

# Chandler High School

“School of Champions”

350 North Arizona Avenue  
Chandler, Arizona 85225  
(480) 812-7700

**A+ School of Excellence**

**International Baccalaureate  
Advanced Placement Classes  
AIA Victory with Honor**

**Flinn Scholar Recipients  
National Merit Scholars  
North Central Accredited**

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

Our mission, in partnership with parents and the community, is to provide students with rigorous educational experiences to develop the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed to succeed in an ever-changing world.

## **ADMINISTRATION**

Mr. Michael Franklin .....	Principal
Mr. Jim Culver .....	Assistant Principal/Athletic Director
Mr. Shawn Mitchell .....	Assistant Principal
Dr. Julie Wilkinson .....	Assistant Principal
Mr. Luke Hickey .....	Assistant Principal
Mr. Kyle Darr .....	Dean of Students
Mrs. Brienna Gass .....	Dean of Students

## **IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

Attendance .....	812-7703
Bookstore .....	812-7745
Counseling .....	812-7706
Nurse .....	812-7702
Registrar .....	812-7724
School Resource Officer .....	812-7988

## **GOVERNING BOARD**

Mrs. Barbara Mozden  
Mr. Jason Olive  
Mrs. Lara Bruner  
Ms. Lindsay Love  
Mr. Joel Wirth

## **SUPERINTENDENT**

Franklin R. Narducci

## 2022-2023 Chandler High Bell Schedule

### Monday, Tuesday & Friday

0 hour	6:25 - 7:20	
Period 1	7:25 - 8:19	
Period 2	8:26 - 9:26	
Period 3	9:33 - 10:27	
Period 4	10:34 - 12:12	- EVIT <i>students dismissed at 10:45</i>
A Lunch	10:34 - 11:04	Lunch
	11:08 - 12:12	Class
B Lunch	10:34 - 11:08	Class
	11:08 - 11:38	Lunch
	11:42 - 12:12	Class
C Lunch	10:34 - 11:38	Class
	11:42 - 12:12	Lunch
Period 5	12:19 - 1:13	
Period 6	1:20 - 2:14	
Period 7	2:21 - 3:11	

### Wednesday (Periods 0,1,3,5,7) & Thursday (Periods 0,2,4,6,7)

0 hour	6:25 - 7:20	
Period 1/2	7:25 - 9:16	
<b>Conference</b>	9:16 - 9:46	
Period 3/4	9:53 - 12:18	
A Lunch	9:53 - 10:23	Lunch
	10:28 - 12:16	Class
B Lunch	9:53 - 10:53	Class
	10:53 - 11:23	Lunch
	11:28 - 12:16	Class
C Lunch	9:53 - 11:41	Class
	11:46 - 12:16	Lunch
Period 5/6	12:23 - 2:14	
Period 7	2:19 - 3:09	

**2022 - 2023**  
**Chandler Unified School District No. 80**

**July - 22**

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Approved 04-25-18  
 Revised 11-17-21 (Early Release)

**JULY**

6	New Teachers Report
13	Returning Teachers Report
13-19	Teacher Inservice/Workdays
20	First Day of School for Students

**AUGUST**

16	Jr High Parent/Teacher Conf-ACP MSP/PJHS/WJHS/Hill
18	Jr High Parent/Teacher Conf-AJHS/BJHS/SJHS/CCHS(7-8)
24-25	Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences

**SEPTEMBER**

5	Labor Day Holiday - No School
30	1st Quarter Ends (52 days)

**OCTOBER**

3-14	1st Intercession
17	Teacher Inservice/Workday - No School

**NOVEMBER**

11	Veterans Day Holiday - No School
23	No School
24-25	Thanksgiving Holidays - No School

**DECEMBER**

21-22	Jr High/High School Early Dismissal
22	2nd Quarter Ends (44 days/96 semester)
23	Teacher Inservice/Workday - No School
25-30	2nd Intercession (Dec 25 - Jan 6)

**JANUARY**

1-6	2nd Intercession continued
9	Teacher Inservice/Workday - No School
16	Martin Luther King Day Holiday - No School

**FEBRUARY**

7	Jr High Parent/Teacher Conf-ACP MS/PJHS/WJHS/Hill
9	Jr High Parent/Teacher Conf - AJHS/BJHS/SJHS/CCHS(7-8)
15-16	Elementary Parent/Teacher Conferences
20	Presidents' Day Holiday - No School

**MARCH**

10	3rd Quarter Ends (42 days)
13-24	3rd Intercession
27	Teacher Inservice/Workday - No School

**APRIL**

7	Spring Holiday - No School
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**MAY**

24-25	Jr High/High School Early Dismissal
25	4th Quarter Ends (42 days/84 semester)
25	High School Graduation/Last Day of School (1/2 day)
26	Teacher Inservice/Workday - No School
29	Memorial Day Holiday

**JUNE**

LEGEND	
	Total Student Days (180)
	Teacher Days (190)
	Teacher Inservice/Workday
	Holidays
	First Day of Students
	Elementary Early Dismissal
J1	Jr High Early Dismissal - ACP MS/PJHS/WJHS/Hill
J2	Jr High Early Dismissal - AJHS/BJHS/SJHS/CCHS(7-8)
J1H	Jr High/High School Early Dismissal
G	Grading Period Ends
	Intercession
NS	Day off - No School
L	Last Day for All Students - Early Release

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**June - 23**

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## **CHS STUDENT HANDBOOK AND PARENT GUIDE**

Chandler High School is the home of the Wolves and the pathway of champions. "The tradition of excellence" is not just a motto; it is something students and staff have lived and worked by for many years. The school is proud of its achievements in the classroom, on the athletic field, in performance and exhibit halls, and in the community.

### **STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. To accept responsibility for your own educational progress, so that you can become an adult for whom learning is a natural part of your life.
2. To strive for the development of critical thought and analysis.
3. To acquire the learning skills basic to continuing self-development and further study.
4. To practice the principles and qualities required for democratic citizenship and responsible participation in our multi-racial, multi-cultural society.
5. To accept the educational opportunity offered to you with zeal, and demand challenging and meaningful instruction.

### **STUDENT CITIZENSHIP**

Chandler High School students are required to abide by the policies, procedures, regulations, and code of conduct detailed in the student handbook, available for viewing on the school's website. <https://www.cusd80.com/Domain/5807> Printed copies are available by request.

### **COUSELING SERVICES**

Students are urged to take the initiative in contacting counselors. Appointments can be made at the counseling office before school, during lunch hour, or after school. Counselors and/or social worker are available at all times to answer questions and to discuss problems.

## ASSEMBLY CONDUCT

Students must sit in the section assigned for their class. Students who cannot conduct themselves properly will be removed from assemblies and banned from future participation.

## ATTENDANCE

High School administration, faculty and staff encourage students to be at school on time every day. Student attendance closely matches student academic achievement. Students who are absent from school miss the introduction of new material, interactions with peers in discussions, activities and presentations. The attendance policy is intended to involve parents, to teach students responsibility and to provide for optimum instruction and academic accountability. Administration may require medical documentation for excessive or habitual absences.

### Tardy To School

In order for a student to be excused from class when he/she is late to school, the student must check in at the attendance desk to be **signed in**. In order to excuse the tardy, the attendance office must **receive a phone call within a 24-hour period from a parent/guardian**. A note from the doctor's office, dentist office or court system will also excuse a student in lieu of a parent calling. An unexcused reason for a tardy will result in an unexcused pass to class.

### Tardy To Class

Students whose tardy is unexcused for any period except the student's 1st period of the day will receive consequences based on school policy. If a student comes to school late after first period and would be considered tardy to a class, the student must check in at the attendance desk to be signed in. In order to excuse the tardy, please refer to the school procedures outlined above in the Tardy to School section. A parent/guardian may not call in to excuse a tardy when a student is traveling from class to class.

**Additional disciplinary measures may be taken against students who are habitually tardy.**

### Absences

An absence is recorded any time a student misses at least half of a class period. Absences can be defined as excused or unexcused.

#### Excused Absences

A parent or legal guardian must call the attendance office within 24 hours of the absence to officially excuse students from school or particular periods of classes during the day. When a parent brings or picks up a student, he/she must be signed in/out at the attendance office. If a student needs to leave campus during school hours, he/she must go to attendance before school to get a pass, pending parent verification. No student will be permitted to leave campus without a pass from attendance.

Students are responsible for making arrangements with their teachers to complete make-up work for excused absences. The make-up work must be completed within the same amount of time after returning as the class periods absent from class (for example, allow two class periods to complete make-up work for two class periods of absences). Excused absences include, but are not limited to: individual illness or health conditions, serious illness in the immediate family (documentation required), religious holidays, death in the immediate family, school sanctioned activities, and medical and dental appointments (documentation required).

Excessive Absences A.R.S. §15-803 (B) states that absences may be considered excessive when the number of absent days exceeds ten percent of the number of required attendance days prescribed in A.R.S. §15-802. Ten percent equates to nine (9) days of absences per semester regardless of whether they are excused or unexcused. Students with excessive excused absences may be required to provide medical documentation to remain in class and excuse any further absences. If additional absences occur, and medical documentation is not provided, the student will be referred to administration.

#### Unexcused Absences

Unexcused absences are considered truancies. If a student misses only one period, the unexcused absence will be considered as ditching class, and the student may be referred to administration.

While parents may be aware of these circumstances, the absence will remain unexcused for attendance purposes. Work cannot be made-up for credit for unexcused absences. A parent/guardian phone call will not be justification as an excused absence.

### Consequences for Absences:

The following actions will be taken after five (5) and after nine (9) excused/unexcused absences per semester and if a student reaches 10 consecutive absences in a semester:

1. Five Absences When a student reaches five (5) absences whether excused or unexcused, they will receive the 5-Day Absence Warning Letter. The parent/guardian will receive the letter via email (or U.S. Mail if email is not available).
2. 10 or More Absences Once a student reaches 10 or more absences, they will be referred to administration.
3. 10 Consecutive Absences After 10 consecutive days of absences per semester, the state requires schools to automatically withdraw the student.

### Sign Out Policy:

Students are not permitted to leave campus without permission. Parent /guardian must show picture ID in order to pick up a student. Anyone other than the parent/guardian on campus to pick up a student must be listed on the emergency card. Seniors with a half day must show their ID to security each day to leave school grounds.

### Students leaving campus who drive:

If a student needs to leave campus during school hours parents must call the Attendance Office giving them permission to leave. Teachers are unable to release students without notice from the attendance office. Parent/guardian must provide the following information contact information, relationship to the student, student's full name, ID number, and the time student should be released. If the student does not check out in Attendance before leaving campus, it will be considered an unexcused absence.

### Extra-Curricular Participation Policy

Students who are absent from school are not allowed to participate in extra-curricular activities held on that day.

## **BICYCLES & SKATEBOARDS**

Bicycles and skateboards are not to be ridden on campus at any time. Bicycles ridden to and from school must be secured in designated spaces. Skateboards are not permitted on campus at any time and need to be placed in the skateboard rack with the students lock by the swimming pool.

## **BOOKSTORE**

The bookstore is operated by the school district for the convenience of all students. The bookstore is located on the west side of the administration building. The store will be open daily from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Telephone: 480-812-7745. **Students are not allowed to go to the bookstore during class time.**

## **CHANGES OF ADDRESS & TELEPHONE NUMBER**

It is very important that all students notify the registrar's office (480-812-7724) immediately of any change of address or telephone number. **Every student must have valid, up-to-date contact information on file.**

## **CLUBS**

Chandler has over 100 clubs for our students to choose from. We host a Club Fair at the beginning of the year for our students to learn more about clubs to join. Club information can also be located on our CHS website, under activities click on clubs. <https://www.cusd80.com/chs>

## **CHEATING / PLAGIARISM**

Copying the work of another person and submitting it as your own, obtaining unauthorized or undocumented material from the Internet or other sources, or securing teacher materials or work in a dishonest or unauthorized way are all considered cheating. Allowing another student to copy your work is considered cheating. Cheating may be cause for removal from National Honor Society or any other leadership position held in the school. Please refer to teacher syllabi for further consequences.

## **CLOSED CAMPUS**

Chandler High is currently a modified "Closed Campus" facility. This policy allows students in **grades 10-12 to walk off campus only** to go home for lunch or to frequent an eating establishment during the lunch period. Students are not allowed to leave campus between classes. Students who leave campus to loiter on sidewalks, or in neighboring yards, as well as alleys, will be considered truant and in violation of school rules, city ordinances, and/or Arizona statutes. Students must be walking and proceeding on sidewalks and designated crosswalks to or from an eating establishment along Arizona Avenue only, and must be able to provide valid student ID when exiting the campus.

### **NOTE:**

- **Grade 9 students are not allowed to leave campus at any time.**
- **½ day seniors can drive off campus for lunch, proof of ID required**
- **Students can go to THEIR house for lunch with no visitors**
- **Students cannot be driven to or dropped off for lunch**
- **Students leaving must be signed out in attendance office**
- **Students are not permitted to enter buildings during lunch other than to use the restrooms in the 500s building**
- **Students are not allowed to use alleys at any time during school hours**
- **Students must use crosswalks before, during lunch, and after school**

Police department, school security, and administration will cite students who are in violation of the "closed campus" rules. These citations will result in school consequences also. **Disciplinary action will result in 5 day lunch detention to school suspension.**

## **CROSSWALKS**

Students are to observe regular traffic laws and use crosswalks when traveling between classes or before, during, and after lunch if not they are subject to a citation from the Chandler Police Department and school discipline. 5 days of lunch detention will be assigned to students not using crosswalks.

## **DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Announcements are read each day, over the P.A. system. All announcements must be turned in to the Media Specialist in the JSU by 11:00 a.m. the day before the announcement is to be run.

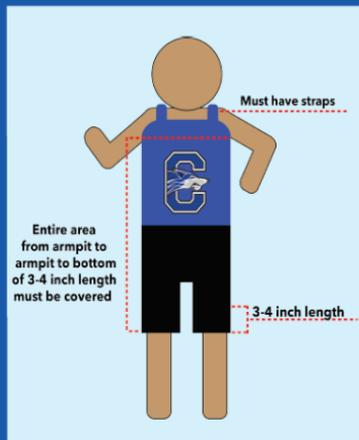
## **DELIVERIES**

The school will not accept or make any deliveries (flowers, balloons, lunch etc.) to students during the school day. The use of food delivery agencies (Grub hub, Postmates, Uber Eats, etc.) will not be accepted by the school and will be turned away at the students expense. We do not allow or accept food delivery orders of any kind at any time of the day. Students and/or parents may not order food delivery to be dropped off at school. The front office will not accept orders and will refuse the delivery.

## **DISTRIBUTION OF MATERIALS**

Information (announcements, pamphlets, newsletters, memos, etc.) may not be distributed to other students or school personnel on campus without authorization from the administration.

## DRESS CODE



# Dress Code

## Purpose:

The CHS Community, Administration and Staff believe that students' standards of dress affect the overall learning environment of the school. As such, students are expected to abide by the CHS dress code during normal school hours and dress appropriately during all school functions. We encourage students to express their individuality and maintain a level of dress that is conducive to an educational institution. The CHS Dress Code provides universal guidelines of appropriate academic attire for ALL students.

