

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Team Policies

**Tardies** – Tardies accumulate over a **9-week** period. Students **must be in their seat and ready to work when the bell rings** or it will count as a tardy. Each classroom teacher documents their own tardy demerits, calls parents and assigns ASD.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Tardy = Warning
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Tardy = Call home
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Tardy = ASD and Call home
- 4<sup>th</sup> Tardy = ASD and Call home
- 5<sup>th</sup> Tardy or more = Referral

**Outside Class Demerits** – Outside class demerits accumulate over a **9-week** period. Students will receive outside class demerits for behavior that occurs outside the classroom (cafeteria, halls, playground, etc.). Homeroom teachers will be notified of outside classroom demerits and be responsible for calling parents and assigning ASD. Mrs. Feexico will write the referrals.

- 1<sup>st</sup> offense = Warning
- 2<sup>nd</sup> offense = Call home
- 3<sup>rd</sup> offense = ASD and Call home
- 4<sup>th</sup> offense = ASD and Call home
- 5<sup>th</sup> offense or more = Referral

**Demerits** – Classroom demerits accumulate over a **1-week** period. Demerits are given when students fail to follow classroom procedures or behave appropriately. Each classroom teacher documents their own demerits, calls parents and assigns ASD.

- 1<sup>st</sup> offense = Warning
- 2<sup>nd</sup> offense = Call home
- 3<sup>rd</sup> offense = ASD and Call home
- 4<sup>th</sup> offense = ASD and Call home
- 5<sup>th</sup> offense or more = Referral

**Supplies** – Students will receive a demerit if they don't have their supplies and the teacher loans them what they are missing (book, paper, pencil, etc.) or if a student has to go to their locker to get supplies.

**Leaving the Classroom** – Students need to be IN the classroom to learn. The only reason to leave is to go to the bathroom or if called for by the office, a teacher or a counselor.

- Bathroom - Students may have 3 bathroom passes per 9-weeks per class. They must have their agenda to go. If a student does not have their agenda and it is an emergency they may leave with a pass and receive a classroom demerit.
- Drinks - They should get a drink during passing period.
- Other – They may not leave class to take care of personal errands (talking to another teacher, talking to a coach, taking a bag to the gym locker room, calling a parent about going home with another person after school, etc.).

**Hats/Cell Phones/Ipods/Backpacks/Bags** – Students may not use/wear these items bell to bell (8:35-3:30) or when they enter the building in the morning (inside days and at breakfast).

- If hats/cell phones/ipods are in use during the school day they will be taken away and given to the grade level principal. The first offense – students may pick up their item from the principal after school. Each offense after – the student's parent or guardian will meet with the principal.
- Students should put their backpacks/bags in their locker before first hour and not get them out until after school. Students may not carry a backpack or bag to class with them (not even 8<sup>th</sup> hour). If a student has a backpack/bag in the hall or in a classroom, it is a demerit.

**Drinks/Food** – Students are not allowed to have drinks or food outside of the cafeteria. Open drinks or food seen in the hall or classrooms will be taken by the teacher and thrown away.