

The background is a dark grey collage of various school-related items drawn in a light grey, chalk-like style. These include a globe in the upper left, a microscope on the left side, a stack of books at the bottom left, and an open book with handwritten notes at the bottom center. There are also some geometric shapes and other faint drawings scattered throughout.

Student Policies

2022 - 23 School Year

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We Are Here For You!

- Ms. Scaife, Principal
- Ms. Bond, Assistant Principal
- Ms. Hunt, A - K Counselor
- Ms. Prince, L - Z Counselor
- Ms. Seaman, Nurse

& the entire CMS team!

74 Staff + 652 Students =

Team CMS

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

- ❖ Students share responsibility with school staff for maintaining an environment of mutual respect and dignity in the school.
- ❖ Students take an active role in making school a supportive, safe, and welcoming place for **all students** and staff.



Our Focus This Year

CMS will be an **environment** where students and staff feel **connected** to one another and **positive relationships** **with all** stakeholders are created

HCPSS Policy 1080 - Educational Equity

Educational Equity - every student has access and support to the opportunities, resources, and educational rigor they need throughout their educational career to maximize academic success and social/emotional well-being and to view each student's individual characteristics as valuable.

[HCPSS Policy 1080 - Educational Equity](#)

Class Disruption & Disrespect

- Students are expected to use situationally appropriate behaviors in the classroom.
- Students are expected to treat peers and staff with kindness.
- Students' behavior should not create an unsafe environment for others.

Lockers and Backpacks

- Students **CAN** carry their backpack to and from class; chromebooks should be in their bag while in the hallways
- Students need to have their coats, lunches, and books/supplies that are not being used stored in their lockers
- Students must store their backpacks in their locker during lunchtime.
- Computers are **NOT** allowed in the cafeteria during lunch

Timeliness & Passes

- Students must take the fastest route to their classes via the **indoor** hallways
- Students must arrive at class on time
- Students **must** have a pass to leave the room
- Students **will** be sent back to their original class if sent to a different location without a pass
- Each classroom will have 2 passes for bathroom/drink
- Paper passes for nurse, office, or guidance

Computer Use

- Students may only have their computers out with teacher permission
- While in the classroom, students should only use their computers for assignments/school purposes
- Students must treat their laptop with care
- Students must report any damage immediately to Ms. Mairs in the media center

Responsible Use of Technology and Social Media, Policy 8080

- Middle school students must keep their cell phones silent and away throughout the day.
- Student's will access only those network resources for which they obtained permission.
- Damage to chromebooks could result in families paying for the damage.



Lunch Procedures

- Students should enter and exit the cafeteria safely through the doors.
- Come in and sit at your table
- Wait for your table to be called, when your table is called you may go to the lunch line or outside to eat
- Remember your pin number

Recess

- Students must finish eating before playing
- Trash needs to be thrown out before recess equipment is used.
- Balls will be thrown out to play after the first 10 minutes, do not crowd the bins.
- Blacktop and field (if dry) are both open.
 - Stay within the coned off area.
- Good sportsmanship is required - lunch duty staff have the right to revoke any sport if good sportsmanship is not demonstrated

In order to keep everyone safe...

- No kicking any ball into the air
- No random throwing of the ball
- No tag
- No wall-ball
- No personal equipment, only equipment provided by school
- You may not disrupt others' games
- Good sportsmanship is required - lunch duty staff have the right to revoke any sport if good sportsmanship is not demonstrated

After Recess

- At the end of recess, the whistle will blow.
- Please return equipment by placing it in the bins.
- If you see stray equipment, pick it up and put it away
- Please quickly walk and follow the recess monitor into the building
- Go directly to your lockers.
- Go directly to your classroom

Student Code of Conduct

- Student behavior is the shared responsibility of the school, the student, and the home.
- The county wide discipline policy applies during school hours as well as at other times and places.



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Bullying, Cyberbullying, Harassment, or Intimidation, Policy 1060

- Bullying may include the following specific behaviors:
- Teasing, name-calling, critical remarks, or threatening, in person, by mail or text message
- Physical (such as hitting, kicking, shoving, etc.)
- Spreading rumors or gossip
- Cyberbullying



• The Board of Education prohibits acts of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, or intimidation because these behaviors compromise the learning environment and wellbeing of students, staff and community.