## All students shall wear clothing that meets the following guidelines:

- Entire area from armpit to armpit to waist band should be covered, front and back  
- No mesh or see-through
- Pants/Shorts/Skirt inseam should be at least 3-4 inches (approximately) in length
- Clothing should have adequate coverage at all times to allow a full range of movement without stomach, buttocks or undergarments showing
- Shirts should include at least two straps; one over each shoulder
- Footwear with soles must be worn at all times

## The following clothing is prohibited:

- Clothing that displays messages that are vulgar, obscene or demean others on basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, gender, sexual orientation or disability; that promote alcohol or drug use or violence; that materially interferes with school work, creates disorder or disrupts the educational program.
- Trench coats and blankets
- Hats and non-religious, full-coverage head scarfs such as bandanas, skull caps and do-rags
- Any clothing or grooming deemed to be gang related
- Any clothing or accessory that interferes with the educational process

## ELECTRONIC DEVICES

### **One-to-One Initiative**

We are a one-to-one school. Students are expected to bring their school issued laptop with them to class daily charged and ready for use. Students are responsible for keeping track of their school issued device.

### **CUSD BYOT Responsible Use**

We are pleased to be able to offer "Bring Your Own Technology" as an option to expand student and staff access to online and other educational electronic resources. Here are the expectations for use of personal electronic devices on our campuses.

## **Chandler Unified School District BYOT Philosophy**

Our philosophy is to assist all members of the Chandler Unified School District community to be good digital citizens – students and staff who use technology to support learning in a meaningful, safe and responsible way, in accordance with all applicable state and federal laws. (NOTE: Regulations, consequences, and possible disciplinary action for inappropriate use of the network and electronic devices are already covered by the CUSD Acceptable Use Policy, a separate document available at: <http://cusd80.com/AUP>)

### **Purpose of and Permissions to Use Personal Electronic Devices at School**

Like other personal items that may be brought from home to school, there are times and places where the use of personal electronic devices is beneficial to instruction, and other times when it is not. The expectation is that personal electronic devices are to be used only for instructional purposes, in appropriate times and places as determined by each school's principal. Teachers who permit the use of personal electronic devices in class are expected to model and teach responsible use of the Internet, to monitor students' use of the devices, and to set up any applicable classroom procedures and rules pertaining to this use. Teachers or other staff may be able to assist but cannot be expected to troubleshoot problems with the students' technology.

### **Internet and Network Access**

We maintain a filter that blocks harmful content on the Internet from students. When you sign this agreement and bring in your own device, you will be allowed to use the district-supplied, filtered network for Internet access at your school, if available. **The District reserves the right to monitor use of the District's systems for improper use without advance notice or consent.** Your signature indicates your understanding that any activity that occurs with the use of the District's internet and network systems are not private and may be accessed by the District for the purpose of ensuring proper use. Your signature also indicates your understanding that we cannot filter any non-district network connections (such as 3G or 4G) that may be already present on your device, and that you agree to follow the Acceptable Use Policy and all other related CUSD policies related to Internet use, regardless of the network you use. Use of electronic devices outside of these conditions is not allowed, can be considered a distraction to instruction, and will be handled as already described in the Student Handbook.

### **Examples of What You MAY Do With Your Device at School:**

Using the device at times and in places when the teacher has given permission for you to use them, such as: -

- Conducting research on the web for a school project –citing resources, following copyright law, respecting the intellectual property of others
- Creating documents in collaboration with other students when working in groups
- Participating in class discussion threads, using respectful language to others
- Engaging in class activities using your device as a responder
- Taking a photo or video of a project to put into a class presentation

### **Examples of What You MAY NOT Do With Your Device at School:**

- Texting to others for non-instructional purposes
- Bullying or threatening others
- Playing non-educational games
- Attempting to bypass network security or engaging in hacking
- Taking a photo or video of another person and posting it to the Internet
- Sharing personal information with others
- Engaging in plagiarism or copyright infringement
- Accessing the VPN

**Please note that use of personal electronic devices is left to the discretion of the classroom teacher. The teacher will make the final determination of when use of personal electronic devices is appropriate.**

### **You are encouraged to:**

- Personalize your device with a case, school-appropriate skins, decals, wallpaper, etc. that will make it easier to distinguish your device from other students' similar devices.
- Charge your device before bringing it to school. (It will not be possible to charge student devices at school.)
- Keep track of your personal electronic device. The school and district is not liable for your losses due to theft, damage, or other financial harm.
- Follow the Acceptable Use Policy and school and class rules. Remember that BYOT is a privilege, not a right. This privilege can be taken away if abused.
- Install, update, and use virus protection on your device. If your device is determined to be the source of virus infections or security problems, access may be discontinued.

Students bring these devices to school at their own risk. **If a student has a cell phone or other electronic device on campus or on the bus and it is damaged, lost or stolen, schools will not utilize administrative time to investigate the incident nor will the District take any financial responsibility for the cell phone or cell phone charges or for any other electronic device.**

**Students are allowed to use electronic devices before and after school hours. The students may use their devices in the cafeteria area during lunches.**

Cell phones and electronic devices confiscated by school personnel can be retrieved from security.

Schools have the right to discipline students who use these devices under Board Policy JIC.

**If the student is misusing their electronic device, consequences will range from:**

Refuses to hand over the device to the teacher (hands over to administrator) 2 days of ISD

Refuses to hand over device to Administrator 3 day suspension off campus

**(Device will be available for pick up at the front desk after school by parents only.)**

### **FIRE ALARMS / EVALUATIONS**

When the FIRE ALARM sounds, students should evacuate the building in an orderly, quiet manner and follow the instructions of those in charge. Students should not stand on paved areas where emergency vehicles may need to pass. Students reporting and/or creating false fire alarms will be subject to disciplinary action from administration. Detailed instructions for fire drills are posted in each room.

### **FOOD, GUM, DRINKS**

No gum is permitted in the building. No food or drinks are permitted outside of the cafeteria. Water is allowed.

### **FOOD SERVICE**

For information regarding school meals please visit our website at [www.cusdnutrition.com](http://www.cusdnutrition.com) . Here you will find all of our menus, pricing information, and nutritional data on the food we serve. Special diet forms and Free & Reduced Applications can be downloaded as well. Sign up to receive news and updates about our program. You can also contact us by phone at **480-812-7240**.

### **HALL PASSES**

Students are expected to remain in class during the entire instructional period. Leaving class should be an extremely rare occurrence. When a student receives permission from a teacher to leave the class, they must **be sure to obtain a pass from the teacher** and be prepared to show this pass whenever requested by anyone in authority. A student with no pass will be considered to be out of class without permission. This may result in a disciplinary action.

### **HEALTH SERVICES**

Please see the Health Services department on the district website [www.mychandlerschools.org](http://www.mychandlerschools.org) for specific information on the Forms required from parents and doctors, Medication Administration policy, Health Protocols for student illness, Immunizations, Hearing and Vision screening programs, and information on specific health conditions for school.

### **HOMEWORK / MAKE-UP WORK POLICY**

Students are responsible for making arrangements with their teachers to complete make-up work for excused absences or suspensions. Make-up work must be completed within the same amount of time after returning as the class periods absent from class (for example, allow two class periods to complete make-up work for two class periods of absences).

## INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE



The International Baccalaureate program is for students interested in developing the intellectual, personal, emotional, and social skills to live, learn and work in a rapidly globalizing world.

Chandler High School is an IB World School offering the IB Diploma Program since 1982. We were authorized to offer the IB-Middle Years Program in 2013. We are now an authorized school for the IB Career-Related Program, the first in Arizona. IB World Schools share a common philosophy—a commitment to high-quality, challenging, international education—that we believe is important for our students.



- 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Must be in at least one honors class both years
- Must be taking a World Language both years
- Take either AP Human Geography or AP Comparative Gov 10<sup>th</sup> grade
- Complete 40 hours of community service in 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> grade total
- Complete a research paper in Honors English 9 and a Personal Project in Honors English 10

This program is ideal for all 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students looking to begin their portfolio of experiences that can help them when applying for colleges and scholarships. It is a great opportunity to have an extra support system while transitioning into high school.



- 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students
- By the end of 12<sup>th</sup> grade the students will take IB tests in 6 academic areas: English, World Language, Social Studies, Science, Math and a 6<sup>th</sup> area (Fine Arts or a second Soc Studies or Science)
- Students log and reflect on Creativity, Action and Service hours (approx. 50 of each) over the 2 years
- Students complete an Extended Essay under the supervision of a faculty advisor
- Students take 2 semesters of Theory of Knowledge

The IB Diploma is the most rigorous academic path that a student can take at CHS. There is not only one way to map out the diploma – there are so many possibilities and elective options and each student's schedule is unique. Students can still do other things such as sports, band, Student Council.

The students that complete the IB Diploma are **very** well-prepared for college and beyond and this program can help them stand out in a competitive college / scholarship application process.



- 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Incorporates the educational principles of IB into a program tailored for student in CTE programs.
- Students complete at least two Diploma courses and test at standard level
- Students take two years of the same CTE area: Engineering, Marketing, Sports Medicine, Computer Science, TV/Media Production, Agriculture
- Students take two semesters of an *Approaches to Learning* course – during which they also complete a reflective project, a language learning portfolio and document at least 50 hours of community service

This program is ideal for either the CTE student that is willing/capable of completing two diploma courses at the Standard Level or the IB Course Candidate (student already taking one or two IB courses) that is willing/capable of taking two years in a CTE course area.

## **JONES STUDENT UNION (LIBRARY)**

The Jones Student Union is located on the first floor of the administration building facing north and is open from 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Students are required to have a pass from a teacher during the school day (7:25 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.).

## **LOCK DOWN PROCEDURES – POLICY EBC**

The purpose of a lockdown is to eliminate movement if there is a situation on campus or if there is police activity in the area. Security personnel will secure the perimeter of the campus and prevent people from coming on campus. If there is a lockdown, administration will maintain communication with the District Office and the police department. Students are to listen to the directions of the teacher and stay off of their electronic devices.

## **LOCKERS**

Students will be assigned an individual locker for the storage and protection of property for the P.E.. Lockers may not be exchanged between students. Students should not reveal their lock combination to any other students. Lockers are not accessible during lunch periods. You must provide your own lock for you locker if you can not one can be purchased through the bookstore. The school is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Lockers are the property of the school system and will remain, at all times, under the control of the school system. The school system retains the right to inspect lockers for any reason, at any time, without notice, without student consent, and without a search warrant. School officials may seize illegal items or possessions reasonably determined to be a threat to the safety or security of others. Items seized will be held by the school or turned over to the appropriate law enforcement agency.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

Loss or theft of any item should be reported to the front office immediately. If any article of value is found, it should be taken to the front office at once. Students should check in the front office if they have lost anything since many articles go unclaimed each year.

## **PARKING REGULATIONS**

On-campus parking is permitted only in designated locations. Vehicles parked in other than designated areas or in restricted zones will be subject to removal. Any vehicle parked in a manner that will block or hinder the safe movement of others will be subject to removal. Vehicles not parked in assigned spaces are subject to blocked wheels and/or removal. Students who drive vehicles to school **park at their own risk** and must understand that neither the school nor the Governing Board can be held responsible for the vehicle. Any vehicle illegally parked may be impounded. Keep your car locked. Do not leave books or other valuables in your car. Report immediately, in writing, any incident involving vehicles to the security personnel or assistant principal. **JOY RIDING:** The use of cars or motorcycles for cruising around during the lunch period, before school, or during the school day is forbidden. Cars used in this way are a traffic hazard. The speed limit on campus is 5 m.p.h. Parking will be assigned according to the following priority: seniors, juniors, and then sophomores. All cars using the high school parking facilities must have a parking permit displayed as instructed. Violations of parking rules and postings may result in towing or blocking wheels at the owner's expense. **The cost of a parking permit is \$75 for the year.** Parking on campus is a privilege. Students may not move their vehicles from lot to another or the city streets during school hours.

In order for students to be eligible for Principal's Academic Honors Recognition, they must maintain a 3.5 cumulative GPA and meet the requirements for enrollment in honor classes each semester. A recognition celebration is held in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter where students receive an Academic Honors certificate and award.

## **PE GUIDELINES**

In order to increase communication between our coaching staff, parents, and students regarding policy changes for ALL physical education students, we have developed a few guidelines to help ensure that students are accountable for their performance:

A possible 15 points can be accumulated daily in the following categories:

Dressed in required PE uniform	5 points
Full participation in the daily activity	5 points

## Attendance

5 points  
15 points total

1. Non dress or failure to participate – loss of daily points
  - a. On 3rd non-dress = Community Service w/Security
  - b. On 5th non-dress = referral to Administration
2. Excused Absences – student can earn back their points by doing Community Service Activity or another approved activity of instructor per absence.
3. PE Uniform = CHS PE T-shirt – available in bookstore for \$ 8. T-shirt and shorts are available for \$ 15. Student may wear their own athletic type shorts (loose basketball style). Colors that are acceptable are black, blue or gray.
4. Students will be required to workout in street/school clothes if they don't dress out. Refusing to participate will require notification of parent(s) via phone or email and on 3rd offense will receive a referral to Administration.

## **PRINCIPAL'S ACADEMIC HONORS RECOGNITION**

Current Year Academic Honors Course Requirements:

- Freshmen are earning two honors credits
- Sophomores are earning two honors credits
- Juniors are earning two honors credits
- Seniors are earning one honor credit

Students must be enrolled in at least one honors class both semesters in the current year.

## **SAFETY GLASSES**

Safety glasses are necessary in all of our trade and industrial classes and many of our science and art classes. Students signed up for these classes will be required to use safety glasses whenever the class situation necessitates it.

## **SCHOOL COLORS**

The school colors are ROYAL BLUE and WHITE. Black may be used as an accent color. Students and staff are encouraged to wear school colors on Fridays.

## **SCHOOL NURSE & ILLNESS**

The high school Health Office is staffed by a Nurse for emergency care, health consultation, and as a resource for students and parents. Specific procedures and permission forms are required for the School Health Office to administer any prescription medications; be aware that written orders from the prescribing physician are required if students are to receive such medications during school hours. **If students become ill and must go home, a student leave permit must be obtained from the school Health Office and presented to the school Attendance Office before leaving campus.**

## **SCHOOL PUBLICATIONS**

*Wolf Howl* – Student newspaper published in print once a month and on-line weekly by Journalism students. News, opinions, entertainment, features, arts, and sports are all covered in the paper, which is distributed free of charge to the school and community.

*El Lobo* – Student yearbook published annually by students in yearbook class. This publication covers all students, events, sports, and clubs; it includes a color section of seniors, as well as various other memorable activities of the school year. Yearbooks can be purchased throughout the school year at the Bookstore. *El Lobo* is distributed at a yearbook signing party in May.

