

# ***CALVARY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY***

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### **Admission**

- Calvary Christian Academy is open to students of any race, color, or ethnic origin.
- Prospective students should already faithfully attend Calvary Baptist Church or a church of like faith and doctrine.
- Parents who agree with the philosophy of Calvary Christian Academy and are seeking admission for their children to the Calvary Christian Academy should read the handbook and call for an appointment to meet with the administrator.

### **Introduction**

- The rules are established to benefit all of the members of the school. It is for this reason that rules are looked upon as a positive part of the education process.
- At Calvary Christian Academy we have four types of rules.
  1. Rules that prohibit known sins.
  2. Rules that help to establish self-discipline in the heart and mind of the student.
  3. Rules that promote high standards of excellence in mental, spiritual and physical activities.
  4. Rules that are for the protection and general wellbeing
  5. of the student or the student body as a whole.
- Rules are meant to serve the student's best interest. The administration constantly scrutinizes the rules to see if they are serving their purpose. If a parent or student has a sincere question about a rule, he is urged to contact the office.
- Any student, who is in the judgment of the administration, does not fit the spirit and purpose of Calvary Christian Academy will be required to withdraw from school.

### **Purpose**

- The purpose of Calvary Christian Academy is to be of help to parents in raising their children "in the nurture and admonition of the Lord". The emphasis is on academics, building character, reaching the heart, and in teaching the doctrines of the Bible.
- This handbook has been produced in an effort to keep the lines of communication open. Our philosophy here at CCA is that leadership should make it easy for a child to do right and difficult for him to do wrong.

### **Statement of Faith**

- Calvary Baptist Church is an independent, fundamental Baptist Church. The Bible is taught not just as a separate subject, but as the center of every subject. Our doctrines include belief in: the Trinity (I John 5:4-8), salvation by grace (Ephesians 2: 8-9), the eternal security of the believer (John 10:28), Jesus' shed blood is the only way to heaven (Acts 4:12), the autonomy of the local, new testament church (Colossians 1:18), the Bible is given by the inspiration of the Holy Ghost and preserved for us today in the King James Bible (II Timothy 3: 15-17, Matthew 4:4), the rapture of His own before the tribulation (I Thessalonians 4:16 -17), the second coming of Christ to rule and reign on the earth for a thousand years (Matthew 24:30), those saved will be rewarded for what they have done for Christ and spend eternity in a literal heaven (I Corinthians 3: 9-15, John 14: 1-3), and those without Christ will be judged and spend eternity in a literal hell (Revelation 20: 11-15). Calvary Baptist Church stands against modernism (II Timothy 4: 3-4), worldliness (I John 2: 15-17), the charismatic tongues movement (Acts 2: 3-11), and worldly music and entertainment, whether "Christian" or otherwise (Colossians 3:16).
- Calvary Christian Academy is looking for parents in agreement with these doctrines in order to work together in training their children to love God and to live for Him.

### **Open Lines of Communication**

- It is of utmost importance to Calvary Christian Academy that the lines of communication be kept open between the school and our parents. In order to assure that this goal is to be met the following procedures are adopted:
  1. If there is question or a problem the first person to contact would be the teacher. This could be done by calling the office and leaving a message.
  2. If you have contacted the teacher and still have concerns that need to be addressed, leave a message for the Administrator for an appointment.
  3. If you have contacted the teacher and the Administrator and feel that you have further needs or concerns then call Pastor Christner (207-754-6439) or email him at [schristner@cbcturner.org](mailto:schristner@cbcturner.org).
- Some guidelines are as follows:

When coming to a teacher with a problem remember that you have heard only one side of the story. If a problem is approached with a mind that has been made up and accusing or making demands, then little can be resolved or accomplished. A calm spirit with a mind to find out what happened and what should be the right response is necessary for the right outcome. Teachers and parents are to have a common goal. If parents and teachers work together then a child will better have an understanding of what is required of him or her. Becoming defensive or unwilling to accept each one's part in the solution will not create an effective solution.

