#### STAR LAKE SITE DISCPLINE PLAN

#### 2021-2022

#### POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

#### Our goal is to develop and implement school-wide procedures to:

- Define behavior expectations. A small number of clearly defined behavioral expectations
  are defined in positive, simple, rules. At Star Lake an Eagle is Safe, Kind, and Productive.
  These expectations are defined across school settings in the expectation matrix included in
  this handbook
- 2. Teach behavior expectations. Opportunities for professional development
  - a. Staff develop, review and refine expectations each year
  - b. Staff are taught the expectations, PBIS strategies, and Capturing Kids Hearts strategies each year in building launch
  - c. Staff participate in professional development centered on SEL, ACEs, behavioral strategies at district trainings, during staff meetings, and individualized instruction with administration or instructional coach as needed
  - d. The behavioral expectations and school procedures are taught to all students in the building, and taught in real contexts.
- 3. **Acknowledge appropriate behaviors.** Once behaviors have been defined and taught they need to be acknowledged on a regular basis. Giving regular positive feedback when students use behaviors they have been taught is a critical step to teaching and maintaining desired behavior. Research suggests that a 5:1 positive to negative ratio fosters the most positive and productive school environments. The goal of an acknowledgement system is to provide a regular reminder to staff during your busy days to catch kids doing the right thing.
  - "Star Lake Way" tickets will be used by all staff members to recognize students for engaging in positive behavior. Staff members can award "Star Lake Way" tickets to students across all school settings, whether they teach the student or not. When handing out "Star Lake Way" tickets we should always clearly identify and praise the specific positive behavior the student is being recognized for and match it with one of the school rules "Safe, Kind, Productive."
- **4. Respond to inappropriate choice or behavior.** Despite our efforts to proactively set students up for behavioral success and prevent inappropriate choices, there will still be incidents of inappropriate or "unexpected" behavior. When it comes to responding to behaviors that do not meet our expectations we have three primary goals:
  - a. Make sure to keep everyone safe
  - b. Minimize the loss of instructional time for all students (including the student who

- engaged in the problem behavior)
- c. Teach/Re-teach the student the appropriate behavior to use instead of the inappropriate/ unexpected behavior

Students who engage in recurring inappropriate/unexpected behaviors, or who are not responding to the school's progressive discipline system, will be provided with additional individual behavioral supports.

IN ORDER TO BE KIND, SAFE, AND PRODUCTIVE AT STAR LAKE ELEMENTARY WE:					
ALL SCHOOL LOCATIONS  Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself at all times  Wear a MASK at all times.  Maintain social distancing – 6-foot rule in congested areas, 3-foot rule in all other locations  Wash/sanitize hands regularly					
CLASSROOM	Walk Maintain social distancing	Use appropriate voice level for the activity	Use materials appropriately	Follow adult directions and stay on task	Clean up after yourself
INDEPENDENT HALLWAY	Walk	Use a level 0 or 1 voice	Carry a hall pass and go straight to your destination	Hands to your side	
MORNING HALLWAY	Walk Sit or stand on assigned dot	Use a level 1 voice Say hello if someone greets you.	Raise hand to use restroom or get a drink	Use kind words Wait patiently Read your book	Use a safe, quiet body and stay on your dot
CLASS LINE	Walk on the arrows Maintain social distancing	Use a level 0 voice when you are moving Use a level 1 voice when you are waiting	Use a silent greeting	Go to the end if you get out of line for any reason	Hands to your side, feet on the floor
LUNCHROOM	Stay in line and walk on dots to enter  Level 0 in the hallway Level 1 in the cafeteria line	Go to my assigned seat Use a level 2 voice to visit with tablemates	Clean up your garbage and throw it away when your table is dismissed Go to recess door in class line	Raise your hands if you need help or need to use the restroom Stay seated	Stay in my class line and walk with supervisors to recess
PLAYGROUND	Play in my class assigned zone Masks can be off to play, masks are on in line	Use equipment appropriately and follow the rules of the game	Restroom: Go to the bathroom cones and wait for an adult to escort in and out of building	Stop, collect, walk, and line up at "round up"	Use kinds words, safe bodies, and good sportsmanship Use "rock, paper, scissors' to solve a disagreement
RESTROOM	3 students in the restroom at a time 2nd-5th: 1 student per class to the restroom K-1st can go with a buddy	Use a level 0 or level 1 voice	Wash hands with soap and water	Use the restroom and quickly return to class Throw my garbage away	Give privacy to others
ASSEMBLIES	Sit flat on our pockets	Enter, exit and wait with a level 1 voice	Follow directions	Use a level 0 voice and pay attention during the performance	Show appreciation by clapping appropriately
BUS	Wear a mask in line and on the bus Follow the driver's directions	Use a level 2 voice to talk only to your seatmates using kind words and voice tone	Sit with feet down, bottom flat, back against the seat	Eat or drink later, not on the bus	Report concerns to the bus driver as soon as possible
CLASS COMPUTER USE	Use only the computer assigned to you	Before touching any computer or materials wait for instructions	Hands on your computer only	Treat computers and headphones with care: soft touch, correct shut down	Always walk when carrying a computer
LIBRARY	Walk Socially distance when book shopping	Enter & exit with a level 0 voice Sit in assigned spot	Use library materials respectfully	Return books on time	Follow librarian and adult directions
OFFICE	Walk	Enter and exit with a level 0 voice	Wait for a staff member to help you	Clean up after yourself	