## **SIGNS & POSTERS**

All posters, decorations, and tape shall be disposed of by 8:00 a.m. the school day following the activity. If this is not done, the sponsoring organization will be assessed \$5.00 payable to the Student Body Activity Fund. **Organizations or persons desiring to display posters must have authorization by the student council and assistant principal.** Publicity for election campaigning must follow the designated rules. All posters located inside the hallways must be placed on the provided bulletin boards. The custodial staff will take down any poster not on a bulletin board. Continued abuse of this policy will result in a \$50.00 fine assessed to the

sponsoring organization, payable to the Student Body Activity Fund. Please do not place posters on windows and refrain from using any type of tape on any building surface, inside and outside.

### **SPECTATOR BEHAVIOR**

Chandler High School participates in the AIA Victory with Honor program. Fan behavior is an integral part of upholding these principles. A paid entry fee does not constitute permission to taunt or cheer in a disrespectful, rude, or derogatory manner. Fans behaving in this way will be directed to leave the sports venue. Chandler High School students will be subject to the school's discipline policy as well. These principles apply to audiences at sporting and non-sporting events.

**\*\*Please note: Students must have transportation within 30 minutes home immediately following all school activities.**

### **STUDENT DROP OFF LOCATIONS**

The designated student pickup locations are behind the Chandler Center for the Arts (CCA) only. There is to be no loitering on campus at any time or in front of the gyms. School security and administration will issued school discipline students who are in violation of these rules. These citations will result in school consequences also. **Action could range from lunchtime detention to school suspension.**

### **TOBACCO OR IMITATION TOBACCO PRODUCTS**

The possession, use, distribution or sale of tobacco or imitation tobacco products on school grounds, at school-sponsored events and on school-sponsored transportation is prohibited. These products include but are not limited to: cigarettes, imitation or electronic cigarettes or hookah products and pens, mods and or jules/junos.

### **VISITORS**

All visitors to Chandler High School are required to sign the visitors' registry and obtain a visitors' badge located at the front desk upon arrival on campus. Student visitors from other schools are not permitted unless it is an exchange program authorized by the school, and they have received administrative approval.

### **WITHDRAWAL FROM CLASS**

The deadline for dropping a class without penalty is the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each semester.

### **WITHDRAWAL FROM SCHOOL**

The following steps must be taken for a student to withdraw from school:

1. Contact the counselor.
2. Obtain parental approval either through parent conference or phone confirmation to Registrar.
3. Complete forms obtained from registrar's office.
4. Get withdrawal slip signed by teachers, nurse, librarian, and bookstore clerk. Books must be turned in to the bookstore. Student ID's must be turned in to the Registrar.
5. Return the form to registrar's office.

***NO RECORDS WILL BE TRANSFERRED UNTIL ALL DEBTS ARE PAID.***

**\*THE FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION ENCOURAGE ALL STUDENTS TO REMAIN IN SCHOOL. STUDENTS WHO ARE HAVING PROBLEMS ARE ADVISED TO SEE THEIR COUNSELOR, A TEACHER, OR AN ADMINISTRATOR FOR GUIDANCE.**



Dear CUSD Families,

As part of our efforts to maintain a safe, secure online experience for students, Chandler Unified School District uses a technology tool known as Gaggle in grades K-12. This scanning program reviews student Google files for inappropriate images and /or content identified by keywords. Gaggle will flag content referencing intentions of violence, drug and alcohol use, sex, self-harm, hate speech, pornography, etc. It will also analyze images to block pornography and obscene visuals from reaching students.

Gaggle representative review google files throughout the day and night and send alerts to administrators at the school and the district office. School administrators will contact parents/guardians when an alert is received. If a parent/guardian cannot be reached, administrators will contact local law enforcement to request a well-check on students of alerts regarding threats of self-harm.

All school rules apply to the content on a student's Google Drive. Students are encouraged to practice responsible digital citizenship.

Gaggle Speak Up is another tool CUSD will be using. This tool is an anonymous tip line for students to share concerns about school safety and the well-being of fellow students. Trained professionals evaluate content and send an email regarding non-life-threatening items to school administrators. They will also call school officials in emergency situations and can even contact local law enforcement.

Students may report:

- Bullying
- Students in crisis
- Weapons brought to school
- Planned fights
- Threats of violence
- Other urgent situations

Phone: 480-573-8808

email: [speakup@gse.cusd80.com](mailto:speakup@gse.cusd80.com)

We look forward to continuing to collaborate with families to support and meet our students' needs and to protect them while in our care.

Thank you,

CUSD District Administration

## FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT (FERPA)

### Notice for Director Information

The *Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act* (FERPA), a Federal law, requires that Chandler Unified School District (CUSD), with certain exceptions, obtain your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child's education records. However, CUSD may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless you have advised the District to the contrary in accordance with District procedures. The primary purpose of directory information is to allow CUSD to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school publications. Examples include:

- A playbill, showing your student's role in a drama production;
- The annual yearbook;
- Honor roll or other recognition lists;
- Graduation programs; and
- Sports activity sheets, such as for wrestling, showing weight and height of team members.

Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations without a parent's prior written consent. Outside organizations include, but are not limited to, companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks. In addition, two federal laws require local educational agencies (LEAs) receiving assistance under the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965* (ESEA) to provide military recruiters, upon request, with three directory information categories – names, addresses and telephone listings – unless parents have advised the LEA that they do not want their student's information disclosed without their prior written consent. |

If you do not want CUSD to disclose directory information from your child's education records without your prior written consent, you must notify the District in writing within two weeks of the start of school. CUSD has designated the following information as directory information:

-Student's name	-Participation in officially
-Parent/Guardian's name	recognized activities and sports
-SAIS/Student ID number	-Weight and height of members of
-Address	athletic teams
-Telephone listing	-Degrees, honors, and awards
-Electronic mail address	received
-Photograph	-The most recent educational
-Date and place of birth	agency or institution attended
-Major Field of study	
-Dates of attendance	
-Grade level	

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| These laws are: Section 9528 of the ESEA (20 U.S.C. 7908), as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (P.L. 114-95), the education bill, and 10 U.S.C. 503, as amended by section 544, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002 (P.L. 107-107), the legislation that provides funding for the Nation's armed forces.



## CHANDLER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

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### NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

Chandler Unified School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, ethnicity, national origin, religion, sex or gender, sexual orientation, disability or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies:

#### Compliance officer for Title IX

**Notice of Non-discrimination:** [www.cusd80.com/nondiscrimination](http://www.cusd80.com/nondiscrimination)

Dr. Craig Gilbert, Assistant Superintendent  
1525 W. Frye Rd.  
Chandler, AZ 85224  
(480) 812-7630

Dr. Jeff Filloon, Director of Human Resources  
1525 W. Frye Rd  
Chandler, AZ 85224  
(480) 812-7624

#### Compliance officer for Section 504

Dr. Kymberly Marshall, Director of  
Student Services 500 W. Galveston St.  
Chandler, AZ 85225  
(480) 224-3732

#### Aviso de no discriminación

El Distrito Escolar Unificado de Chandler no discrimina por motivos de raza, color, origen étnico, nacionalidad, religión, sexo o género, orientación sexual, discapacidad o edad en sus programas y actividades y proporciona igualdad de acceso a Boy Scouts y a otros grupos juveniles designados. En conformidad con el Título IX, el Distrito no discrimina por motivos de sexo en ninguno de sus programas o actividades, incluyendo, pero no limitado a, admisiones y empleo. Las siguientes personas han sido designadas para encargarse de las consultas de Título IX con respecto a las políticas de no discriminación:

#### Funcionario de Cumplimiento de Título IX

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Dr. Jeff Filloon, Director of Human Resources  
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#### Funcionario de Cumplimiento para Sección 504

Dr. Kymberly Marshall, Director de Servicios  
Estudiantiles 500 W. Galveston St.  
Chandler, AZ 85225  
(480) 224-3732

#### Sexual Harassment and Title IX Policies:

[Sexual Harassment Policy ACA-E Complaint Form](#)

[Sexual Harassment Policy ACA-R](#)

[Title IX Sexual Harassment Policy ACAA](#)

[Title IX Sexual Harassment Policy ACAA-R](#)

[Sexual Harassment Policy ACA](#)



### STUDENT I.D. CARDS

All students are required to have their photo ID card issued by the high school they are attending in their possession at all times while on campus, and students must present it at the request of any faculty or staff member. **The ID must be visible, legible, and in its original condition.** Students who fail to comply will be subject to disciplinary action. A free student ID is available the first two weeks of school or within two weeks of enrollment. If the card is lost or stolen, there is a \$5.00 replacement cost. The ID card must be returned when withdrawing from school.

### STUDENT ACTIVITY PASS

A student activity pass is available at the beginning of each school year. The cost is \$35.00-\$50.00. This pass entitles students to free admission to all home athletic contests **Except A.I.A. tournaments.** With the card, some social activities on campus will have reduced costs. The pass will double as a student I.D. for school activities. Replacement cost is \$5.00.

### GUESTS FOR DANCES AND SCHOOL-SPONSORED ACTIVITIES

Students may invite guests to designated school dances. Prior approval must be secured from school administration. Students in grades 9-12 from other schools may be invited as guests, but are subject to the same dance and school regulations as District high school students. Guests must be 20 years of age or under and must bring a current photo ID with birth date.

### REPORT CARDS – Policy IKA-R/IKAB

Report cards are issued at the end of each nine-week grading period. **Chandler Unified began paperless grade reports in the 2015-2016 school year.** All progress reports and report cards can be printed from the Infinite Campus portal. **If you still require a paper copy please inform your school.**

Grade	Performance	Grade Points	Honor Courses
A	Superior	4	5
B	Above Average	3	4
C	Average	2	3
D	Below Average	1	1
F	Failure	0	0

### PROGRESS REPORTS—Policy IKAB

Progress reports are available on Infinite Campus midway through each nine-week period. Parents are encouraged to contact teachers for any clarification. Progress reports reflect the grade the student is earning at the time the Progress Report was issued.

### FINAL EXAMS

Students **may not** take semester final exams prior to the time they are scheduled. Students who are absent during semester final exams will receive an F (0%) for the final exam. In order for the grade to be changed, students must take the final within the first **two weeks** of the next semester as arranged through administration.

### TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES (MOVIES/VIDEOS/ELECTRONIC MATERIALS) LIND-R

Movies, videos and electronic materials with ratings other than for general audiences of all ages are not to be shown in classrooms or at any District facility (this includes buses and motels where students are present) except when:

- The movie, video or electronic material has been previewed by the teacher or other certificated staff member.
- The movie, video or electronic material has been determined to not contain material that is objectionable or inappropriate for the age group to which it is intended to be shown.
- The responsible school administrator has approved the use of the movie, video or electronic material prior to its showing.
- The teacher or other certificated staff member has provided advance notification to each student's parent(s), or other responsible adult, of the title of the movie, video or electronic material and the date on which it will be shown.
- When a movie, video or electronic material has a rating, the above advance notification will include the rating and the source providing the rating.
- A student whose parent(s) or other responsible adult has provided notice of their disapproval will not be permitted to view the movie, video or electronic material.

Parents have the right to request that their child not view any movie or video, regardless of its rating or the purpose for which it is to be shown.

A parent or guardian who objects to any learning material or activity on the basis that it is harmful includes objection to a material or activity because it questions beliefs or practices in sex, morality, or religion or, because of sexual content, violent content, or profane or vulgar language, may request to withdraw that student from the activity or from the class or program in which the material is used and request an alternative assignment. *Please reference CUSD Board Policy IJND*

### **NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP**

Sophomores, juniors and seniors with a 3.25 cumulative GPA are eligible for membership in the National Honor Society (NHS) as juniors and seniors. To be a member in good standing, all eligible students must maintain a 3.25 attend required number of NHS yearly meetings, perform 30 hours of community service and uphold standards in character and leadership during the school year. All students who are members of National Honor Society, and in good standing at the time of graduation, will receive a stole to be worn as part of the graduation regalia. **Students who are in NHS but do not qualify for the cum laude recognition will receive a gold stole. Students who are in NHS and qualify for the Cum Laude recognition will receive a black stole.** Students are responsible for purchasing their own stoles from the bookstore.

### **CUM LAUDE RECOGNITION**

Effective with the Class of 2020, all CUSD high schools will be using the Cum Laude recognition program. This will replace the concept of designating a valedictorian and salutatorian at graduation. This recognition program will be used to acknowledge the most academic successful students at graduation. More of our outstanding seniors will be recognized than the valedictorian/salutatorian concept allowed. The grade point average after the 7<sup>th</sup> semester will be used to determine the category.

The categories for distinction under the Cum Laude recognition program are as follows:

- **Cum Laude** - meaning "with praise". To qualify a student must achieve a 3.75 - 4.24 GPA.
- **Magna Cum Laude** - meaning "with great praise". To qualify a student must achieve a 4.25 - 4.49 GPA
- **Summa Cum Laude** - meaning "with the highest praise". To qualify a student must achieve a 4.5 - 5.0 GPA

### **AIA ELIGIBILITY**

To participate in extracurricular activities that involve interscholastic competitions or A.I.A. approved adjudication, students must pass all the classes on their schedules. Grades are reported every 4-1/2 weeks either through progress reports or report cards. If a student receives a failing grade, he or she will be declared ineligible on the day following issuance of report cards or progress reports. If a student is ineligible, the student must attend study hall every school day within one week, usually five days (Monday through Friday). The student must pass the class(es) on the Friday of the week study hall is served. The student will gain eligibility on the following Monday only.\

### **INELIGIBILITY/REMEDIATION**

Students have the opportunity to remediate the deficiency resulting in ineligibility for all grades except cumulative final semester grades. An administrator will assign the student who has failed at the 4 ½ or 9 week

periods to tutorial study hall and monitor the student attendance and grades. If after one week of full attendance at study hall, the student's grades improve to the point of eligibility, eligibility will continue from that point on until the next progress report or report card.

A student whose final grade for a course at the end of either the fall or spring semester is an "F" will be assigned by an administrator to tutorial study hall. The student's attendance and grades will be monitored. If after one week of full attendance at study hall, the student's grades improve to the point of eligibility, eligibility will continue from that point on until the next progress report or report card.

Note: Students may practice with their team or group while ineligible. **Students may not travel with the team, dress out or compete** while ineligible.

Note: On AIMS/AzMERIT test dates, study hall for ineligible student athletes will be adjusted that week.

### **Special Provisions**

Special education students will have their GPAs figured at face value. If the principal feels it necessary, a special staffing may be convened to consider eligibility. Final eligibility decisions rest with the principal.

Any student whose behavior presents a problem or jeopardizes school discipline will be restricted from participation in extracurricular activities until such time that his or her behavior warrants reinstatement.

### **RANDOM STUDENT DRUG TESTING—Policy JJIE**

All students in ninth through twelfth grade who participate in Arizona Interscholastic Association (AIA-Eligible) sports and/or extracurricular activities will be a part of the Random Drug-Testing Pool. Both a student and his or her parent must sign (written or electronic) the drug testing permission slip and agree to submit to Random Drug Testing if the student wants to participate in an AIA Sport or Activity. The student will stay in the drug testing pool for the entire academic year, even if his or her sport or activity ends prior to that time. There are no academic consequences for a positive drug or alcohol test; however, a positive drug test will result in increasing loss of eligibility for AIA-Eligible sports or activities. These consequences are cumulative for the entire time a student participates in AIA-Eligible sports and/or activities, which could be four years.

