



**ARIZONA COLLEGE PREP – OAKLAND
STUDENT COUNCIL CONSTITUTION**

Article – Name

Section 1. The official name of this organization shall be Arizona College Prep – Oakland Student Council, hereinafter called StuCo.

Article II – Purpose

Section 1. (**Amendment 8/5/15**) Strive for good citizenship and be a good citizen

Section 2. Respect all individuals in the school and community.

Section 3. Involve all students in share ideas to make our school the best it can be.

Section 4. Help all students work together in our school.

Section 5. Promote school spirit and pride.

Article III – Membership

Section 1. All StuCo members are chosen the year before they serve by an application process approved by ACP Staff. Application process occurs in the spring for 7th and 8th graders for the next year. Current 7th graders can automatically be renewed for 8th grade.

Section 2. The Principal of Arizona College Prep – Oakland shall be the final authority over all actions of StuCo.

Section 3. (**Amendment 8/5/15**) Officers for the following year will be elected in the current school year. These positions include: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Historian. Public Relations Representative positions will be elected at the beginning of the following school.

Section 4. (**Amendment 8/5/15**) Students running for the President position must be going into 8th grade and must have at least one year previous experience in the ACPO Student Council.

Article IV – Representatives

Section 1. ACP shall have a representation of all the school through interclub council. These members will give input on StuCo for ideas for the school.

Section 2. ACP representatives will be required to contribute five (5) service hours a semester.

Section 3. ACP representatives will maintain a minimum 2.0 grade average in all subjects throughout the school year.

Article V – Meetings and Voting

Section 1. Regular meetings shall be held at least once each month during the school year.

Section 2. All motions require a second and will be passed by majority vote.

Sections 3. Robert's Rules of Order shall be the authority for Parliamentary Procedure that is to be used at all regular meetings.

Section 4. Any an all actions of StuCo are not official until approved by the Principal.

Article VI – Officers

Section 1. The members choose the officers of StuCo when the school year is ending by an election process. Officer positions will consist of President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary and Historian. All officers shall exercise the usual duties of the office to which they have been elected.

Section 1.a. (amendment 2/22/12) Officers for the following year will be elected in the current school year. These positions include: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Historian and Public Relations. Representative positions will be elected at the beginning of the following school year for each “homeroom”.

Section 2. ACP Officers will maintain a minimum 2.0 grade average in all subjects throughout the school year.

Section 3. ACP Officers will fall under the ACP extracurricular policies regarding eligibility.

Section 4. ACP Officers will be required to contribute five (5) service hours a semester.

Article VII – Sponsor (s)

Section 1. The ACP StuCo advisor(s) shall be a teacher(s) affiliated with ACP Oakland and chosen by the principal.

Article VIII – Finances

Section 1. (Amendment 8/5/15) StuCo (*Specifically the Treasurer*) will be responsible for finances and of keeping record of money raised and spent.

Section 2. Any fundraising by any member shall be used for the benefit of the club through a majority rule regardless of who raised the funds.

Article IX – Removal from Office

Section 1. Any member can be removed from StuCo for not following the purpose as outlined in Article II, poor attendance (3 unexcused), and failure to perform duties or not following school rules.

Advisor: Any absences must be reported to the StuCo advisor!

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