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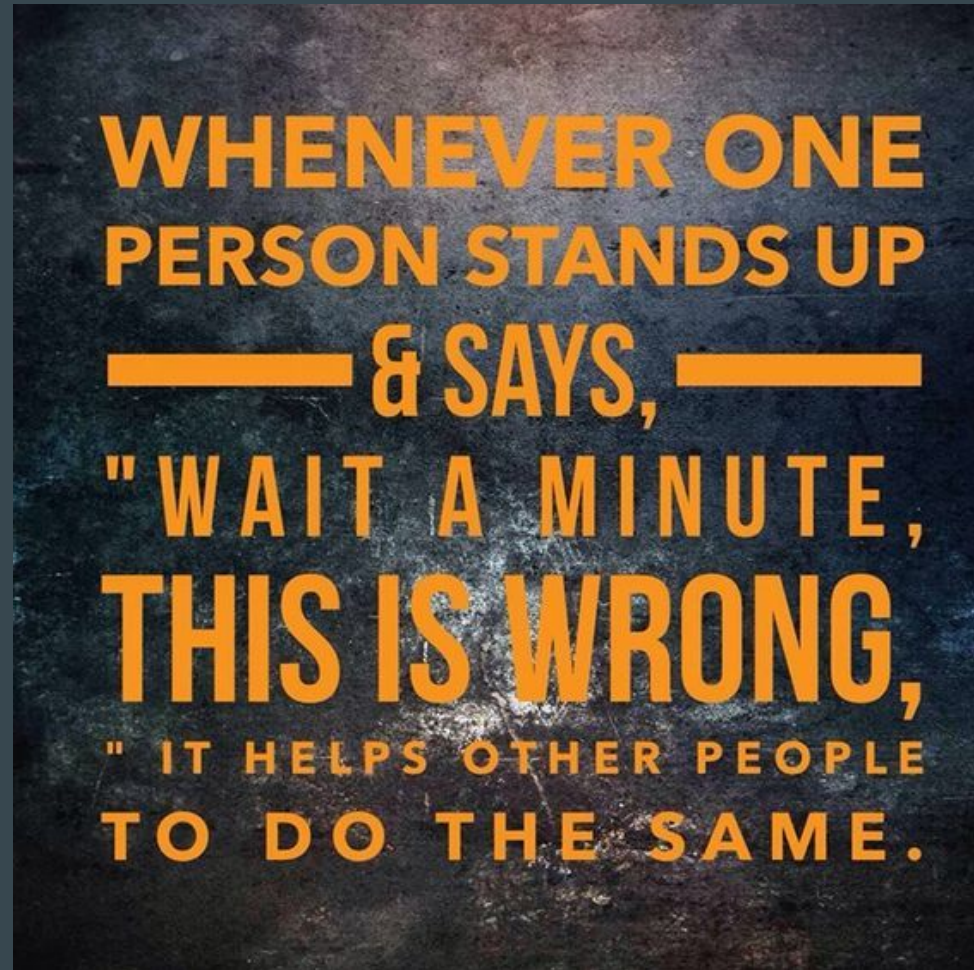
Attendance Procedures, Policy 9010

- Attend all classes, on time every day that school is in session.
- Email a note if you are late, need to leave early, or will be absent from class.
- Attendance email: cmsabsence@hcpss.org

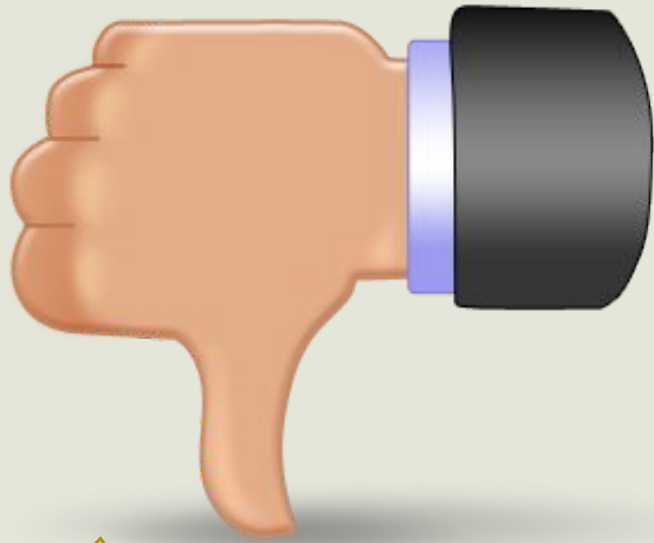


Respect for Yourself and Others

- Be Brave. Create the kind of world you want to live in.
- If you feel that you have witnessed or been bullied, report it to an adult immediately.



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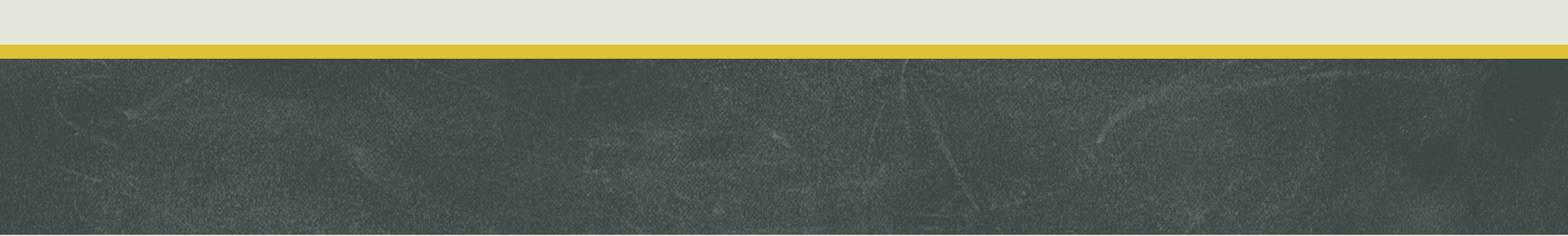


- Don't bring/ use them!
- Don't pretend to have them!
- Don't wear things that depict them!

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We are looking forward to a wonderful school year with you - let's make your 8th grade year the best yet!