### **CONCUSSION EDUCATION COURSE - BRAINBOOK**

All student athletes shall complete the Brainbook Online Concussion Education course prior to initial participation in practice or competition (AIA Bylaw 41.23- adopted 8/15/2011). Please contact the athletic director's office for more information 480-812-7736.

### **PHYSICALS**

All athletes and members of marching band are required to have an annual physical prior to participation. The physical examination for the following school year shall be given on or after March 1st performed by a doctor of medicine (M.D.), an osteopathic physician (D.O.), a naturopathic physician (N.D., N.M.D.), a certified registered nurse practitioner (N.P.) licensed to practice, a certified physician's assistant (PA-C) registered by the Joint Board Of Medical Examiners and the Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery, or a certified chiropractic sports physician (CCSP). Please contact the athletic director's office, coach or band instructor for further information.

### **Athletic Fees-Policy JQEB**

Rostered athletes who have not yet paid their athletic fees will not be able to participate unless a fee waiver has been approved and is on file with site. If you are in need of a Fee Waiver, please contact your school Principal.

### **INSURANCE-Policy JLA**

All athletes must have proof of insurance before beginning participation. Insurance is available for all students who wish to pay for the policy. Further information may be obtained in the athletic director's office.

### **LETTERING**

Students can earn varsity letters in academics, athletics, and in the Fine Arts. For more information, contact the Athletic Director or appropriate administrator.

### **NONDISCRIMINATION NOTIFICATION-Policy JB**

Chandler Unified School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, age, or disability in admission to its programs, services, or activities, in access to them, in treatment of individuals, or in any aspect of their operations.

### **Notificación de Non Discriminación-Policy JB**

Chandler Unified School District no discrimina raza, color, nacionalidad, género, edad, o incapacidad de admisión a sus programas, servicios, o actividades, en acceso a ellas, en el tratamiento a individuos, o en ningún aspecto de sus operaciones.

### **FERPA RIGHTS**

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a complex Federal law that protects the privacy interests of parents and students with regard to educational records. Generally, FERPA gives parents the right to inspect and review their children's education records, request amendment of the records, and have some control over the disclosure of information from the records. When a student turns 18 or enters college, FERPA classifies him or her as an "eligible student" and transfers the rights under the Act from the parent to the student. FERPA requires school districts to notify parents and eligible students annually of their rights under the Act. When you turn 18 years of age, you have the right to your FERPA records.

### **ADA/TITLE IX**

The District does not have TDD's in use throughout the district. Please feel free to use the TTY relay or video relay services. School office staff can be assisted to help family and community with TTY relay or video relay services with help from the CUSD Hearing Impairment department. Please contact Pupil Personnel Services for help.

### **HOMELESS STUDENTS**

Notice of Student Rights under the "McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act". This federal legislation guarantees homeless children and youth the following:

- The right to immediate enrollment in school, even if lacking paperwork normally required for enrollment
- The right to attend school in his/her school of origin (if this is requested by the parent or unaccompanied children and youth and is feasible) or in the school in the attendance area where the family or youth is currently residing
- The right to receive transportation to his/her school of origin, if this is requested by the parent or unaccompanied children and youth
- The right to services comparable to those received by housed schoolmates, including transportation and supplemental educational services
- The right to attend school along with children not experiencing homelessness. Segregation based on a student's status as homeless is strictly prohibited
- The posting of homeless students' rights in all schools and other places around the community

The term "homeless children and youths"—

A. means individuals who lack a fixed, regular and adequate nighttime residence and includes:

- Children and youths who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals; or are awaiting formal care placement
- Children and youths who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human being
- Children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces or abandoned buildings; substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings
- Migratory children who qualify as homeless because the children are living in circumstances described above.

### **APPROVAL OF FLYERS-POLICY KDE**

Flyers for local non-profit organizations sponsoring student activities and flyers that promote third party invitations to students or parents who attend our schools, may be approved through our Community Education Department. Once the flyer is reviewed and approved they may be available to parents or students at a central location designated by the school. Community members who wish to distribute flyers should contact our Community Education Office at 480-224-3900.

### **HEALTH SERVICES-POLICY JLC**

Please see the health services department tab on the district website [www.mychandler.schools.org](http://www.mychandler.schools.org) for specific information and forms required for parents and doctors, the **medication administration policy**, health protocols for student illness, immunizations, hearing and vision screening programs, and information on specific health conditions.

School nurse and illness - The high school health office is staffed by a nurse to provide emergency care, health consultation, and act as a resource for students and parents. Specific procedures and permission forms are required for the school health office to administer any prescription medications; be aware that written orders from the prescribing physician are required if students are to receive such medications during school hours. If students become ill and must go home, a student leave permit must be obtained from the school health office and presented to the school attendance office before leaving campus.

#### **CHANDLER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT HEALTH PROTOCOL-Policy JLC**

To help you make decisions about whether your child should attend school, we have put together a list of guidelines. A child must not be in school and will be sent home if the following condition(s) are present:

1. Fever 100.4 degrees or higher. A child must be fever-free for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medication) before returning to school.
2. **\*Difficulty breathing, Headache, Loss of taste and smell.**
3. Persistent cough.
4. Sore throat with fever and/or white spots on the throat. **If strep throat is diagnosed (note required).**  
The child must be on antibiotics for 24 hours (without fever-reducing medication) before returning to school.
5. Rash with fever illness and/or signs of illness or behavioral changes. Such as chicken pox, measles, etc.
6. Skin sores on an exposed surface that are weeping fluid and cannot be covered
7. Vomited (not caused by motion sickness or a gag reflex unassociated with illness). A child must be free of symptoms for 24 hours before returning to school.
8. Diarrhea of two (2) or more loose/watery stools in a 24-hour period unless other signs of illness are present. A child must be free of symptoms for 24 hours before returning to school.
9. Red, itchy, and draining eyes. If conjunctivitis or "pink eye" is diagnosed, the child must be on antibiotics for 24 hours before returning to school.
10. Prolonged and/or persistent headache or stomachache that does not resolve.
11. Swelling or pain at a level that may interfere with learning.
12. Earache with severe discomfort and/or fever.
13. Toothache with facial swelling and/or fever.
14. Active (live) Head lice - A child must remain at home until treated with a pediculicide. A child may return to school if there are no live lice present. Please notify the Health Office as the student must be cleared to attend class.

#### **CHANDLER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GHUIDELINES FOR MEDICATION-Policy** **JLC/JLCD**

All medication is to be brought to school by the parent/guardian in a properly labeled container from the pharmacy and/or the original unopened over the counter packaging. You may ask the pharmacist to label two containers: one for school and one for home. Medications will not be sent home with students daily.

Medications will NOT be crushed without a licensed health care provider order. Parent/guardian is required to provide student specific pill crusher. If a medication needs to be cut in half, it will be done by the parent/guardian NOT the health assistant or nurse.

Any medications that the district/school nurse feels are unsafe will not be given until medical provider clarification is obtained. School nurses must follow all State Scope of Practice regulations.

Students will NOT be allowed to carry or administer their own medication except with special written permission from the parent/guardian, licensed healthcare provider, building administrator/principal, and school/district nurse. This includes prescriptions, over the counter medications and natural/ herbal supplements. No controlled substances will be allowed for self-carry for the safety of all students.

The parent/guardian is responsible to pick up the child's medication at the end of the school year. Any medication left over will be discarded on the last day of class. No Exceptions.

Parent/guardian are responsible for providing medications for overnight and extended day field trips with all appropriate paperwork.

#### **Prescription Medication:**

- Prescription medication must be prescribed by your child's Arizona healthcare provider and filled by a licensed pharmacy. Medication prescribed by out-of-state healthcare providers can be administered for up to 60 days. After 60 days, the prescription must be replaced by a provider

licensed in the State of Arizona. No Prescriptions from outside of the United States will be accepted.

- Medications prescribed to be taken one (1) two (2) and three (3) times a day are not routinely given at school. Exceptions may be made if the nurse discusses the need with the healthcare provider and they find this is necessary.
- A Consent for Medication Administration form must be filled out and signed by the child's healthcare provider, and the parent/guardian, in order for prescription medication to be given.
- A new Consent for Medication Administration form must be completed and signed by the child's healthcare provider for any changes to prescription medication (dosage, timing, etc.), including each new school year.
- The student is responsible for coming to the health office or to the designated person to take the medication.
- Narcotic pain medication, controlled substances, CBD oil and medical marijuana will not be given in the general education setting at school for the safety of the student. (ARS§15-108).

### **Over-the-Counter Medication:**

- All Non-prescription medications will be dispensed to students upon the completion of the Medication Administration form with parent/guardian signature. Medication will be given in accordance to package directions. Dosage must be weight and age appropriate per label (i.e. children specific formula).
- If medication is to be administered for three (3) consecutive days, a healthcare provider order must be submitted to the school health office for continuing administration of the medication beyond the three (3) days to ensure that use of this medication is not masking symptoms of a serious condition in the student.
- In order to minimize the possibility of a drug overdose, non-prescribed medications will not be dispensed during the first and last hours of the school day.
- A new Consent for Medication Administration form is required for each school year.
- The health office does have a supply of Acetaminophen (Tylenol) in pill form that we can give to your student if they will benefit from it and help keep them in school. For us to administer, the parent/guardian must give permission during the online registration process each school year. The frequent use of Acetaminophen (Tylenol) has been shown to cause liver problems in both children and adults therefore; we will use Acetaminophen (Tylenol) at our discretion. If we find we are administering Acetaminophen (Tylenol) on a recurrent basis, you may be contacted to provide a note from your doctor along with a supply of the medication for the health office.

### **Natural/Herbal Preparations and Dietary Supplements:**

Supplements aren't regulated by the FDA. Under the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act (DSHEA), the FDA treats supplements like food. Supplements can include minerals, vitamins or other natural biological substances and they are available in a variety of shapes and sizes, including concentrates, extracts, capsules, tablets, liquids and powders. Because these are not regulated by the FDA we have guidelines in place to ensure the safety of all students.

- All Natural, Herbal and Dietary supplements will be dispensed to students upon the completion and signature of the Consent for Medication Administration form by the parent/guardian.
- A new Consent for Medication Administration form is required for each school year.
- Supplement must be in original unopened container with all instructions intact on that container.
- If supplement is to be administered for more than three (3) consecutive days, a medical provider's order may be necessary.
- Supplements will not be given the first and last hour of the school day to avoid any possibility of overdose.
- Identification of the condition for which the product is being used is necessary. That includes all safety information, possible side effects, contraindications and adverse reactions.

## **EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT**

The **Every Student Succeeds Act** (ESSA) gives you the right to ask for the following information about each of your child's classroom teachers:

Whether the student's teacher –

- Has met State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- Is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- Is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher;
- Whether the child is provided services by para-professionals and, if so, their qualifications.

#### **RETURNED CHECK POLICY**

Checks are gladly accepted by CUSD. When providing a check as payment, the individual authorizes the district to either use information from the check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from the account, or to process the payment as a check transaction. With the electronic fund transfer method, funds may be withdrawn from the account as soon as the same day payment is made, and the check's writer will not receive his/her check back from the Financial institution. Any checks returned as unpaid to CUSD, the check writer's account may be electronically debited without further notice for the amount of the check, plus a \$25 returned check fee, as allowed by state law. Questions or issues regarding returned checks may be directed to nextcheck at 1-800-639-2465.

#### **DRESS CODE-Policy JICA**

Each year parents ask for guidelines as they help students select appropriate attire for school. School pride, morale, and image are influenced by the general appearance of students. CUSD wants to provide opportunities for students to express themselves within the set of parameters listed below:

##### **Brief and Revealing Clothing**

Students must recognize that brief and revealing clothing are not appropriate apparel in school. The following guidelines are examples and do not cover all situations.

Students shall not wear:

- Tank tops
- Halter-tops
- Garments with spaghetti straps
- Strapless garments
- Trench Coats

Garments that are "see-through," cut low, or expose one's midriff are not acceptable. Sleeveless garments must extend to the end of the shoulders and fit closely under the arms. Clothing should have adequate coverage to allow a full range of movement without skin or undergarments showing. Undergarments must not be visible. Clothing must cover the entire buttocks and extend a reasonable length to ensure modesty.

##### **Vulgar, Offensive Messages**

Students shall not wear clothing that display messages that are vulgar, offensive, obscene, or libelous; that demean others on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, or disability; that promote alcohol or drug use or violence; or that are otherwise contrary to the school's educational mission.

##### **Sagging Pants**

Students shall not wear pants that, when fastened, sag or fit below the waist. All pants must fit around the waist and be properly fastened.

##### **Gang-Related Attire**

Any attire or grooming deemed to be gang related is prohibited when such attire or grooming creates an atmosphere of threat, intimidation or undue pressure or disrupts the educational environment/process or interferes with curriculum goals/educational objectives.

##### **Footwear/Jewelry/Accessories**

- Shoes or sandals must be worn at all times on campus according to state law and for student safety.
- Body piercing that is a safety hazard and/or hinders performance in a classroom is not allowed.
- Wallet chains are not allowed.
- Students shall not wear hats or bandanas in district buildings except for a medical or religious purpose. Individual sites may have additional rules regarding footwear/jewelry/accessories. See your site handbook for specific information.
- Students cannot wear slippers on campus.
- Students shall not wear hats or head garments on Chandler High School campus except for medical or religious purpose.

##### **Student/Parent Responsibility**

Students and their parents/guardians have the responsibility to be aware of the school's dress code and conform to these requirements. Each school will meet the minimum guidelines of the district dress code but **may add other restrictions if the school administration deems it necessary.** If a student or parent has any questions

about whether specific attire or accessories are in compliance with the dress code, they should contact an Assistant Principal at their school site prior to wearing such attire or accessories to ensure compliance.

### **Administrator Discretion**

The school administration retains the final discretion to determine that the garment or accessory meets the dress code. Some exceptions may be made for uniforms, formal attire, and/or costumes.

### **Consequences**

Any student violating this policy is subject to disciplinary action including, but not limited to; warning, parent conference, after-school detention, community service, in-school suspension, or off-campus suspension. In addition, the student will remove the garment or accessory and replace it with an appropriate alternative provided by the school, student, or parent.

### **DUE PROCESS**

Students in Chandler Schools have rights. In disciplinary cases, students are entitled to due process. This means students:

1. Must be informed of the accusations against them.
2. Must have an opportunity to accept or deny the accusations.
3. Must have the factual basis for accusations explained to them.
4. Must have a chance to present an alternative factual position if the accusations are denied.

For student concerns, complaints and grievances, a student complaint form may be picked up from any administrative office.