## Administration Managed Behaviors (Majors)

### **Classroom Managed Behaviors (Minors)**

- Drugs, alcohol, weapons, arson
- Un-safe: and or sustained disruption
- Defiance/disrespect: Student engages in sustained and disruptive behavior repeatedly ignoring adult requests. Continued noncompliance disrupting others learning.
- Major inappropriate displays of affection: Student engages in inappropriate verbal and/or physical gestures/contact, of a sexual nature to another student.
- **Fighting**: Student is involved in mutual participation in an incident involving physical violence.
- Major inappropriate contact: Student engages in actions involving serious physical contact where injury may occur (e.g., hitting, punching, hitting with an object, etc.)
- Major damage/vandalism: Student participates in an activity that results in destruction or disfigurement of property
- **Abusive language**: Student delivers verbal messages that include swearing, name-calling or use of words in an inappropriate way.\*
- Major theft: Student is in possession of, having passed on, or being responsible for removing someone else's property.
- Harassment, intimidation, bullying
- Any intentional electronic, written, verbal or physical act that:
- Physically or emotionally harms a student or damages the students' property or
- Has the effect of substantially interfering with a students education
- Or is so severe, persistent, or pervasive that is creates an intimidating or threatening educational environment or has the effect of substantially disrupting the orderly operation of the school
- \*Disrespectful messages include negative comments based on race, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation and/or national origin; sustained or intense verbal attacks based on ethnic origin, disabilities or other personal matters.

"The office is the emergency room/hospital"

- **Defiance/disrespect:** Student engages in brief or low-intensity failure to respond to adult requests.
- **Classroom disruption:** *Student engages in low intensity, but inappropriate disruption.*
- Minor inappropriate displays of affection: Student engages in brief or low-intensity of inappropriate displays of affection (holding hands, unintentional touching, etc...)
- Minor inappropriate contact: Student engages in non-serious, but inappropriate physical contact.
- **Lying/cheating:** Student delivers message that is untrue and/or deliberately violates the rules.
- **Minor damage:** Student engages in low-intensity misuse of property
- **Inappropriate language:** Student engages in low intensity instance of inappropriate language.
- **Tech violation** (cell phone, iPad, etc...)
- Dress code violation: student wears clothing that is not within the school guideline.



"Teachers are the primary care provider"



# Administration managed behavior referral process (Major)

- 1. If students are in immediate danger use your judgment to ensure the students' safety
- 2. **Call the office for assistance** (the office will contact an administrator) **945-4000**
- 3. Our ultimate goal is to keep students in class in the instructional setting. Administration will assess and, if appropriate, will stay and support student in class. If behavior is too disruptive, or if classroom teacher asks to have student removed, the student will go to the office with administration.
- 4. Reminder: it is illegal and inappropriate to use physical intervention to have students exit an area (compliance)
- 5. Problem solving, progressive discipline, and referrals for services by administration.
- 6. All major incidents must include a parent phone call and written parent notification.
- 7. Administrator or designee will make parent contact.
- 8. Administrator will communicate process, discipline disposition and next steps back to referring staff member within 24 hours via email and/or face to face conversation.

\*If classroom teacher asks to have the student removed from class, the student will not return to class without a conversation with the classroom teacher.

\*Do not leave any students unattended including the student who may be making appropriate choices.

If a student behavior requires a problem solving conversation with you, you need to complete a reflection form to document your discussion, trigger analysis, reteaching plan and next steps.