\*Remember: Taking a problem to one that is not involved or a part of the solution, or taking the problem to the public by way of Facebook, only complicates the problem and detracts from getting a real solution.

### **School Day**

- Refer to the school calendar for scheduled school days, early dismissals, and vacation days. The school day begins at 8:15 a.m. and ends at 3:00 p.m. Before and after school care is not provided. Students should not be dropped off before 7:45 or picked up after 3:15.
- The school calendar is available in the office, on the church website, ([www.cbcturner.org](http://www.cbcturner.org)), or on the school private Facebook group.

### **Transportation**

- It is the parents' responsibility to see that their student has a ride to school.
- Students will not be permitted to transport other students to and from school except with permission agreed upon by the parents and administration.
- Students who participate in ball games and school field trips will ride to and from activities in a vehicle that is provided by the school unless the administrator has approved other arrangements in advance.
- Parents and student drivers are asked to use the upper driveway to enter and the lower driveway to exit the property.
- Students should be dropped off and picked up at the school entrance at the rear of the building. Student drivers will be asked to park in front of the church building and use the front entrance to the church.

### **Student Drivers**

- Safety is always a high priority for student drivers. We expect our students to drive with caution and respect to others.
- A transportation form must be filled out for each student driver.
- Only passengers who have parents' permission and permission from the passenger's parents will be allowed to travel with the student driver.
- No high school student will be allowed to travel to and from school in any vehicle with only one other high school student of the opposite sex who is not a family member.
- Cars are to be parked in a designated parking area in front of the church building.
- Cars are to be locked and will be considered a restricted area until after school or when the student is to leave.
- If changes need to be made to a student's transportation form, please call the office.
- The administration reserves the right to restrict a student's driving privileges on school grounds if safe driving procedures are not being observed.

### **School Attendance**

- An excused absence is an absence that is for one of the following reasons:
  - Personal illness.
  - An appointment with a health professional that must be made during the regular school day.
  - A family emergency.
- Parents are strongly encouraged to schedule doctor appointments and other scheduled absences to fall on scheduled days off to avoid the necessity of their child missing school
- Missions or college trips supervised by parents or churches may be exempt from the attendance policy, but permission must be requested in writing in advance.
- Students need to see their teachers about any make-up work. Students have as many days as they missed, plus one day to make up work. (Example: If a student misses two days, he has three days to make up his assignments.)
- If a student is absent 10 or more days of school without being excused, the student along with their parents, will need to make an appointment with the administrator to determine how to resolve this matter. In order for credits to be given to a student, attendance in school is a requirement.
- Students in grades K - 11 are allowed 3 personal days and seniors are allowed 5 personal days in a year.
- If a student's absences exceed 5 days in a quarter excused or un-excused, he will be deducted one full letter grade for that quarter.
- Requests for exemptions must be submitted in writing and prior to the absence. (i.e. Missions trips or college trips)
- College trips taken by students who are not seniors are counted as personal days.
- No personal days are to be taken during the last three weeks of school.
- In order for a student to be considered present in school, he must arrive before 9:30 a.m. A student is considered present for a full day as long as he has not missed more than one class hour. A minimum of three class hours is required in order to be counted as a half-day present. A student attending less than three complete classes will be considered absent that day. Whenever your child will be absent, please call and notify the school office by 8:30 a.m.
- Students who are returning from being absent must bring or email a note from home on the day they return or call the school office explaining the absence. Elementary students turn in notes to their teachers and students in grades 7-12 turn in notes to the office.

### **Tardiness**

- A student is considered tardy ready to begin class when the 8:15 am bell rings.
- If a student is at school on time but is not in his assigned seat when the bell rings that student is considered late to home-room and a demerit will be issued.
- If a student is fifteen minutes late to class that student is considered absent for that class.

### **Church Attendance**

- School families are expected to faithfully attend (one service per week) the regular services of Calvary Baptist Church or another Bible-believing church of like faith and doctrine.
- It is the parent's responsibility to see that his child is in church every week. If a parent is not willing to have his child in church, he will forfeit the opportunity to have his child attend Calvary Christian Academy.
- If a family changes where they will be attending church and it is not a church from which Calvary Christian Academy accept students, they will forfeit the opportunity to have their child attend Calvary Christian Academy.