## **STUDENT CONCERNS, COMPLAINTS, AND GRIEVANCES SCHOOL BOARD POLICY JII-EA/JII-R SUMMARY**

*This Regulation sets forth the procedure to be followed when a student or a student's parent or legal guardian wishes to present a concern, complaint, grievance or appeal that falls within the scope of Policy JII.*

- **Complaint form.** The District shall make a Complaint form (JII-EA) available at each school and at the District Office. The form shall also be available in electronic format. Complainants are encouraged to utilize this form, but shall not be required to do so. In order to provide the District with the information necessary to properly address the matter, any written Complaint that is filed should contain the same information that is requested on JII-EA (at a minimum). The Complaint should be signed by the complainant. A school or District administrator shall assist an individual in completing the grievance form upon request.
- **Timeframe for submission of complaint.** In order to facilitate meaningful investigation of a complaint, a complainant should submit his/her complaint as soon as possible and no more than thirty (30) days following the event or action giving rise to the complaint.
- **Personnel authorized to accept complaint.** A complaint may be submitted to the Principal, Assistant Principal or Dean of Students at each school or to the District Superintendent. The authorized person to whom the complaint is submitted at the school level shall ensure that the Superintendent (or designee) is apprised of the complaint.
- **Referral.** A referral will be made to the appropriate individual for investigation and response or take other appropriate action.
- **Acknowledgment of receipt of complaint.** The complainant will be provided with a written confirmation of the District's receipt of the complaint and contain the following information:
  - An assurance that the complaint will be handled as confidentially as possible.
  - Notice that the District prohibits retaliation against anyone who files a complaint or participates in a complaint investigation.
  - Informs the complainant that the District will endeavor to complete the investigation or resolution process in a timely manner, typically no more than thirty (30) calendar days of receipt of the complaint.
  - A request that the complainant provide any and all additional information or documentation relevant to the complaint.
  - Informs the complainant that he/she will be provided with a written report or letter at the conclusion of the process.
- **Investigation of complaint.** The assigned investigator will conduct an impartial and thorough investigation. The investigative process should include the following:
  - An interview with the complainant.
  - Interviews with other relevant individuals.
  - Follow up interviews as needed.
  - Review of relevant records or documents.
- **Notice of outcome of investigation.** The District will provide the complainant with written notice of the findings and conclusions of the investigation. The District will also provide notice of what,

if any, action will be taken by the District in response to the investigation.

- **Maintenance of records.** The District will maintain a confidential record of each complaint made pursuant to Policy JII at the District office. The record shall include a copy of the complaint or grievance filed by a student, findings of the investigation, and the disposition of the matter.
- **Report to Superintendent.** Disposition of all complaints or grievances shall be reported to the Superintendent and the compliance officer for discrimination if other than the Superintendent. The Superintendent will make such reports and/or referrals to the Board as may be necessary.
- **Withdrawal of complaint.** A complaint or grievance may be withdrawn at any time.
- **False reports.** A student who knowingly submits a false report may be subject to discipline in accordance with relevant District policies.
- **Report of crimes.** When District officials have a reasonable belief or an investigation reveals that a crime or possible crime has been committed, the matter shall be reported to the appropriate law enforcement agency if a report has not already been made.

#### **ABUSE OF TEACHER OR SCHOOL EMPLOYEE IN SCHOOL**

Arizona State Statutes (ARS 15-507) states that a person who knowingly abuses a teacher or other school employee on school grounds or while the teacher or employee is engaged in the performance of his duties is guilty of a class 3 misdemeanor.

#### **ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL ASSIGNMENT**

Under Arizona law (A.R.S. 15-841 E and F) a school district may reassign a student to an alternative education program if the student refuses to comply with school rules, refuses to pursue the required course of study, or refuses to submit to the authority of teachers, administrators or the Governing Board. A student can also be reassigned if he/she threatens an educational institution as defined in A.R.S. 13-2911.

#### **MANDATORY REPORTING OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITY TO**

##### **LAW ENFORCEMENT**

Arizona State Statutes (ARS 13-3620) require schools and school employees to report criminal activity to local law enforcement. Schools are also required to report incidences of child abuse, neglect, and crimes against children to local law enforcement and Department of Child Safety services.

Recent changes in the law require schools to report threats, or rumors of threats, made against schools, students and school personnel. Schools must also report all incidents of non-accidental injuries that might occur during altercations at school.

According to ARS 15-341 staff members are to report any suspected crimes against persons or property and any incidents that could potentially threaten the safety and security of pupils, teachers, or administrators to local law enforcement.

#### **BODY WORN CAMERAS (BWC'S)**

Increasingly, law enforcement agencies are utilizing BWC's in their law enforcement practices, including those agencies that collaborate with the District. We have requested and been provided with information concerning how these devices may be used. While each agency has adopted its own policy for the use of BWC's, we wanted to provide you with the following information below.

Generally, BWC's will only be turned on when there is a "law enforcement action" taking place or when deemed appropriate by the officer. BWC's are typically NOT utilized in the following circumstances:

- Traditionally private settings (bathrooms, locker rooms, during medical exams, etc.) absent a compelling reason to do so.
- When the victim of a sexual assault requests that a recording not be made.
- During casual interactions with individuals (i.e. when there is no law enforcement action), e.g., greeting and talking to students, when teaching law related classes, and when simply being a crime deterrent presence.
- When making a recording would be impossible, impractical, or unsafe.

All law enforcement agencies must comply with A.R.S. § 1-602(9), which requires, in pertinent part, written parent consent prior to making a video or voice recording, unless the video or voice recording is made by law enforcement officers during or as part of a law enforcement investigation, during or as part of an interview in a criminal or child safety services investigation or to be used solely for any of the following:

- Safety demonstrations, including the maintenance of order and discipline in the common areas of a school or on pupil transportation vehicles;
- A purpose related to a legitimate academic or extracurricular activity;
- A purpose related to regular classroom instruction;
- Security or surveillance of buildings or grounds; or
- A photo identification card.

## **CHANDLER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDENT CONDUCT—POLICY JIC**

Arizona state law makes the school responsible for the conduct and wellbeing of students from the time they leave home in the morning until they reach home in the evening.

The teacher is required by law to maintain a suitable environment for learning, and administrators have the responsibility for maintaining and facilitating the educational program. The administration is authorized to suspend students for cause.

Students shall not engage in improper behavior, including but not limited to the following:

- Any conduct intended to obstruct, disrupt, or interfere with teaching, research, service, administrative or disciplinary functions, or any activity sponsored or approved by the Board.
- Threatening an educational institution by interference with or disruption of the school per A.R.S. 13-2911 and 15-841.
- Physical abuse of or threat of harm to any person on District owned or controlled property or at District sponsored or supervised functions.
- Damage or threat of damage to property of the District, regardless of the location, or to property of a member of the community or a visitor to the school, when such property is located on District controlled premises.
- Forceful or unauthorized entry to or occupation of District facilities, including both building and grounds.
- Unlawful use, possession, distribution, or sale of tobacco, alcohol, or drugs or other illegal contraband on District property or at school-sponsored functions.
- Conduct or speech that violates commonly accepted standards of the District and that, under the circumstances, has no redeeming social value.
- Failure to comply with the lawful directions of District officials or any other law enforcement officers acting in performance of their duties, and failure to identify themselves to such officials or officers when lawfully requested to do so.
- Alleged conduct off campus or during non-school hours in which the student's continued attendance would negatively affect the school environment.
- Knowing violation of District rules and regulations. Proof that an alleged violator has a reasonable opportunity to become aware of such rules and regulations shall be sufficient proof that the violation was done knowingly.
- Any conduct constituting a breach of any federal, state, or city law or duly adopted policy of the Board.
- Carrying or possessing a weapon on school grounds.

In addition to the general rules set forth above, students shall be expected to obey all policies and regulations focusing on student conduct adopted by the Board. Students shall not engage in any activities prohibited herein, nor shall they refuse to obey any order given by a member of the faculty or staff who is attempting to maintain public order.

Any student who violates these policies and regulations may be subject to discipline up to expulsion, in addition to other civil and criminal prosecution. These punishments may be in addition to any customary discipline that the District presently dispenses. Such students may be removed from their respective attendance boundary schools and placed in alternative educational programs.

Local law enforcement shall be notified by the Superintendent regarding any suspected crime against a person or property that is a serious offense, involves a deadly weapon or dangerous instrument or that could pose a threat of death or serious injury to employees, students or others on school property. The authority of the Superintendent to establish regulations covering students may be delegated to principals for their individual schools. (Policy JIC - Student Conduct)

### **STUDENTS ARE SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINE IF INFRACTIONS OCCUR:**

1. At any high school activity/athletic event (home or away, day or night)
2. To and from school or school activities, including bus stops
3. In classrooms
4. On campus
5. On any District property

## **DANGEROUS ITEMS AND DEADLY WEAPONS**

### **BOARD POLICY JICI**

A student will be recommended for suspension/expulsion if using, displaying or carrying any dangerous instruments or deadly weapons or facsimiles on district property or at district functions. This also applies to students who assist another student in displaying, carrying or possessing dangerous instruments or deadly weapons. Any student aware of a dangerous instrument or weapon on campus should immediately make a report to security staff or administration.

For the purposes of this policy:

- Weapon means any of the following: A firearm, a destructive device, a dangerous instrument.
- Simulated weapon means an instrument displayed or represented as a weapon.
- Firearm means any of the following: Any loaded or unloaded gun that will, that is designed to, or that may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive; the frame or receiver of any such firearm; any firearm muffler or silencer; any explosive, incendiary, poison gas, bomb, grenade, rocket having a propellant charge of more than four ounces, missile having an explosive charge of more than one-fourth ounce, mine, or similar device; any combination of parts that could be readily assembled to form a firearm.
- Destructive device means: Any device other than a firearm that will, or is designed to, or may be readily converted to expel a projectile by any means of propulsion, such as a BB/pellet gun, slingshot, bow, or crossbow; any collection of parts that could be readily assembled to form a destructive device.
- Dangerous instrument means anything other than a firearm or destructive device that is carried, possessed, used, threatened to be used, or distributed by a student with the intent to intimidate or harm another person or property or with reckless disregard for the safety of others.
- School premises means the school, school grounds, school buses, or any premises, grounds, or vehicles used for school purposes and includes premises where school-sponsored events (for example, athletic games and competitions, music competitions, etc.) are held away from District property.
- Deadly weapon means any weapon designed for lethal use, including a firearm.

**Hazing** = There shall be no hazing, solicitation to engage in hazing, or aiding and abetting another who is engaged in hazing, of any person enrolled, accepted for or promoted to enrollment, or intending to enroll or be promoted to District schools within twelve calendar months. For purposes of this policy a person, as specified above, shall be considered a "student" until graduation, transfer, promotion or withdrawal from the District school. "Hazing" means any intentional, knowing, or reckless act committed by a student, whether individually or in concert with other persons, against another student and which both of the following apply:

- The act was committed in connection with an initiation into an affiliation with or the maintenance of membership in any organization that is affiliated with an educational institution.
- The act contributes to a substantial risk of potential physical injury, mental harm or degradation, or causes physical injury, mental harm or personal degradation.

"Organization" means an athletic team, association, order, society, corps, cooperative, club, or similar group that is affiliated with an educational institution and whose membership consists primarily of students enrolled at that educational institution. It is no defense to a violation of this policy if the victim consented or acquiesced to hazing. Report all acts of hazing to a teacher or an administrator immediately. In accord with statute, violations of this policy do not include either of the following:

- Customary athletic events, contests or competitions that are sponsored by an educational institution.
- Any activity or conduct that furthers the goals of a legitimate educational curriculum, a legitimate extracurricular program, or a legitimate military training program.

All students, teachers and staff shall take reasonable measures within the scope of their individual authority to prevent violations of this policy. Students and others may report hazing to any professional staff member.

Professional staff members must report the incident to the school administrator or next higher administrative supervisor, in writing, with such details as may have been provided. A failure by a staff member to timely inform the school administrator or next higher administrative supervisor of a hazing allegation or their observation of an incident of hazing may subject the staff member to disciplinary action in accord with District policies. The staff member shall preserve the confidentiality of those involved, disclosing the incident only to the appropriate school administrator or next higher administrative supervisor or as otherwise required by law. If evidence suggests that conduct complained of under this policy also constitutes a crime, the supervisor shall stop the investigation and promptly report to the appropriate law enforcement agency. If evidence suggests the conduct complained of under this policy constitutes child abuse, the incident should be reported according to the Administrative Regulation JLF. The requirement to report abuse applies to situations in which a child is the alleged abuser, as well as to situations in which an adult is the alleged abuser. Any instance of

reported or observed hazing which includes possible child abuse or violations of statutes known to the staff member shall be treated in accord with statutory requirements and be reported to a law enforcement agency.

To assure that students and staff are aware of its content and intent, a notice of this policy and procedure shall be posted conspicuously in each school building and shall be made a part of the rights and responsibilities section of the student handbook. Forms for submitting complaints are to be available to students and staff in the school offices.

Disposition of all reports/complaints shall be reported to the Superintendent. The Superintendent will determine if the policies of the District have been appropriately implemented and will make such reports and/or referrals to the Board as may be necessary.

All violations of this policy shall be treated in accord with the appropriate procedures and penalties provided for in District policies related to the conduct and discipline of students, staff, and others. This information can be referenced in Governing Board Policy JICFA and JICFA-EA.

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## **BULLYING/HARASSMENT/INTIMIDATION** BOARD POLICY SUMMARY

Retaliatory or intimidating acts against any student who has made a complaint under this policy and its corresponding regulations, or against a student who has testified, assisted or participated in any manner in an investigation relating to a complaint or grievance, are specifically prohibited and constitute grounds for a separate complaint. *Knowingly submitting a false report under this policy shall subject the student to discipline up to and including suspension or expulsion. Where disciplinary action is necessary pursuant to any part of this policy, relevant district policies shall be followed.*

The Governing Board believes it is the right of every student to be educated in a positive, safe, caring, and respectful learning environment. The Board further believes a school environment inclusive of these traits maximizes student achievement, fosters student personal growth, and helps students build a sense of community that promotes participation as members of society. To assist in achieving a school environment based on the beliefs of the Governing Board, bullying, harassment or intimidation as defined by this policy will not be tolerated.

**Bullying** = a repeated act occurring over an extended period of time, and may include, but is not limited to, verbal, written/printed or graphic exposure to derogatory comments, extortion, exploitation, name calling, or rumor spreading either directly through another person or group or through cyberbullying; exposure to social exclusion or ostracism; physical contact including but not limited to pushing, hitting, kicking, shoving, or spitting; damage to or theft of personal property.

**Cyberbullying** = any act of bullying committed by use of electronic technology or electronic communication devices; telephonic devices, social networking, Internet on school computers, networks, forums and mailing lists, or other District-owned property, and by means of an individual's personal electronic media and equipment.

**Harassment** = intentional disruptive or threatening behavior by a student(s) to another student(s); includes, but are not limited to, stalking, hazing, social exclusion, name calling unwanted physical contact, unwelcome verbal or written comments, photographs and graphics; harassment, direct or indirect, may be related, but not limited to, race, religious orientation, sexual preference, cultural background, economic status, size or personal appearance.

**Intimidation** = intentional behavior by a student(s) that places another student(s) in fear of harm of person or property; may be manifested emotionally or physically, directly or indirectly, and by use of social media.

