

Parents/Guardians,

Here are some frequent policy issues that parents have questions about each school year; we would like for you to review and be further informed about policies before the school year begins.

1. You were given a whole sheet covering the dress code.
 - a. No face piercings.
 - b. Only regular size earrings in your ears: gauges and similar items are not allowed.
 - c. Leggings may be worn as long as the blouse or top covers the student's backside.
 - d. All dress code rules apply for any and all school sponsored events, which includes graduation.
2. No outside food or drink is allowed. Bethel is a closed campus. (covered on page 20)
 - a. We have federal regulations covering what school children are supposed to eat while on campus.
 - b. Please do not bring fast food to your student during school hours.
 - c. No outside drinks or **drink containers** are allowed on campus.
 - d. Morning Votech students who elect to eat before coming to school need to finish their lunch before they enter the parking lot. Do not bring outside food or drink onto campus.
3. Attendance – You have a whole sheet covering attendance as well for you and your student's signature to be returned. It is important that you understand all of the rules concerning attendance. (covered on pages 17-20)
4. Visitors – In order to prevent interruption of classes, it is necessary for parents and visitors to come to the principal's office to receive help and sign-in for a visitors pass. Students from other schools are not allowed on the school grounds to visit.
5. For several years the policy has been to collect \$15.00 per year for class dues in lieu of having a class fundraiser. Your student can pay these each year or all together if you prefer. All dues are required to be paid before they can attend prom or before they will be given their records and diplomas.
6. Students are not allowed to check themselves out even if they are 18 or older.
7. If Gordan Cooper Tech Center is out of session but Bethel is in, your student still needs to attend Bethel and the same goes if Bethel is out of school but GCTC is in session, your student must attend Votech classes.
8. Students will not be allowed to loiter in the parking lot during any school sponsored dance which includes prom.
 - a. Students leaving the dance will not be allowed to return. They must proceed immediately to their mode of transportation and leave the property.

- b. No guest will be allowed to attend any dance sponsored by Bethel High School with the exception of prom which requires prior approval from the school principal.
 - c. Students must be in good standing (Not under any discipline action such as suspension)
9. If seniors do not participate in Graduation practice, they will not be allowed to walk in the graduation ceremony.

This list is not inclusive of all rules, just some major ones we would like you to review. Your student was given a Student handbook and all rules and regulations can be reviewed in it.

Please sign and have your student sign verifying you have both read and understand these highlights.

(Parent/Guardian Print name)

(Student Print name)

(Parent/Guardian signature)

(Student signature)

Date

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