### **Chapel**

- Chapel is held once a week for the elementary and Jr/High students.

### **Immunizations**

- The State of Maine has legal requirements involving immunizations for all students enrolled in school. All students must have their immunizations current or provide a statement of exemption.

### **Medical Forms/Medication**

- All students must have a medical release form on file. This includes permission for over the counter medications and prescriptions. All medications are labeled and kept in the school office.

### **Illness at School**

- Students who become ill at school should tell their teacher they are sick, and they will be allowed to go to the office.
- The office secretary will determine the extent of a student's illness and the required treatment; and will notify parents if necessary.
- Generally, we try to keep the students in school; however, a child will be sent home if he has a temperature of 100 degrees or above, is vomiting or has other obvious symptoms.

### **Emergency Data**

- It is important that the school be kept informed of the parent's current address, phone number, and emergency contact numbers. If there is any change during the year, the office needs to know immediately.
- Unlisted phone numbers will be kept confidential.

### **E-Mail**

- E-Mail is one of the ways that we communicate with our families. If the office does not have your current e-mail address please send your e-mail to secretary@cbcturner.org.

### **Custody Agreement Order**

- If this situation applies to your family, we need a copy of the custody agreement decree for our school records.

### **Personal Property**

- The school cannot take responsibility for any personal property lost or stolen. Students in grades 7-12 should keep all personal items in their lockers. No valuables should ever be brought to school.

### **Prohibited Items**

- **Students are not allowed to bring the following items to school.**
  1. Animals
  2. Electronic games
  3. Video players (iPods, PSP, DVD, etc)
  4. Music players (MP3, CD, etc)
  5. Lighters, matches
  6. Inappropriate reading material or magazines
  7. Knives or other weapons

### **Cell Phones**

- Students are not allowed to use their cell phones during or between classes. Students may text at lunch.
- Parents should avoid disrupting class routines by calling or texting their children at school.

### **Telephone**

- Telephone calls may be made before school, after school, and at lunch. Emergency calls may be made at any time.
- Messages may be left with the office for all non-emergency calls.
- Students may not call home for personal arrangements.

### **Lost Items**

- The lost and found is handled through the office. The school is not responsible for the loss of a student's personal property. All personal belongings should be labeled and clearly marked with your student's name whenever possible.

### **Weekly School Memo and Monthly School Calendar**

- A weekly school memo is sent home on Fridays with the youngest student in the elementary and through e-mail. It is also posted on our school private Facebook page.

### **Library Procedure**

- All books are taken out for a two-week period and are due back on the date stamped in the book. Books may be renewed if needed. No books are to be taken out of the library until previous books are returned. Any books damaged or lost will need to be replaced or reimbursed.

### **Year-Round Fundraisers**

- We collect the following items: Empty bottles for library books, General Mills Box Tops and Tyson Chicken Project A+ Labels.
  - Cartridges for Kids: we receive cash for the following items: inkjet cartridges, cell phones, laser ink cartridges (not used toner), and laptops.
  - Students who turn in these items will get their name put into a drawing for \$2 concession bucks. Drawings are held in chapel once a month.
  - Items can be collected from home, work, businesses, neighbors, friends and family. Students who correctly cut out the box top labels and put them into groups of 25 in a bag or envelope, will receive \$2 in concession bucks once they reach 100 box tops.
- \*Concession bucks can only be used for school lunches or games.