Students are prohibited from bullying, harassing, and intimidating others on school grounds, school property, school buses, at school bus stops, at school sponsored events and activities, and through the use of electronic technology or electronic communication equipment on school computers, networks, forums, or mailing lists.

If a student who is experiencing or believes another student is experiencing **bullying, harassment, or intimidation**, the following process is in place to address the issue:

1. Report the situation to an administrator or appropriate school employee immediately. School personnel shall maintain confidentiality of the reported information.
2. A detailed verbal or written description of the incident must be provided on appropriate school forms and submitted to the principal or administrator as promptly as possible.

3. The administrator will provide the student with a written copy of the Student Rights Policy, and support services available to the student
4. The administrator will notify the student's parent/guardian of the report.
5. The administrator will investigate all reports.
6. If bullying, harassment, or intimidation has occurred, discipline will be administered pursuant to Board Policies JK, JKD, and JKE.
7. Regardless of the outcome of the investigation, the principal will meet with the involved students to review the findings of the investigation.
8. Parents/Guardians of the involved students shall be informed of the findings of the investigation.

Please refer to Policy JI and Administrative Regulation JI-R to review students' rights and responsibilities. Please see [Link to Policy JI](#) and [Link to Administrative Regulation JI-R](#).

Documentation related to reported bullying, harassment, or intimidation and subsequent investigations shall be maintained by the District for not less than six (6) years. Restrictions established by FERPA on disclosure of personally identifiable student information will be observed at all times.

**APPROPRIATE USE OF TECHNOLOGY –  
STUDENT USE OF PERSONAL TECHNOLOGY  
BOARD POLICY IJNDC-R SUMMARY**

The Governing Board intends that technological resources provided by the District be used in a safe responsible and proper manner in support of the instructional program and for the advancement of student learning. The Chandler Unified School District views the use of electronic resources as central to the delivery of its educational program, and as such maintains the expectation that all students will use electronic resources as an essential part of their learning experiences. It is the policy of the Chandler Unified School District to maintain an environment that promotes ethical and responsible conduct in all electronic resource activities by staff and students.

Students are authorized to use District equipment and personal electronic devices to access the Internet or other online services in accordance with Board policy, the use obligations and responsibilities specified below and outlines in the District's Acceptable Use Agreement.

- Students shall use the district's system safely and for educational purposes only.
- Students shall not use the District's electronic information services to encourage or facilitate the use of drugs, alcohol or tobacco, or other unethical activities.
- Students are prohibited from accessing, posting, submitting, publishing or displaying harmful or inappropriate material that is threatening, obscene, disruptive, or sexually explicit, or that could be defined as harassment based on race/ethnicity, sex, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion or political beliefs.
- Students shall not disclose, use or disseminate personal identification information about themselves or others when using email, chat rooms or other forms of electronic communication, unless instructed to do so by school personnel.
- Students shall not use the system to threaten, intimidate, harass or ridicule other students or staff.
- All materials utilized for research projects should be appropriately cited as with other printed sources of information.
- Vandalism will result in the cancellation of user privileges or more severe consequences.
- Students shall not read other users' email or files without permission. Nor shall they attempt to read, delete, modify or use another's identity electronically.
- Students shall report any security problem or misuse of the network to appropriate school personnel.

Before a student may use district technology and/or personal electronic devices, the student and his/her parent/guardian shall sign the following documents outlining the expectations and responsibilities:

- Bring Your Own Technology Responsibility Use Agreement
- Acceptable Use Agreement.

The District reserves the right to monitor use of the District's systems for improper use without warning or prior consent. Students shall be informed that computer files and electronic communications, including email, are not private and may be accessed by the District at any time. When a student violates any part of the policy, the principal or designee may cancel or limit the student's user privileges or increase supervision of the student's use of technological resources as appropriate. Inappropriate use may result in disciplinary action and/or legal action in accordance with the law and Board policy.

**TITLE IX SEXUAL HARASSMENT**  
**BOARD POLICY ACAA SUMMARY**

Title IX of the Federal Education Amendments Act protects people from discrimination based on sex in education programs or activities that receive Federal financial assistance. The District does not discriminate on the basis of sex and is required by Title IX not to discriminate in such a manner. The District adheres to all conditions established by Title IX by recognizing the right of every student who attends school in the District and every employee who works in the District to do so without the fear of sexual harassment.

The District accepts and shall employ the definition of sexual harassment as established by the Title IX regulations. Sexual harassment means conduct on the basis of sex that satisfies one or more of the following:

- A. An employee of the District conditioning the provision of an aid, benefit, or service of the District on an individual's participation in unwelcome sexual conduct;
- B. Unwelcome conduct determined by a reasonable person to be so severe, pervasive, and objectively offensive that it effectively denies a person equal access to the District's education program or activity; or
- C. "Sexual assault" as defined in 20 U.S.C. 1092(f)(6)(A)(v), "dating violence" as defined in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a)(10), "domestic violence" as defined in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a)(8), or "stalking" as defined in 34 U.S.C. 12291(a)(30).

The District also accepts and shall employ the definition of a complainant as an individual who is alleged to be the victim of conduct that could constitute sexual harassment, and a respondent as an individual who has been reported to be the perpetrator of conduct that could constitute sexual harassment.

The District shall designate and authorize an employee as the "Title IX Coordinator" to comply with its responsibilities pertaining to sexual harassment under Title IX. Inquiries about the application of Title IX may be referred to the District's Title IX Coordinator.

Any person may report sex discrimination, including sexual harassment, regardless of whether the person reporting is the person alleged to be the victim of the reported conduct or not. A report may be made in person, by mail, by telephone, or by electronic mail, using the contact information listed for the Title IX Coordinator, or by any other means that results in the Title IX Coordinator receiving the person's verbal or written report. Such a report may be made at any time (including during non-business hours) by using the telephone number or electronic mail address, or by mail to the office address, listed for the Title IX Coordinator. The District shall notify students, parents or legal guardians of students, employees, applicants for employment, and all unions or professional organizations holding collective bargaining or professional agreements with the District, of the name or title, office address, electronic mail address, and telephone number of the Title IX Coordinator.

The District will respond promptly when any school employee has notice of sexual harassment. Upon receipt of notice of sexual harassment, the Title IX Coordinator shall notify the complainant, including the parent/guardian of a minor complainant, of the District's grievance procedures and grievance process, including how to report or file a complaint of sex discrimination, how to report or file a formal complaint of sexual harassment, and how the District shall respond. The District is committed to investigating each formal complaint submitted and to taking appropriate action on all confirmed violations of policy. The District shall follow grievance procedures that provide for the prompt and equitable resolution of formal complaints from students and employees alleging sexual harassment.

The District shall, to the extent reasonably feasible, keep confidential the identity of any individual who has made a report or filed a formal complaint of sexual harassment, any complainant, any individual who has been reported to be the perpetrator of sex discrimination, any respondent, and any witness, except as is necessary to carry out the grievance process and as may otherwise be permitted by law.

Title IX sexual harassment complaints may include violations covered by Arizona's mandatory reporting statute, A.R.S. §13-3620. Any abuses classified by statute as "reportable offenses" must be reported as such to the authorities because not reporting a reportable offense is classified as a Class 6 Felony.

**Retaliation Prohibited**

Neither the District nor any person may intimidate, threaten, coerce, or discriminate against any individual for the purpose of interfering with any right or privilege secured by Title IX, or because the individual has in good faith made a report or complaint, testified, assisted, or participated or refused to participate in any manner in an investigation, proceeding, or hearing. Intimidation, threats, coercion, or discrimination, including charges against an individual for violations that do not involve sex discrimination or sexual harassment, but arise out of the same facts or circumstances as a report or complaint of sex discrimination or a report or formal complaint

of sexual harassment, for the purpose of interfering with any right or privilege secured by Title IX, constitutes retaliation.

To view policy ACAA, please follow this link: [Title IX Sexual Harassment Policy ACAA](#)

## **STUDENT INTERROGATIONS, SEARCHES AND ARRESTS** **BOARD POLICY JIH AND JIH-R SUMMARY**

### ***INTERVIEWS:***

School officials may question students without limitation with regards to all relevant matters. The parent will be contacted if a student interviewed is then subject to discipline for a serious offense. A student may decline at any time to be interviewed by the School Resource Officer (SRO) or another peace officer.

#### ***CHILD ABUSE CASES—Policy JLF***

If a department of child safety (DCS) worker or peace officer enters the campus requesting to interview a student attending the school, the school administrator shall be notified. Access to interview shall be granted when the child to be interviewed is the subject of or is the sibling of or is living with the child who is the subject of an abuse or abandonment investigation. The personnel of the District shall cooperate with the investigating department of child safety services worker or peace officer. If a student is taken into temporary custody in accordance with A.R.S. 8-821, the department of child safety services worker or peace officer may be reminded to notify the student's parent of the custody, pursuant to A.R.S. 8-823. The department of child safety services worker or peace officer shall be requested to establish proper identification and complete and sign a "Form for Signature of Interviewing Officer." Six (6) hours following the relinquishment of custody by the school, school personnel may respond to inquiries about the temporary custody of the child and may, if considered necessary, call the parent.

#### ***CASES WHERE SCHOOL SAFETY IS NOT AN ISSUE:***

If a peace officer enters the campus requesting to interview a student attending the school on an issue other than upon request of the school or for abuse or abandonment, the school administrator shall be notified. If the officer directs that parents are not to be contacted because the interview is related to criminal activity of the parent(s)/guardian, the school official shall comply with the request. Unless these circumstances exist the parent will be contacted and will be asked if they wish the student to be interviewed. If the parent consents the parent will be requested to be present or to authorize the interview in their absence within the school day of the request. Where an attempt was made and the parent(s) could not be reached or did not consent within the school day of the request, the peace officer will then be requested to contact the parent(s) and make arrangements to question the student at another time and place.

#### ***CASES WHERE STUDENT SAFETY IS AN ISSUE:***

When a peace officer is present on the campus to interview students at the request of school authorities due to concerns for the safety of the students in the school population, parent contact shall only be made if a student is taken into custody or following the determination that the student may be subject to discipline for a serious offense. The SRO, present at the request of the school for the continued maintenance of safety and order, may interview students as necessary regarding school related issues as determined by school officials and parents will be contacted if the student is to be taken into custody or if the student is subject to discipline for a serious offense.

#### ***SEARCHES—Policy JIH***

School officials have the right to search and seize property, including school property assigned to students, when health, safety, and/or welfare of the student(s) is in jeopardy, or when there is reason to believe that a search will turn up evidence that the student has violated school rules or the law. Searches may also include a student's personal property such as backpacks, pockets, and other personal effects. Disrobing of a student is overly intrusive for purposes of most student searches and is improper without express concurrence from School District counsel. Items provided by the District for storage (e.g., lockers, desks) by students are school property and are subject to its control and supervision. Students have no reasonable expectancy of privacy in school-provided lockers, desks or other storage areas, and may be inspected at any time with or without reason, or with or without notice, by school personnel. The District reserves the right to monitor and inspect the student use of the District's technology, internet and network systems, with or without reason, or with or without notice, by school personnel.

#### ***ARRESTS***

When a peace officer enters a campus providing a warrant or subpoena, or comes with the intent of taking a student into custody, the peace officer will provide proper identification, and complete and sign a form required of an arresting and/or interviewing officer for the school. The school staff shall cooperate with the officer, and

may respond to parental inquiries about the arrest. The school may explain the relinquishment of custody by the school and the location of the student, if known, upon contact by the parent.

## CUSD Discipline Infraction Glossary

### **AGGRESSION**

#### **Verbal Provocation**

Use of language or gestures that may incite another person or other people to fight.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

#### **Minor Aggressive Act**

Inappropriate physical contact: Hitting, poking, pushing, shoving, tussles, minor confrontations. Other behaviors that may be considered under this violation are: running in the building, hallways or corridors, pulling a chair out from underneath another person or behavior that demonstrate low level hostile behavior.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

#### **Disorderly Conduct**

A person with intent to disturb the peace or quiet of a neighborhood, family or person, or with knowledge of doing so. Unreasonable noise, physical retaliation, commotion. Refuses to obey a lawful order.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

*Mandatory Police Report*

#### **Recklessness**

Unintentional, careless behavior that may pose a safety or health risk for others. “**Throwing objects**” in an unsafe/dangerous manner. This includes reckless behavior that threatens the safety and well-being of others. This includes throwing objects at school-sponsored events and while on school sponsored transportations.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

#### **Endangerment/Unsafe Behavior**

Acting in a way (verbal, written or physical) that may lead to a dangerous situation and/or threatens the safety of self or others. This may include knowingly and willingly withholding information that leads to such situations.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Expulsion*

#### **Fighting**

Fighting includes mutual participation in a fight involving physical violence or harm caused to another person. There is no one main offender. Purpose is to cause harm to another person. Fighting does not include verbal confrontation, tussles, or other minor confrontations.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

#### **Assault**

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly causing any physical injury to another person. Intentionally placing another person in reasonable apprehension of imminent physical injury. Knowingly touching another person with the intent to injure, insult or provoke such person. *This includes situations in which one person or group of persons physically attacks or "beats up on" another person who does not wish to engage in the conflict.*

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension- Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

#### **Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs**

**Sale, Distribution, Intent to Sell, Intent to Distribute, Use, Possession, Share**

#### **Alcohol (Distribution, Possession, Use, Sale)**

The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, distribution, purchase, transportation, possession, or use of intoxicating alcoholic beverages or substances represented as alcohol. This includes being intoxicated at school, school-sponsored events and on school-sponsored transportation.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICH, JICC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension- Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

**Drugs (Distribution, Possession, Use, Sale)**

*Inhalants, Prescription Drugs, Over the Counter Drugs, Drug Paraphernalia, Substance represented as illicit drug*

Illicit Drugs:

- Ecstasy
- Cocaine or Crack
- Hallucinogens
- Heroin
- Marijuana
- Methamphetamines
- Other illicit drug

The unlawful use, cultivation, manufacture, distribution, sale, purchase, possession, transportation, or importation of any controlled drug, imitation of an illegal drug, or narcotic substance prohibited by law, or equipment and devices used for preparing or taking drugs or narcotics. Includes being under the influence of drugs at school or imitation of illegal drugs at school, school-sponsored events and on school-sponsored transportation.

"Drug" means any narcotic drug, dangerous drug, marijuana or peyote and shall include but are not limited to: all dangerous controlled substances prohibited by law, hallucinogenic substances and inhalants, and any prescription or over-the-counter drug if abused by the student, except those for which permission to use in school has been granted pursuant to Board policy. Category does not include tobacco and alcohol.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICH, JICC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension- Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

**Tobacco (Distribution, Possession, Use, Sale)**

The distribution, possession, use or sale of tobacco products, **including imitation tobacco (electronic cigarette, hookah, water pipe, vaping device)** on school grounds, school-sponsored events and on school-sponsored transportation.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

Mandatory Police Report

**ARSON**

**Arson**

Knowingly and unlawfully damaging a structure or personal property by knowingly causing a fire or explosion.

