

Student Handbook and Code of Conduct 2023-2024

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Summary of Revising the Student Handbook/Code of Conduct

Each year a form is sent to campus administrators asking for feedback and suggested changes to the Student Handbook/Code of Conduct. Recommended changes were reviewed by the executive leadership team as well as district directors and coordinators for potential implementation.

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT CHANGES

Campus Information Changes

- Added information for new campuses
- Updated campus leadership names
- Updated address for campuses with new facilities
- Adjusted school start and end times to reflect changes
- Added Pre-K times to all elementary campuses

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT CHANGES

Additions to the Quick Reference Guide:

- Academic dishonesty/copying *from any source* was added to include Artificial Intelligence (Elementary and Secondary)

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Additions to the Health Section:

- Added links to district website related to health services: nisdtx.org/students-families/health-services
- Added information about the availability of naloxone (Narcan) on every campus
- Added language about herbal supplements or other medications prescribed by a doctor
- Clarified information regarding required immunizations
- Clarified that students must be able to apply sunscreen independently or wear appropriate sun-blocking clothing/accessories
- Clarified information related to vision, hearing, and spinal screenings

STUDENT HANDBOOK CHANGES

Some small changes in wording:

- Clarified wording to make it clear that students who are currently provided transportation to DAEP because of special education or McKinney-Vento needs will continue to have access to transportation when assigned to DAEP

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Additional resources provided:

- A placeholder for the new NISD Bus Rider Handbook was placed into the transportation section

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TASB Model Student Handbook and Code of Conduct:

- Because this is a legislative year, we anticipate changes to the TASB Model Student Handbook and Code of Conduct. These updates will be considered by district administration and provided to the Board of Trustees as soon as they are available.

Questions