### **Financial Information**

- Registration and book fees are non-refundable.
- No student will be allowed to attend CCA whose family has not paid all past-due bills from a prior year at CCA.
- Payment for books is due by the August Parent Meeting.
- The first tuition payment is due on August 15. This payment will be 1/10 of the family's total tuition bill. Each payment will be due on the 15th of each month through May 15.
- A family that is behind in their payment will be contacted by the school board and satisfactory payment arrangements will need to be made for your students to remain in school. Students of a family who are more than 3 months behind will be financially withdrawn after the 25<sup>th</sup> of the 3<sup>rd</sup> month.
- A graduating senior will not receive a diploma or release of transcripts upon graduation unless the Senior's tuition bill is completely paid.
  - A \$30.00 registration fee is charged for each student whose parents are members of Calvary Baptist Church in Turner, ME.
  - A \$110.00 registration fee is charged for each student whose parents are not members of Calvary Baptist Church.
- The yearly tuition rate is as follows:

Kindergarten	\$1,250.00
Grades 1 - 12	\$1,350.00
- Tuition discounts:
  - 5% off if full tuition is paid before the beginning of school
  - \$ 50 -- 2<sup>nd</sup> child discount
  - \$100 -- 3<sup>rd</sup> child discount
  - \$150 -- 4<sup>th</sup> child discount

### Grading Information

- Report cards are sent home quarterly and must be signed and returned.
- The school uses an online grading system and login information is given at the beginning of each school year.

### Grading Scale

A	94 - 100	Excellent
B	87 - 93	Good
C	77 - 86	Average
D	70 - 76	Poor
F	Below 70	Failing

### Honor Roll

- To achieve the Honor Roll at Calvary Christian Academy, a student must maintain all A's for High Honors or A's and B's each quarter for A-B Honors.

### Valedictorian/Salutatorian

- Only those graduating seniors, who have attended only Calvary Christian Academy throughout grades 9 through 12 will be eligible to receive the valedictorian or salutatorian award.

### Graduation Requirements

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Credits</u>	
Bible	4	(Students transferring into CCA do not need to make up Bible credits)
English	4	
Math	3	
History	2	
Science	2	
Electives	6	
<u>Physical Education</u>	<u>1</u>	(Applied sports credit is ½ credit for each sport 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grade)
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	

- Classes offered for credit  
Math – Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, Precalculus (includes Trigonometry)  
History – Government, Geography, US History  
Science – Physical Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics  
Electives – Applied class credit (class secretary), Personal Finance, Computer Skills 1, Consumer Math, Foreign Language (Rosetta Stone), Speech, Economics.
- Math, History, and Science may have a minimum of 2 credits each but must have a combined total of 7 credits.)

### Dropping a Class

- Students who choose to drop any classes should do so within the first three weeks of school. Students must first receive permission from parents, teacher and the administrator.

### Home-Work Due Dates & Days of Testing

- Tests and homework will not be due on Thursdays. Our teachers will not provide an excuse for students to stay home from church to study.
- Consideration will be given concerning homework or tests when students attend special church meetings.

### Lunches

- Parents are asked to provide a nutritious lunch of a quantity sufficient to satisfy the needs of their children.
- Students may use microwaves in the cafeteria.
- Students may not use the equipment or supplies from the kitchen.
- Do not send food that must be refrigerated.
- Students may not leave school property to order eat out unless advance permission is granted.

### School Closing Information

- School closings will be posted on the television stations **6, 8, and 13** as well as the school Facebook page. Parents wishing for students to be dismissed early should notify the school office before picking them up.
- Parents can sign up for channel 6 news center text alert to find out if school is closed or delayed. Get text messages or e-mails on your mobile phone, PDA, or computer with news, weather and more from [WCSH6.com](http://WCSH6.com).
- Parents may also request to be called if needed.

### Storm Days

- We are allowed 4 snow days that we do not have to make up. If we exceed the number of snow days allowed, we will make the days needed in the spring on Mondays. Dates will be announced in advanced.

### General Rules

- Students that damage property will be expected to replace that property.
- Prospective students may be brought to school to observe classes; however, advance notice of at least one day must be made with the school office and the home room teacher. CCA dress code rules and regulations must be observed by the guest.
- Students are not permitted to leave school property during the school day without parental and administrative permission.
- No student who is engaged to be married will be allowed to attend Calvary Christian Academy.
- No student is allowed in restricted areas, such as: teachers' desks, church or school offices, kitchen, empty classrooms, building roofs, closets, without permission. A classroom that is locked is considered a restricted area.
- Students must live at home with their parents or legal guardians. Any student moving away from home must immediately withdraw from school. A student who does not live at home with his parents or legal guardians and wishes to remain a student at Calvary Christian Academy, must meet with the school board.
- Calvary Christian Academy will not allow students to engage in any threatening, harassing, or racially biased behavior.