**Arson of an Occupied Structure**

By knowingly and unlawfully damaging an occupied structure by causing a fire or explosion with one or more human beings either is or is likely to be present or so near as to be in equivalent danger at the time the fire or explosion occurs. The term includes any dwelling house, whether occupied, unoccupied or vacant.

*Board Policy Reference: ECAC, JIC, JICB*

*Consequence Range: Restitution and: Suspension – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report (Occupied Structure)

**ATTENDANCE**

**Tardy**

Arriving at school or class after the scheduled start time.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

**Leaving School Grounds without Permission**

Leaving school grounds or being in an "out-of-bounds" area during regular school hours without permission of the principal or principal designee. Students who leave without permission create a serious legal liability problem for the district.

*Board Policy Reference: JH, JHB*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Contact CUSD Truancy Officer - Referral to Chandler Justice Court – Alternative Placement - Suspension*

### **Unexcused Absence**

When a student is not in attendance for an entire day and does not have an acceptable excuse.

*Board Policy Reference: JH, JHB*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Contact CUSD Truancy Officer - Referral to Chandler Justice Court – Alternative Placement - Suspension*

### **Truancy**

It is unlawful for any child between six to sixteen years of age to fail to attend school during the hours school is in session. “Habitually truant” means at least five school days within a school year. “Truant” means an unexcused absence for at least one class period during the day.

*Board Policy Reference: JH, JHB*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Contact CUSD Truancy Officer - Referral to Chandler Justice Court – Alternative Placement - Suspension*

## **HARASSMENT, THREAT, AND INTIMIDATION**

### **Harassment, Nonsexual**

A person commits harassment with intent to harass or with knowledge that the person is harassing another person. The person anonymously or otherwise communicated or causes a communication with another person by verbal, electronic, mechanical, telegraphic, telephonic or written means in manner that harasses. Follows another person in or about a public place for no legitimate purpose, repeatedly commits an act or acts that harass another person, on more than one occasion, makes a false report to a law enforcement, credit or social service agency.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICFB, JICK*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Bullying**

Bullying occurs over an extended period of time, and may include, but is not limited to, verbal, written/printed or graphic exposure to derogatory comments, extortion, exploitation, name calling, or rumor spreading either directly through another person or group or through cyberbullying; exposure to social exclusion or ostracism; physical contact including but not limited to pushing, hitting, kicking, shoving, or spitting; damage to or theft of personal property.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICFB, JICK*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Cyberbullying**

Any act of bullying committed by use of electronic technology or electronic communication devices; telephonic devices, social networking, Internet on school computers, networks, forums and mailing lists, or other District-owned property, and by means of an individual’s personal electronic media and equipment.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICK*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Threat or Intimidation – A.R.S. 13-1202 Person**

When a person indicates by word or conduct the intent to cause physical injury or serious damage to a person or their property. Reckless disregard to causing serious public inconvenience including, but not limited to, evacuation of a building, place of assembly or transportation facility. To promote, further or assist in the interests of or to cause, induce or solicit another person to participate in a criminal street gang, a criminal syndicate or a racketeering enterprise. Retaliation for victim reporting or being involved in an organization established for the purpose of reporting. Ex: threats made over the telephone, threats to beat someone up, threats made by text messages or on social media, at home or at school.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICK*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Hazing**

Any intentional, knowing or reckless act committed by a student, whether individually or in concert with other persons, against another student, and in which both the act was committed in connection with an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in any organization that is affiliated with an educational institution and the act contributes to a substantial risk of potential physical injury, mental harm or degradation, or causes physical injury, mental harm or personal degradation.

*Board Policy Reference: JICFA*

*Consequence Range: Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### Hate Crime

A criminal offense or threat against a person, property or society that is motivated, in whole or in part, by the offender's bias against a race, color, national origin, ethnicity, gender, religion, disability or sexual orientation. This includes any crime that manifests evidence of prejudice based on race, religion, sexual orientation, or ethnicity.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

## **LYING, CHEATING, FORGERY, OR PLAGIARISM**

### Cheating

To deprive of something valuable by the use of deceit or fraud; to influence or lead by deceit, trick or artifice.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Jr HS Consequence Range: Teacher Resolution - Suspension*

*HS Consequence Range: Conference – Removal from class – Refer to specific school policy*

### Forgery

Falsely and fraudulently making or altering a document.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

### Lying

To make an untrue statement with intent to deceive; to create a false or misleading impression. Includes “**False Accusation**” with the intent to defame or cause harm.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

### Plagiarism

To steal and pass off the ideas or words of another as one’s own.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

## **SCHOOL POLICIES, OTHER VIOLATIONS**

### Defiance/Disrespect of Authority

Refusal to comply with reasonable requests of school personnel or refusal to obey classroom and school rules. Student engages in refusal to follow directions, talks back, or delivers socially rude interactions.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

### Combustible

Student in possession of substance or object that is readily capable of causing bodily harm or property damage, ie: matches, lighters, firecrackers, gasoline, and lighter fluid.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension – Expulsion*

### Possession of Contraband

Items state in school policy as prohibited because they may disrupt the learning environment.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension - Expulsion*

### Disruption

Student engages in behavior causing an interruption in a class or activity. Disruption includes sustained loud talk, yelling, or screaming; noise with materials; horseplay or roughhousing; or sustained out of seat behavior.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

### Dress Code Violation

Dressing in a manner that may result in a distraction or disruption of a safe environment. Attire that suggests involvement in gang activity or any apparel that is suggestive, obscene, lewd, shows vulgar language or symbols, or shows symbols or language relating to or promoting sex, drugs, tobacco, or alcohol on clothing are expressly prohibited. **Schools may have guidelines that are more restrictive.**

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICA*

*Consequence Range: Conference requesting change of clothes - Suspension*

### Gambling

Participating in games of chance for the purpose of exchanging money or goods.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

**Language, Inappropriate**

Student delivers verbal messages that include swearing, name calling, or use of words in an inappropriate way.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension - Expulsion*

**Gangs (Negative Group Affiliation)**

An ongoing loosely or highly organized association of three or more persons, whether formal or informal, that has a common name, signs, symbols or colors, whose members engage, either individually or collectively, in violent or other forms of illegal behavior. This includes students wearing, carrying or displaying gang paraphernalia and/or exhibiting behavior or gestures that symbolize gang membership.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICF*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Expulsion*  
*Mandatory Police Report*

**Parking Lot Violation**

Inappropriate or reckless use of a motorized vehicle on school property or to school sponsored events. Other parking lot violations.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JLIE*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension - Expulsion*

**Public Display of Affection**

Holding hands, kissing, sexual touching or other displays of affection in violation of school policy.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension*

**Other Violation of School Policy**

Student does not meet the expectations of the teacher or staff member. May be based on class/team/organization's rules, policies, and procedures.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference - Suspension*

**SCHOOL THREAT**

**Bomb Threat**

Threatening to cause harm using a bomb, dynamite, explosive, or arson-causing device.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICI*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension - Expulsion*  
*Mandatory Police Report*

**Other School Threat - A.R.S. 13-2911 Educational Institution**

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly interferes with or disrupts normal operations of an educational institution by either threatening to cause physical injury or damage. "Interference with or disruption of" includes any act that might reasonably lead to the evacuation or closure of any property.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Expulsion*  
*Mandatory Police Report*

**SEXUAL OFFENSES**

**Pornography**

Sexually explicit depiction of persons, in words or images, created with the primary, proximate aim, and reasonable hope, of eliciting significant sexual arousal on the part of the consumer of such materials.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*  
*Mandatory Police Report*

**Indecent Exposure or Public Sexual Indecency**

When a person exposes his/her genitals or anus or exposes the areola or nipple of their breast(s) and another person is present, and the defendant is reckless about whether the other person, as a reasonable person, would be offended or alarmed by the act. This includes flashing and mooning. Public sexual indecency includes, but is not limited to, intentionally or knowingly engaging in an act of sexual conduct, sexual touching, oral sexual contact, or sexual intercourse.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*  
*Consequence Range: Conference – Expulsion*

## Mandatory Police Report

### **Sexual Harassment**

Unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature that denies or limits a student's ability to participate in or to receive benefits, services, or opportunities in the school's program. It can include unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal, nonverbal, or physical conduct of a sexual nature. Conduct is offensive and objectionable, causes discomfort or humiliation or interferes with school performance. Includes: sexual comments, gestures, jokes or looks, spreading sexual rumors and clothing pulled at, off or down off in a sexual manner.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, ACA, ACAA*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

### **Sexual Harassment with Contact**

Sexual Harassment that includes unwanted physical contact of nonsexual body parts.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, ACA, ACAA*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

### **Accidental Contact**

Accidentally making physical contact with another person's body.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, ACA, ACAA*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

### **Sexual Assault (Rape)**

Intentionally or knowingly engaging in sexual intercourse (vaginal, anal, or oral penetration) with any person without consent of that person: Rape includes penetration using a foreign object.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

## **TECHNOLOGY AND IMPROPER USE**

### **Network Infraction**

Each user will be required to sign an EIS user's agreement. Electronic Information Services include anything attached to, or delivered through the District's network (Local Access, Wide Area, Internet), any computer accessible sources of information (hard drives, tapes, CDs, floppy disks, or other electronic sources), and the School District phone system.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, IJNDB*

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension – Expulsion*

### **Telecommunication Device (Electronic Device)**

Misuse, abuse of electronic devices to photograph, film, videotape or digitally record or by any other device images of students and staff and/or distribute or publish any of the above without the consent of the person depicted and/or without the person's knowledge. This includes the misuse, abuse or blatant disregard of CUSD EIS (Electronic Information Services) guidelines and procedures.

While it is becoming increasingly popular for students to post material on social media, please be aware that if material posted, either at home or at school, is viewed as inappropriate, harassment or disruptive to the educational environment, students will be subject to disciplinary action.

*Consequence Range: Conference – Suspension – Expulsion*

## **THEFT**

### **Theft - Personal or School Property**

Taking or attempting to take money or property belonging to another person or the school with the intent to permanently deprive the victim of his or her possessions. Controls property of another knowing or having reason to know that the property was stolen.

### **Theft – Petty**

Thefts under \$100

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Restitution and Suspension – Expulsion*

Mandatory Police Report

### **Extortion**

Asking for or demanding money or something of value from another person in return for protection or in connection with a threat to inflict harm.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Suspension- Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

## **TRESSPASSING**

### **Trespassing**

To enter or remain on a public school campus without authorization or invitation and with no lawful purpose for entry. This includes students under suspension or expulsion and unauthorized persons who enter or remain on a campus after being directed to leave.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC*

*Consequence Range: Conference - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

## **VANDALISM OR CRIMINAL DAMAGE**

### **Graffiti or Tagging**

Writing on walls, drawings or words that are scratched, painted, or sprayed on walls or other surfaces in public places

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICF*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Vandalism (destruction of school or personal property)**

The willful or malicious damage, destruction, injury, disfigurement or defacement of school or personal property without consent.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, ECAC*

*Consequence Range: Restitution and Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

## **WEAPONS AND DANGEROUS ITEMS**

### **Firearms including Destructive Devices (Distribution, Possession, Use)**

“Firearm” means any loaded or unloaded handgun, pistol, revolver, rifle, shotgun, starter gun or other weapon that will expel, is designed to expel or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive. This includes the frame or receiver of any such weapon. “Destructive Device” a category of firearm that includes an explosive combustible or poisonous gas. This includes grenades, mines and rockets.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICI*

*Consequence Range: Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Other Weapons (Distribution, Possession, Use)**

Any instrument or object possessed or used to inflict harm on another person or to intimidate any person. This may include but not limited to: nunchakus, brass knuckles, Chinese stars, Billy clubs, knives at least 2.5 inches, electrical weapons or devices. Weapons are strictly prohibited.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICI*

*Consequence Range: Suspension - Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Dangerous Item (Distribution, Possession, Use, Sale)**

A dangerous item used to cause bodily injury to, threaten, or intimidate another person may be classified as a dangerous instrument. This includes, but is not limited to: B.B. gun, paintball gun, pellet gun, **knife less than 2.5 inches**, taser or stun gun, letter opener, razor blade or box cutter, simulated knife.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICI*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

### **Simulated Firearms (Distribution, Possession, Use)**

Any simulated firearm made of plastic, wood, metal or any other material which is a replica, facsimile, or toy version of a firearm or any object such as a stick or finger concealed under clothing and is being portrayed as a firearm.

*Board Policy Reference: JIC, JICI*

*Consequence Range: Suspension – Expulsion*

*Mandatory Police Report*

## Board Policy References – Discipline Glossary

ACA	Sexual Harassment
ACAA	Title IX Sexual Harassment
ECAC	Vandalism
IJNDB/C	Use of Technology Resources/Appropriate Use
JH	Student Absences and Excuses
JHB	Truancy
JIC	Student Conduct
JICA	Student Dress
JICB	Care of School Property by Students
JICC	Student Conduct on School Buses
JICF	Gang Activity
JICFA	Hazing
JICFB	Harassment of Students
JICG	Tobacco Use by Students
JICH	Drug and Alcohol Use by Students
JICI	Weapons in School
JICK	Student Bullying/Harassment/Intimidation
JII	Student Concerns, Complaints and Grievances
JKE	Expulsion
JLIE	Student Automobile Use and Parking
KE	Public Concerns and Complaints

### **DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

Students who violate behavior rules and expectations will be subject to disciplinary actions. Depending upon the behavior problem of the student, and prior discipline history, one or more of the following actions will be taken by the school officials.

#### **Conference**

A formal conference is held between the student and one or more school officials. During this conference, the student must agree to correct the inappropriate behavior.

#### **Parent Conference**

Parents are notified of this conference by telephone, personal contact, letter or certified letter. A conference is held with the student, the parents, appropriate school personnel and/or any other individuals concerned.

#### **Behavioral Contract**

Following the parent conference, a behavioral contract is established which needs to be signed by both the parent and the student.

#### **Other Disciplinary Actions**

Community Service  
Evening School  
Lunch Detention  
Saturday School

#### **Removal From Classes**

The student is removed from one or more classes, but remains at school in an assigned study hall during these class periods. The student is expected to complete class assignments while in the study hall.

#### **After-School Detention**

Teachers may assign after-school detention and are responsible for monitoring students in the after-school detention. Teachers will follow the procedures listed below before referring a student for not attending after-school school detention:

1. Parent contact.
2. Teacher conference with student.
3. Other appropriate follow-up actions.

The administration may assign after-school detention to study hall or the in-school detention/suspension room.

#### **Suspensions—Policy JKD**

##### **In-School Suspension**

This is the temporary removal of students from all regular classes for violation of school rules. Students are then assigned to the in-school suspension program for the entire day or any part thereof where they will spend their time studying, doing homework or class work. Failure to report as assigned will be considered insubordination and will result in further disciplinary action. While serving an in-school suspension, the student will not participate in any school day activities. Students may participate in extra-curricular activities

if the infraction does not violate team/program policies. The student will receive credit for class work completed and submitted that day

#### Short-term Suspension (10 days or less)

Students who violate school rules may receive off-campus suspension from administration for their rule violation. Students are removed from classes and assigned to a parent/guardian for the period of time specified by school administration. While serving an off-campus suspension, the student will not participate in any school activities, including athletic competition and practice, will not be permitted on campus, and must have a meeting with a site administrator prior to returning to campus. Student will receive credit for class work completed and submitted by the due date as determined by an administrator. Short-term suspensions cannot be appealed. (Policy JKD)

#### Long-term Suspension (Over ten days)

As directed by Governing Board policy, school administrators may recommend long-term suspension for serious discipline issues. This recommendation is forwarded to the appropriate District Director. Students who receive a long-term suspension will not be permitted to make up class work while on suspension.

