



Using the playground, bus and cafeteria is a privilege that is afforded to all students who meet the expectations in order to ensure a safe and healthy environment!

For more information regarding student conduct and discipline, please refer to the North Colonie Central School pamphlet of *Students' Rights and Responsibilities* which is sent home annually in the summer mailing.

We, the student and parent/guardian, agree to follow and promote the expectations set forth in this contract. This will ensure our school's continued success.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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BUS SAFETY EXPECTATIONS

- 1). **Follow directions the first time they are given**
 - * Do not distract the driver
 - * Watch for the driver's signal
- 2). **Be considerate of others**
 - * Be nice in words and actions
 - * Help those smaller and younger
 - * Use an indoor voice—Level 1 or 2
 - * Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself and inside the bus at all times
- 3). **Sit properly at all times**
 - * Take your seat quickly
 - * Stay in your seat
 - * Let others sit with you
- 4). **Respect the environment**
 - * Keep the bus clean
 - * Do not eat or drink on the bus
- 5). **Board and exit the bus safely**
 - * Be patient, don't push, walk at all times on the sidewalk and hallways
 - * Allow others space to safely board

* Driver will reinforce proper behavior

DRIVER IS AUTHORIZED TO ASSIGN SEATS

CONSEQUENCES:

- 1st Offense- Verbal warning
- 2nd Offense - Driver reassigns student seat
- 3rd Offense - Referral to principal, parent, & teacher; transportation privileges may be revoked

Special circumstances:

Foul language or intentional hitting – Directly to principal AND note to teacher; Parents may be called

CAFETERIA SAFETY EXPECTATIONS

- 1). **Follow directions the first time they are given**
 - * Follow directions from the adults in charge without comment
 - * Walk at all times
- 2). **Be considerate of others**
 - * Use an indoor voice—Level 1 or 2
 - * Use a level 0 voice when the lights are out
 - * Keep hands, feet, food and objects to yourself
 - * Sit with people who are good choices and invite others who are alone
 - * If you drop food or make a mess, pick it up or tell an adult
- 3). **Control your body at all times**
 - * Stay in your seat
 - * Raise your hand to get out of your seat
 - * Always use good manners
 - * When signaled, line up in a quiet, straight line

CONSEQUENCES:

- 1st Offense - Verbal warning
- 2nd Offense - Time Out; Blue slip to teacher
- 3rd Offense - Referral to Principal – seats may be assigned; Time Out; Blue slip to teacher; Parents may be called

Special circumstances:

Foul language or intentional hitting – Directly to principal AND note to teacher; Parents may be called

PLAYGROUND SAFETY EXPECTATIONS

- 1). **Follow directions the first time they are given**
 - * Respect the adults in charge by following directions, without comment
 - * Walk to the playground at all times
 - * When signaled, line up in a quiet, straight line
- 2). **Be considerate of others**
 - * Take turns and share equipment; include others
 - * Properly use equipment requiring turn taking
 - * Show good sportsmanship by using appropriate language and behavior
- 3). **Control your body at all times**
 - * Do not touch others while using equipment, with the exception of giving a push on the swing
 - * Keep a safe distance from equipment in use
 - * Play safely by following gym class rules for organized games like basketball, kickball and soccer
 - * Run only on the grass in playground area
- 4). **Respect the playground environment and equipment**
 - * Use equipment in a proper manner
 - * Return all equipment (ex. balls, ropes) to proper place at the end of recess

CONSEQUENCES:

- 1st Offense - Verbal warning
- 2nd Offense - Time Out; Blue slip to teacher
- 3rd Offense - Referral to principal; Time Out; Loss of privileges; Blue slip to teacher

Special circumstances:

Foul language or intentional hitting or excessive rough play – Directly to principal AND note to teacher; Parents may be called

Although these expectations are in place for the bus, cafeteria and playground, they should be met at all times on school property.