### Dress Code

- A school dress code is important for several reasons. Of primary importance is that it sets minimum standards for modesty. It is widely recognized that behavior is related to dress. A proper climate for learning demands that attire be appropriate for the classroom
- We desire our students to be well groomed and to dress neatly and modestly. All garments should be neat, clean, ironed, and in good repair, not ripped or torn.
- Most dress code violations are demerit offenses although, if necessary, a student may be asked to leave the school or school activity until they are within the dress code of the school.
- Habitually violating dress code will result in a parent conference.
- Students are to arrive at school and to leave from school in CCA dress code whether or not they remain in school for the day. **This includes students who are taking personal days.**
- Students are to abide by the dress code standards of Calvary Christian Academy for all activities sponsored by Calvary Christian Academy or for any activities which involve the school's participation. **These standards must be met whether or not the activity occurs on school grounds.**
- Sunglasses may not be worn in the school building.

## **Girl's Dress Code**

- **Skirts or dresses**
  - Must completely cover the knees (front and back) when sitting, standing or walking. No part of the hemline may be above the knees. (scalloped hemlines)
  - Must hang freely from the hips and allow reasonable freedom of movement
  - May not have a slit that extends above the knees (front, back, or side); slits extending above the knee must be permanently fastened to knee level.
  - Slips must be worn at all times.
- **Shirts and blouses**
  - Sleeves must extend to the top of the bicep.
  - Neckline may not extend past 3 finger widths (2 inches) below the collarbone.
  - May not cup under the bust line or hug the midriff. The material should flow and hang freely.
  - Must be long enough to cover the midriff when arms are raised.
  - Undergarments must be worn at all times. i.e. camisole, tank, sleeveless shirt.
  - No shear or see through material is allowed.
  - Undergarments must be completely covered at all times.
  - When wearing a white shirt all undergarments must be white.
- **Footwear**
  - Students in grades K-6 can wear sneakers or casual shoes as long as they are clean and in good condition.
  - Students in grades 7-12 are not to wear sneakers, athletic style shoes, flip flops, or crocs. Shoes must have a strap on the back. Dress boots may be worn that are not snow boots or work boots. Heels over 4" are not to be worn.
- **Hair**
  - Hair must be clean and neatly styled and of natural color.
  - No eccentric hair styles, unnatural coloring, short, tapered, fad or male-styled haircuts are allowed.
  - Only girls in grades 7-12 are allowed to highlight their hair. (Unnatural or streaks of color in the hair are not allowed, such as blue, pink, green, etc.)
- **Make-up**
  - Students in grades K-6 are not allowed to wear make-up.
  - Students in grades 7-12 may wear make-up and jewelry in moderation.
  - Only two earrings on each ear are permitted and on the ear lobe only.
  - Only the bottom earring may be a hoop, the top must be a stud.
  - No other body piercing or tattoos are allowed.
- **Miscellaneous**
  - No coats, jackets, sweatshirts, outside type vests, or hats may be worn in the classrooms.
  - Hats, boots, and mittens are necessary playground clothing during the winter. Outdoor boots are not to be worn during class time. A snowsuit is permitted for recess.
  - For PE class (Grades 3-6), girls are to wear loose-fitting shirts, school-approved culottes, sneakers, and socks.
  - School culottes are to look like a skirt with front and back pleats.
  - Students in grades K-2 are allowed to wear leggings underneath their skirt or dress.
  - Students in grades K-6 are allowed to wear garments with small appropriate pictures or writing.
  - Students in grades 7-12 may not wear indoor garments with any type of writing, (letters, numbers or initials) worldly material or pictures
  - No denim or sweatshirts are permitted.