#### Expulsion—Policy JKE

The student is expelled immediately that he/she is subject to expulsion. Due process procedure is explained. The student's parent/legal guardian is notified by telephone and certified letter that the student is subject to expulsion. Notification includes clear instructions regarding due process procedures. The expulsion does not become effective until the due process procedure has been completed.

### **ELECTRONIC INFORMATION SERVICES USER AGREEMENT**

#### **I. General Terms and Conditions**

Each user will be required to sign an EIS user's agreement. When the signed agreement is returned to the school, the user may be permitted use of the electronic information services (EIS) resources. Electronic information services include anything attached to, or delivered through our network (Local Access, Wide Area, Internet), any computer accessible sources of information (hard drives, tapes, CDs, floppy disks, or other electronic sources), and the School District phone system.

Each user must:

- Use the EIS to support personal educational objectives consistent with the educational goals and objectives of the District.
- Not use the EIS for commercial purposes. No commercial business ventures may be advertised using our EIS (either via e-mail, electronic bulletin board or other electronic messaging system).
- Follow the District's code of conduct.
- Take responsibility for assigned District accounts, including password protection.
- Take all responsible precautions, including password maintenance and file and directory protection measures, to prevent the use of District accounts and files by unauthorized persons.
- Report any misuse of the EIS to the administration or system administrator, as appropriate.
- Understand that many services and products are available for a fee and *acknowledge the responsibility for any expenses incurred without District authorization.*
- Understand that inappropriate use may result in cancellation of permission to use the EIS and appropriate disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion for students and dismissal for employees.

Accounts may be closed and files may be deleted at any time. The District does not assume liability for any information lost, damaged, or unavailable due to technical or other difficulties, and is not responsible for any service interruptions, changes, or consequences.

The District specifically denies any responsibility for the accuracy of information retrieved via the EIS. While the District will make an effort to ensure access to proper materials, the user has the ultimate responsibility for how the EIS is used and bears the risk of reliance on the information obtained.

#### **II. Communications**

Each user must:

- Not reveal the home addresses, personal phone numbers, or personally identifiable data of students or other employees unless authorized to do so by designated school authorities.
- Agree not to submit, publish, display, or retrieve any defamatory, inaccurate, abusive, obscene, profane, sexually oriented, threatening, racially offensive, or illegal material.
- Understand that electronic mail or direct electronic communication is not private, and may be read and monitored by school-employed persons. Non-confidential modes of communication should not be used to communicate confidential information.

- Be polite and use appropriate language. Users will not send, nor encourage others to send, abusive messages. Users of the EIS should remember that they represent the School District in their communications.

### III. Hardware

Each user must:

- Not use the network in any way that would disrupt the use of the network by others.
- Not use unauthorized technology resources in the classroom.
- Not attempt to harm, modify, or destroy hardware nor interfere with system security.
- Not attempt to add unauthorized hardware.

### IV. Software and Electronic Content

Each user must:

- Abide by all copyright and trademark laws and regulations.
- Not attempt to harm, modify, add, or destroy software nor interfere with system security.
- Not load personal software.
- Not use the EIS to download media files (recorded audio, recorded video, multimedia) for non-instructional use.
- Not copy personal media files to the EIS for non-instructional use.

NOTE: Any use of media files must follow ALL copyright regulations and ALL Fair Use guidelines. Use of media must be **directly tied to the course curriculum**. (If not directly tied to the course curriculum, usage of copyrighted materials constitutes copyright infringement, and is a violation of this acceptable use agreement. Additionally, copyright infringement is illegal, and is subject to litigation and prosecution).

### V. Personal Devices

USB drives (flash memory devices) may be used to store or transport documents containing original user work, such as PowerPoint presentations, brochures, newsletters, and videos created by students or staff. Inappropriate uses for USB drives include storing or downloading copyrighted music, photos, video, or other creative works, such as commercial software programs. Consequences of inappropriate use of USB drives include cancellation of permission to use the drives, and appropriate disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal or expulsion. Copyright infringement is illegal, and is subject to prosecution and severe fines.

Each user must not attach unauthorized personal electronic devices, such as, but not limited to, WiFi and USB devices, to the EIS unless approved by administration.

### VI. Additional Requirements for District Employees

District employees must:

- Maintain supervision of students using the EIS.
- Agree to directly log on and supervise the account activity when allowing others to use a Microsoft Outlook, Internet or other district-supplied account.
- Prohibit students and others from loading personal software.
- Prohibit unauthorized technology resources in the classroom.

### **CARPPOOLING AND ALTERNATE MODES OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Students are encouraged to use Alternate Mode of Transportation (carpool, ride bicycle, bus or walk) to get to school. The Trip Reduction program plan measure offers to driving age students:**

1.) Carpool parking – Preferential carpool parking spaces available to registered carpooling students. 2.) Bike racks are available for our bicyclists to use and secure their bikes on days they ride it to school. 3.) Showers are available to students who use alternate modes of transportation to clean up prior to school starting. 4.) Students are guaranteed ride home in the event of an unforeseen emergency on the days that they use an alternative mode of transportation through the transportation department or police officer on duty.

**Please register for the Carpool Program in your school office.**

## CUSD SCHOOL BUS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

The following are guidelines only and do not limit the judgment of the administrator who must assess the situation. These rules apply when a student is traveling to or from school (including bus stops), on field trips, or on extra-curricular activities.

1. Obey the bus driver at all times.
2. Be at bus stop 10 minutes prior to scheduled pick-up time in the morning. Be on time to the bus in the afternoon.
3. Stand a safe distance from the curb or highway.
4. Be courteous to the driver and other bus passengers.
5. When crossing a street by the school bus, always cross *in front* of bus.
6. Always use the steps and handrail when boarding and leaving the bus.
7. Sit quickly and quietly in *assigned* seat. Remain seated facing forward in your assigned seat while the bus is moving. The aisle is not to be blocked at any time.
8. Always identify yourself when asked by the driver.
9. No eating, drinking (except water in plastic bottles), smoking, chewing gum or spitting inside the bus.
10. Keep hands, head, arms and all objects inside the bus at all times.
11. Talk in normal tones; loud, rude, vulgar or obscene language is prohibited.
12. When listening to music, headphones should be worn and music must be appropriate for school. Volume level must not be distracting to driver.
13. Keep the bus clean and free of damage.
14. State law prohibits the following items on school buses:
  - Alcoholic beverages
  - Weapons
  - Explosives
  - Glass items
  - Dangerous or narcotic drugs
  - Fireworks
  - Legally prohibited substances
  - Smoke or stink bombs
  - Tobacco
  - Other dangerous objects
  - Animals, insects or reptiles
15. All items carried by students (i.e., band instruments, athletic equipment, backpacks, etc.) must be under their control at all times, and must be carried in the lap, between seats, or properly secured in a vacant seat. Instruments cannot occupy needed seating space or be placed in the driver's compartment or in the stepwell.
16. Skateboards, scooters and roller blades are not allowed on the school bus.
17. Students are permitted to use only their designated bus stops. Any changes require a parent/legal guardian's *written* request, counter-signed by a school official.
18. Students are permitted to ride only their assigned bus. Any exceptions must be requested *in writing* by the student's parent or legal guardian and approved by a school official.
19. Remain seated while bus is in motion *and until it comes to a stop*.
20. Secondary students are required to show student ID card to bus driver upon request.

These expectations are taken from various regulatory sources including, federal regulations and laws, Arizona state laws and regulations, DPS regulations, and Chandler School District policies.

### **School Bus Infractions**

Site administration issues all consequences for school bus infractions which range from conference to loss of bus privileges. Infractions and consequences also apply to behavior at bus stops.



## BYOT Responsible Use Agreement

(Signature required)

We are pleased to be able to offer “Bring Your Own Technology” as an option to expand student and staff access to online and other educational electronic resources. The purpose of this agreement is to outline the expectations for use of personal electronic devices on our campuses.

### Chandler Unified School District BYOT Philosophy

Our philosophy is to assist all members of the Chandler Unified School District community to be **good digital citizens** – students and staff who use technology to support learning in a meaningful, safe and responsible way, in accordance with all applicable state and federal laws. (NOTE: Regulations, consequences, and possible disciplinary action for inappropriate use of the network and electronic devices are already covered by the CUSD Acceptable Use Policy, a separate document available at: <http://cusd80.com/AUP>.)

### Purpose of and Permissions to Use Personal Electronic Devices at School

Like other personal items that may be brought from home to school, there are times and places where the use of personal electronic devices is beneficial to instruction, and other times when it is not. The expectation is that personal electronic devices are to be used only for instructional purposes, in appropriate times and places as determined by each school’s principal. Teachers who permit the use of personal electronic devices in class are expected to model and teach responsible use of the Internet, to monitor students’ use of the devices, and to set up any applicable classroom procedures and rules pertaining to this use. Teachers or other staff may be able to assist, but cannot be expected to troubleshoot problems with the students’ technology.

### Internet and Network Access

We maintain a filter that blocks harmful content on the Internet from students. When you sign this agreement and bring in your own device, you will be allowed to use the district-supplied, filtered network for Internet access at your school, if available. **The District reserves the right to monitor use of the District’s systems for improper use without advance notice or consent.** Your signature indicates your understanding that any activity that occurs with the use of the District’s internet and network systems are not private and may be accessed by the District for the purpose of ensuring proper use. Your signature also indicates your understanding that we cannot filter any non-district network connections (such as 3G or 4G) that may be already present on your device, and that you agree to follow the Acceptable Use Policy and all other related CUSD policies related to Internet use, regardless of the network you use. Use of electronic devices outside of these conditions is not allowed, can be considered a distraction to instruction, and will be handled as already described in the Student Handbook. (Please see the Student Handbook for more information about current policies related to technology use at school.)

### Examples of What You MAY Do With Your Device at School:

*Using the device at times and in places when the teacher has given permission for you to use them,*

*such as:*

- Conducting research on the web for a school project –citing resources, following copyright law, respecting the intellectual property of others
- Creating documents in collaboration with other students when working in groups
- Participating in class discussion threads, using respectful language to others
- Engaging in class activities using your device as a responder
- Taking a photo or video of a project to put into a class presentation

### Examples of What You MAY NOT Do With Your Device at School:

*Using the device at times or in places when the teacher has asked you not to use them, such as, but not limited to:*

- Texting to others for non-instructional purposes
- Bullying or threatening others
- Playing non-educational games
- Attempting to bypass network security or engaging in hacking
- Taking a photo or video of another person and posting it to the Internet
- Sharing personal information with others
- Engaging in plagiarism or copyright infringement

Please note that use of personal electronic devices is left to the discretion of the classroom teacher. The teacher will make the final determination of when use of personal electronic devices is appropriate.

**You are encouraged to:**

- Personalize your device with a case, school-appropriate skins, decals, wallpaper, etc. that will make it easier to distinguish your device from other students' similar devices.
- Charge your device before bringing it to school. (It will not be possible to charge student devices at school.)
- Keep track of your personal electronic device. The school and district is not liable for your losses due to theft, damage, or other financial harm.
- Follow the Acceptable Use Policy and school and class rules. Remember that BYOT is a privilege, not a right. This privilege can be taken away if abused.
- Install, update, and use virus protection on your device. If your device is determined to be the source of virus infections or security problems, access may be discontinued.

As new technology becomes available, we expect that it will be necessary to update this document and to make clarifications. If you have questions about which devices and specific uses are permitted, please refer these questions to your teacher and/or school principal.

**STUDENT CONFINEMENT: PARENTAL NOTIFICATION AND CONSENT—Policy JLD B**

Arizona law (A.R.S. § 15-843) requires school district discipline policies to address the confinement of students left alone in an enclosed space. Governing Board Policy JK, “Student Discipline” and related Regulation JK-R address this topic.

The District does not engage in the use of confinement for disciplinary purposes. However, pursuant to A.R.S. 15-843, the District is required to notify parents/guardians that confinement may be used for disciplinary purposes and provide a process to obtain prior written parental consent.

Although the District does not anticipate the use of confinement for disciplinary purposes, it has adopted the following process to notify parents/guardians of the possible use of confinement for disciplinary purposes, as well as to obtain their prior written consent:

The notification will be included in the student/parent handbook disseminated at the beginning of every school year.

Parent consent will be obtained by having the parent indicate their agreement or disagreement for the use of confinement for disciplinary purposes on the Acknowledgement of Handbook Receipt form, completed yearly upon receipt of the handbook.

Please note: Arizona law and Governing Board Policy permit school personnel to place a student alone in an enclosed space without parental consent if the school principal or teacher determines that the pupil poses an imminent physical harm to self or others. In this case, the school principal or teacher shall make reasonable attempts to notify the student’s parent/guardian in writing by the end of the same day that confinement was used.

Please indicate your consent or refusal to permit the confinement of your child alone in an enclosed space for disciplinary purposes where indicated below. By signing below, you are acknowledging that you have read this notification.

## BYOT Agreement: Parental Notification and Consent

I understand and will abide by the above policy and guidelines, in addition to any applicable Governing Board Policies, Administrative Regulations, and State and Federal laws concerning the use of technology. I further understand that any violation may result in the loss of my network and/or BYOT privileges, as well as other disciplinary action, and/or legal action in accordance with law and Board policy.

Student Name (Please Print)

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print)

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Signature of Student:

Signature of Parent:

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**NOTE:** To download and keep your own copy of this document, please visit <http://cusd80.com/BYOT> at any time. CUSD is moving towards electronic signatures. If you have access, please log into the Infinite Campus Parent Portal at <https://campus.cusd80.com/campus/portal/chandler.jsp> to electronically sign this document. Once in the portal, click the Online Registration Link. If you do not have access to the internet, please sign and return form to your student's teacher.

### Student Confinement for Discipline Purposes (A.R.S. §15-843 and Policy JK):

#### Parent Notification and Consent

Please read the information that has been provided above before completing this form.

The District does not engage in the use of confinement for disciplinary purposes. However, pursuant to A.R.S. 15-843, the District is required to notify parents/guardians that confinement may be used for disciplinary purposes and provide a process to obtain prior written parental consent in the event it is used.

Please indicate your consent or refusal to the use of confinement of your child for disciplinary purposes by checking the appropriate box below and signing where indicated.

I have read the notification included in this handbook and consent to the use of confinement of my child for disciplinary purposes if determined appropriate by school personnel.

I have read the notification included in this handbook and do not consent to the use of confinement of my child for disciplinary purposes if determined appropriate by school personnel.

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Student Name (Please Print)

Student Signature

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Parent/Guardian Signature

Date