

Rights and Responsibilities

Students have all the rights afforded them by federal and state constitutions, statutes and regulations. The school reminds students that certain responsibilities accompany these rights.

Students have the right to:

- A safe school environment
- Attend and participate in school programs
- An alcohol, drug and tobacco-free environment
- Be treated equally regardless of race, sex or religion

It's the student's responsibility to:

- Abide by all district policies and rules
- Be in attendance and on time
- Behave as a representative of the district and display good sportsmanship
- Show respect to others
- Follow the dress code daily

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Staff and Services Available to Students/Families

Lacey Marriott.....School Counselor

Tanya VanOrnum .School Counselor

Kim Manfredi CSE Chairperson

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Sandy Creek Central Schools

Student Code of Conduct Summary

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The following is a summary of the District Code of Conduct. The complete Code of Conduct may be accessed on the District's website (www.sandycreeksd.org).

ALCOHOL, DRUGS, TOBACCO: Drug, alcohol and tobacco use and abuse is a major problem and a threat, not only in society, but also in our community and school. We highly encourage any students involved with these substances to seek assistance.

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY (PLAGIARISM): Taking another person's work and submitting it as your own, is plagiarism. Using proper documentation rules will assist you in avoiding plagiarism.

BUS TRANSPORTATION: All students are eligible for safe bus transportation to and from school. The bus driver is the school official in charge of the bus and will address problems and concerns and may refer them to the building principal for consequences.

DAMAGE TO SCHOOL PROPERTY: All students must show respect and care for school property. Students who willfully destroy, damage or deface school property will face disciplinary actions that may include law enforcement.

ELECTRONICS: All electronics are strictly forbidden between the hours of 8:10am—3:05pm.

NYS DIGNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT (DASA): The NYS DASA specifically ensures that no student shall be subject to harassment or bullying by employees or students on school property or at a school function. Harassment, bullying, hazing and cyberbullying are all covered under the DASA.

SEARCHES: Equipment owned by the District is not the private property of students and as such may be opened and subject to inspection from time to time by school officials.

STUDENT DRESS CODE: Students are required to attend school in appropriate dress that meets health and safety standards and does not interfere with their education.

Additional Items of Interest

Students and staff should enjoy a good working relationship and approach things with understanding and cooperation. Please try to keep in mind the following:

- Sunglasses may not be worn in school
- Soda may be purchased after school
- No open containers in school except in the cafeteria
- Candy or food should not be brought to, or eaten, in any classrooms
- Electronic devices are not permitted during school hours

Disciplinary Actions

The following discipline code applies to the behavior of all students while they are on school grounds, in school buildings and/or participating in school-sponsored activities. Serious violations of expected behavior and conduct can result in an immediate hearing with the Principal or Superintendent.



District Contacts:

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