**The website, <http://1611skirts.com/> is recommended to get culottes that have a box pleat. Skirts can also be ordered through this website that are the correct length.**

### *Dress Down Days*

- On dress down days girls may wear jean skirts or school approved culottes with a front and back pleat. Grades 7-12 may wear shirts without a collar and may have appropriate pictures or writing. Dress down day clothing must meet all other dress code guidelines regarding modesty.

### *Boys' Dress Code*

- We desire our boys to be well-groomed and attired in a fashion befitting a gentleman. The following standards will serve as general guidelines for your boy's dress and appearance.
- ***Hair***
  - Must be clean, neatly cut and of natural color.
  - Must be tapered not blocked in the back, off the collar, ears, and eyebrows.
  - No eccentric, non-traditional, weird, "punk" or spiked hair; artificial coloring or highlighting.
  - Faces must be clean-shaven. No mustaches or beards.
  - Sideburns must not be any longer than the opening of the ear.
- ***Shirts***
  - Shirts must be neat and clean. Work shirts, discolored and sloppy shirts are not allowed.
  - Shirts must have a collar.
  - Tank tops or sleeveless shirts are not to be worn.
  - Shirt buttons must be buttoned up
  - Shirts in grades 7-12 must stay tucked into the pants
- ***Pants***
  - Boys in grades K - 6 may wear dress or casual pants.
  - Boys in grades 7-12 are not to wear Cargo pants or pants with outside pockets.
  - Pants with belt loops must be worn with a belt.
  - Pants may not drag on the floor, be frayed, cut, or unhemmed.
- ***Footwear***
  - Socks must be worn at all times.
  - Students in grades K-6 can wear sneakers or casual shoes as long as they are clean and in good condition.
  - Students in grades 7-12 are not allowed to wear sneakers in the classroom.
  - No canvas, plastic jelly type, crocs, sandals, beach type shoes, or work boots are allowed.
- ***Miscellaneous***
  - For PE, boys (grades 3-6) will wear plain tee shirts, solid-colored shorts or sweatpants, socks, and sneakers. Tank tops will not be permitted.
  - Hats, boots, and mittens are necessary playground clothing during the winter. Boots are not to be worn during class time. Snowsuits are permitted for recess.

### *Dress Down Days*

- On dress down days boy may wear neat jeans and t-shirts. Sweat pants and exercise pants are not allowed.
- All graphic, pictures, and writing must be appropriate. No effeminate, punk, grunge, or gang style clothing may be worn. Only baseball hats worn forward are permitted.

### *Not Allowed*

- Garments that are denim or have the appearance of denim, biker-style leathers, gang-style clothes, gothic clothing, and sweatshirts are not permitted.
- Coats, jackets, sweatshirts, outside type vests may not be worn in the classrooms.
- **Fleece vests and sweaters without hoods are permitted in the classroom.**
- No necklaces, bracelets, earrings or tattoos are permitted.
- Rings are limited to one per hand, no thumb rings.

**Elementary Discipline**

- In order to encourage every student to develop strong Christian character, Calvary Christian Academy uses a **Merit** system to encourage students to do right and a **Demerit** system to discourage students from doing wrong.

**Slips**

- The following items are required to be signed by the parent and returned to the teacher on the following school day or date specified:
  - Absence slips
  - Demerit slips
  - Homework slips
  - Haircut slips
  - Report Cards
- When a student habitually receives demerits without the desired results the Administrator will be notified and the parents will be contacted for a further plan for the student.

**Junior and Senior High Discipline**

- In grades 7-12, demerits accumulate over a nine-week period.
- **10 Demerits** - When a student receives 10 demerits, he must serve a half-hour in-house detention during lunch in a designated room doing school work. **20 Demerits** - When a student receives 20 demerits, he must serve a one-hour in-house detention done during two lunch periods in a designated room doing school work.
- **30 Demerits** - When a student receives 30 demerits, he must serve a one-day in-house suspension doing school work.

