Board policy JFCA - Student Attire and Grooming);
- n. Not intimidate, threaten, bully, fight, harass, roughhouse, haze, engage in horseplay or injure any student or staff member (See Board policy JFCF - Hazing/Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying/Menacing/Cyberbullying/Teen Dating Violence/Domestic Violence – Student and JFCM – Threats of Violence)
- o. Not engage in various forms of cheating or academic dishonesty (See Board policy IKI – Academic Integrity);
- p. Comply with the established rules and the bus driver’s directives when riding buses (See Board policy EEACC - Student Conduct on School Buses);

- q. Not initiate or participate in sexual or other types of harassment (See Board policies JBA/GBN- Sexual Harassment and JFCF - Hazing/Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying/Menacing/ Cyberbullying/Teen Dating Violence/Domestic Violence - Student);
- r. Not assault or menace another student or school employee. “Menace” any act intended to place a district employee, student, or third party in fear of imminent serious physical injury. “Physical injury” means impairment of physical condition or substantial pain (See Board policy JFCF - Hazing/Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying/Menacing/Cyberbullying/Teen Dating Violence/Domestic Violence - Student);
- s. Comply with district and school rules when using electronic technology, including the Internet (See Board policies JFCEB - Personal Electronic Devices and Social Media and IIBGA - Electronic Communications System).

2. Penalties and Disciplinary Procedures

If a student violates this Code of Conduct, individual school rules, Board policy, or local, state, or federal law, one or more of the following disciplinary procedures may be taken, depending upon the student’s discipline history, maturity of the student, severity of the infraction, and disability (Board policy JGDA/JGEA - Discipline of Students with Disabilities):

- a. Verbal warning;
- b. Teacher-student conference/Behavior plan-training in proper behavior;
- c. In-class consequences;
- d. Work detail and/or remuneration;
- e. Parent contact - Parent/School understanding consequence(s);
- f. Referral to specialist or another public agency;
- g. Teacher-student-parent conference;
- h. Administrative conference;
- i. Detention (includes Saturday School);
- j. In-school suspension;
- k. Restorative Justice Conference;
- l. Out-of-school suspension (1-10 school days)¹;
- m. Expulsion from Lincoln County School District (LCSD) schools;
- n. Revocation of variance;
- o. Removal from one LCSD School to another LCSD school – the district may deny admission to a resident student who is expelled from another school district;
- p. Law enforcement contact/Proper authorities contact, including, but not limited to, Juvenile Department or Oregon Department of Human Services, Community Human Services. Once law enforcement is called Board policy KN - Police Investigations and Interviews dictates that LCSD cooperate with law enforcement and not hamper the investigation. Law enforcement dictates whether or not the parent(s) is notified and when.

¹State law limits the use of out-of-school suspension for students grade five and below. State law also prohibits expulsion to address truancy. (See Board policies JG - Student Discipline, JGD - Suspension, JGE - Expulsion).