This, and or conversations with administration, is our "building referral process" for minors, (calling the office is our process for majors) and our "street data" to document and track Tier 1 and 2 classroom interventions

## Classroom managed behavior referral process (Minor)

- 1. Teach
- Establish a social contract, review PBIS expectations, establish class norms and procedures, build and support positive relationships and review these periodically

When an inappropriate behavior occurs:

- 2. Re-teach (constantly)
  - Have a personal conversation with the student to problem solve and find the root cause of the behavior
  - Clarify, review and reteach expectations
- 3. Call home
  - Document for your records the conversation with a parent or guardian and problem solve with student & family
  - Let them know your plan for addressing at school and ask for their input
- 4. Loss of privilege
  - Use natural consequences as much as possible
- 5. Referral to the office
  - A combination of steps 1-4 must have been completed over time and documented on the reflection forms
  - If the behavior/concern continues after 3 reflection forms with student, copy the forms and give to Travis for
  - Administrative review/action. (Tier 2 PBIS team will review as well)

\*\*You may proactively contact administration as an FYI at any time to problem solve prior to the referral

If you are feeling frustrated, need a break, or a bit of support at any time, we are here to help, call the office!

#### Alternatives to in-school suspension:

- --discussion with student and all involved to determine trigger or root cause
- --push in support in class via paraeducator and/or administration
- --natural consequences, loss of privilege
- --development of Tier 2 incentives as needed
- --reteaching of desired behaviors

School administration are the primary responders for general education students as it related to a "crisis intervention."

#### **Student supervision:**

Students who have a loss of privilege **assigned by administration** (for example loss of recess) are supervised by the administrator, not supervised by front office staff. (They might be seated in office but are the responsibility of administration)

**NOTE**: students receiving Tier 3 social/emotional services or behavior supports will have an individual plan with documented goals.

## Site Discipline Plan and reflection form location:

- Entire site discipline plan and electronic version of reflection form are located in the TEAMS PLC HUB—general—files
- DOWNLOAD THE FORM, please don't fill out in TEAMS.
- Hard copies of the refection form are located in the copy room and cafeteria.

#### **Student supervision:**

Students who have a loss of privilege **assigned by the classroom teacher** (for example loss of recess) are supervised by the teacher; they may not be sent to the front office area and are not supervised by front office staff.

#### **Building Passes**

### Students are expected to have a pass if they are moving in the hallway

**independently.** If adults meet a student in the hallway who does not have a pass please re-direct them to their original location to receive a pass. If there are individual students who struggle with meeting the expectation of having a pass or leaving the classroom without permission, we will address those students individually.

#### **Star Lake Way Tickets**

Students can earn Star Lake Way tickets from any staff member for demonstrating expected "safe, kind, and productive" behaviors as outlined on our matrix and in your classroom. If you catch a student doing something great or consistently exhibiting positive behaviors, always clearly identify the specific positive behavior the student is being recognized for and match it with one of the school rules "Safe, Kind, Productive". Students can collect their tickets and redeem them for different prizes or incentives at Eagle Mart.

#### What behavior/discipline data is recorded and how will it be used?

Each time a student is seen by administration for Major incidents it will be documented into Synergy and the outcome will be communicated to staff member (Via e-mail or face to face within 24 hours) and available in Synergy. The data is used at the building, district, and state level to track discipline and referral trends.

Each time a classroom teacher meets with a student for a problem solving, reflective conversation they need to complete a reflection form. Teachers keep the forms in their records.

When a teacher refers a student to the office, after three reflection forms on the same behavior, those reflection forms are given to Travis. These reflection forms are use as another layer of data to track classroom interventions, and this office level referral is documented in Synergy.

#### What is the plan for behavior incidents that occur on the playground or lunchroom?

Playground and lunchroom staff will follow similar procedures as classroom staff. If a major incident happens on the playground or lunchroom, they call for administrative support on the walkie-talkie, the student is seen by administration and communication will go back to the supervisor and classroom teacher and documented into Synergy.

For minor incidents, the playground supervisor does the following (as a guideline):

- 1. Talk to students involved, ask questions to determine what occurred (not only relying on one side of the story)
- 2. Assist students with apologizing, problem solving, repairing relationships
- 3. Re-teaching in area of inappropriate or unexpected behavior
- 4. Loss of privilege in the area if appropriate (ex, loss of tetherball, loss of wall ball, assigned seating, assigned sections of the playground, etc...)
- 5. If repeated behavior, referral to office using reflection form
  Administration then problem solves, contacts parents as needed, and communicated resolution/ discipline disposition to playground staff, classroom teacher and parents

### Site discipline plan: CBA information