**Suspension**

- If a student is suspended, the student and the parents must meet with the school board.

<p><b><u>One Demerit Offenses</u></b> Slips not signed and returned Late to class Unprepared for class</p> <p><b><u>Three Demerit Offenses</u></b> Talking in class or chapel Running in buildings Fooling in class or chapel Inappropriate language or behavior Physical contact (intentional w/ opposite sex) Dress Code Violation In restricted area (see general rules) Horseplay Eating or Chewing gum Throwing objects, including snow &amp; ice</p> <p><b><u>Five Demerit Offenses</u></b> Suggestive Talking Disobedience Writing or Doodling on school property Destruction of school property Cutting class or chapel (over 10 minutes) Bringing prohibited items to school Inappropriate reading material or pictures Unsupervised Movie Theater</p>
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<p><b><u>Eight Demerit Offenses</u></b> Physical Contact (holding hands, kissing, etc) Swearing Fighting Disrespect toward a teacher or staff member Leaving school without permission</p> <p><b><u>Ten Demerit Offenses</u></b> Lying Cheating Stealing Reckless Driving Watching an “R” rated movie Dancing/Attending a dance Rock Music Gambling</p> <p><b><u>Expulsion from School</u></b> Consuming Alcohol Pornography Adultery</p>
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### **Dropping a Class**

- Students who choose to drop any classes should do so within the first three weeks of school. Students must first receive permission from parents, teacher and the administrator.

### **Lockers**

- Students in grades 7 - 12 are issued lockers. The following policies are in place regarding lockers. We will also check lockers whenever necessary.
- Do not bang or kick the lockers. If a student is having trouble, he should see Mr. Kelley.
- Tape or magnets may be used on the inside of the locker. If tape is used, it will need to be removed at the end of the school year.
- Absolutely **NO TAPE** is to be used on the outside of the locker for any reason.
- No pictures of musicians, movie stars, actors, fashion models, sports athletes, skateboarders, product advertisements, slogans, etc. are to be placed in or on your locker.
- Photographs of family and friends are acceptable as long as the pictures are appropriate. If we feel they are inappropriate, we will ask the student to take them down and take them home.
- Students are not to be in another person's locker for any reason, even if you have permission from that student. The only exception would be if he has permission from a teacher or the office.
- All items must fit into the lockers, no items are to be left outside the lockers or in the bathrooms.
- Not following proper locker procedure may result in demerits.

### **Athletic Participation**

- The qualifying week is Tuesday through Tuesday.
- **Church:**
  - Attend two services a week. Sunday morning, Sunday evening, or midweek service.
  - Sunday School is not considered a service.
- **School:**
  - B (87%) or higher on all Bible memory quizzes
  - 78% average or above in each class (determined by mid-quarter grades, quarter-end grades, or anytime consistent grades below "C" are turned in). Any student who receives a grade below a 78% on mid-quarter grades or report card will be ineligible to play until the grade is brought back up to a 78%.
  - Fulfill all classroom responsibilities. (homework, projects, book reports, Bible reading, etc.)
  - Cannot exceed 5 demerits in a week.
  - Cannot exceed 25 demerits in a quarter.

### **Conduct**

- Maintain a proper Christian attitude off the playing field or court as well as on it.
- If a student is suspended he is considered ineligible for the remainder of that quarter and for the next quarter.
- Students must attend school on Friday in order to be eligible to play Friday night. Students who miss extensively through the week may not be eligible to play Friday night if their work is not caught up.
- A game day is considered a dress up day. Cheerleaders wear their uniforms and players on the teams' dress up. Boys wear a dress shirt, tie and suit jackets.
- Students must ride the school transportation to the games except when prior arrangements have been made to ride with their parents.
- At the close of a school year, athletic participants must have passing grades in all classes in order to qualify for the following year's sports season.

### **Fees**

- Club fees will be announced at sign up
- Varsity Basketball and Volleyball - \$50, fees for tournaments are as announced.
- JV Basketball and Volleyball - \$20
- Uniforms – uniforms must be purchased and maintained by each athlete.