

# Bethel Christian School

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## Code of Conduct

### Class I Offenses

- 1.1 Students may not eat outside of the lunchroom.
- 1.2 Yelling, running, or horseplay in the halls or classrooms is not allowed.
- 1.3 Students must show respect for each other. Name calling, jesting, mocking, etc. is not allowed.
- 1.4 Students must conduct themselves in an orderly manner when changing classes.
- 1.5 Students are not allowed to bring, write, or pass notes at school.
- 1.6 Students may not talk in class without permission.
- 1.7 Students may not move around in class without permission.
- 1.8 No public display of affection is allowed.
- 1.9 Students are not allowed to bring radios, cassette players, CD players, or MP3 players to school.
- 1.10 Students may not bring toys (for other than physical education purposes) to school.
- 1.11 Bethel Christian School is a closed campus; therefore, students may not have visitors or talk with non-students in cars on the school grounds.
- 1.12 Students may not congregate in the parking lot or sit on cars during school hours.

### Class II Offenses

- 2.1 Student may not use profane or indecent language.
- 2.2 Students must show respect and be cooperative and obedient to authority at all times. Disrespecting teachers or any other faculty member is not allowed.
- 2.3 Students must abide by the uniform standards before school and during school hours.
- 2.4 No chewing gum is allowed at school.

### Class III Offenses

- 3.1 Students may not bring or use any forms of tobacco, alcohol, or drugs (illegal or controlled substances) anywhere on or off the school grounds.
- 3.2 Students may not bring any guns, knives, or other objects that can be used as weapons to school (physical education equipment is excluded unless the student uses the equipment as a weapon).
- 3.3 Students may not fight with other students on or off the school grounds.

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## **Discipline Procedures**

### **Class I Offenses**

- 1.1 Student receives a warning from the teacher or faculty member.
- 1.2 Student is sent to the office for a conference with the principal.
- 1.3 Student is sent to the office; student's parents are notified.
- 1.4 Student may be suspended.
- 1.5 Further violation moves the particular offense into the Class II Offense Procedures.

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### **Class III Offenses**

- 3.1 Student will be suspended or expelled.

### **Other Procedures**

- 4.1 Uniform Standard Violations
  - 4.1.1 If student is able to rectify the offense himself, he may do so with a warning.
  - 4.1.2 If student is not able to rectify the violation, he is sent to the office and must remain there until the violation is rectified. Parent may be notified to amend the situation. Time away from class is treated as an unexcused absence; student receives a grade of zero on all classwork missed and is not allowed to turn in homework taken up during this time.
  - 4.1.3 Further violations may result in suspension.