



# SoWashCo Student Handbook

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# Student Handbooks

- Help provide information and notices to students and parents/guardians
- Serves as a tool for school districts, students, and parents/guardians to work together effectively toward the common goal of an excellent education for students



ABOUT US		ACADEMICS		GET INVOLVED		SERVICES		ACTIVITIES		CONTACT US	
<a href="#">Emergency Procedures</a>		<a href="#">Rights and Responsibilities</a>		<a href="#">and Responsibilities</a>		<a href="#">Seniors</a>					
<a href="#">Handbook</a>		<a href="#">Seniors</a>									
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<a href="#">Principal</a>											

**The 2022–23 Student Handbook  
link will replace Rights and  
Responsibilities link**

# **SoWashCo Schools Student Handbook**

**District Annual  
Notifications**

**Student  
Handbook  
Topics**



# SoWashCo Student Handbook

**Policy, Statute  
and Law**



**Procedures**



**Student Rights  
and  
Responsibilities**



**Potential  
Consequences**





# Introduction Paragraph

## STUDENT HANDBOOK AND DISTRICT NOTIFICATIONS

To achieve our mission and objectives for the highest level of student success, the district has established and will enforce reasonable rights and responsibilities related to student expectations.

The purpose of the student handbook and annual notifications are to provide a framework of resources for your experience as a student, whether you are full-time, part-time, online or in-person. This includes information so that you can develop an understanding of the general rules/expectations and guidelines, along with notification of board policy or state statute.

Items noted with an asterisk [\*] indicates notice is required by State statute. Items noted with two asterisks [\*\*] indicate notice is required by School Board policy.

Besides the policies that are included and/or referred to in this Handbook, students are expected to be aware of and to abide by all of the District's policies. All of the District's policies can be found on the [District's website](#). Students should pay particular attention to the policies in Section 500 that specifically pertains to students. Questions regarding policies can be directed to your building administrator.

## SKIP TO SECTION:

[Student Handbook](#) | [Annual District Notifications](#)



# Student Handbook Topics

## FILTER BY TOPIC

ALL	ALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL POLICIES	ALL HIGH SCHOOL POLICIES	ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL POLICIES	ATTENDANCE	
BIRTHDAY	BULLYING	BUS/TRANSPORTATION	CELL PHONES	CHEATING AND PLAGIARISM	
CONTACT INFORMATION AND STUDENT IDENTIFICATION		DATA	DRESS AND APPEARANCE	FIELD TRIPS	
FIGHTING AND PHYSICAL AGGRESSION	FORGERY	FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION	FUNDRAISING	GIFTS	GRADES
GRADUATION	HEALTH AND SAFETY	HOLIDAYS	INJURIES/ACCIDENTS	LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	NONDISCRIMINATION
PARKING	RACIAL EQUITY AND INCLUSION	TECHNOLOGY	TESTING	VISITORS	VOLUNTEER



# Student Handbook Topics

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- Attendance [\*\*]
- Bullying Prohibition [\*]
- Bus Behavior Guidelines [\*\*]
- Cell Phones and Other Electronic Devices
- Cheating and Plagiarism
- Chemical Use/Abuse
- Classroom Birthday Celebrations
- Contact Information
- Dress and Appearance
- Equal Access to School Facilities
- False Alarm
- Field Trips
- Fighting and Physical Aggression
- Forgery
- Freedom of Expression
- Fundraising
- Gender and Student Civil Rights Protections
- Gifts to Employees
- Grade Promotion, Acceleration and Retention
- Graduation Ceremony
- Harassment and Violence Prohibition [\*]
- Hazing Prohibition [\*]
- Health Services
- Holiday Celebrations
- Homework
- Indigenous Land Acknowledgement
- Immunizations
- Injuries/Accidents
- Interviews of Students by Outside Agencies
- Language/Expression of Speech
- Lockers
- Nondiscrimination [\*]
- Nuisance Devices





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- Parking and Vehicle Use on School District Property
- Pets and Service Animals
- Racial Equity and Inclusion
- Recess
- Safety and Security: Drills and Evacuation
- School Emergency Closing Procedures
- Student Publications and Distribution of Materials
- Student Identification and ID Badges
- Social Media
- Student Release to Authorized Persons
- Technology and Internet Acceptable Use
- Testing – Statewide
- Theft and Damage to Property
- Threats
- Tobacco-Free Schools; Possession and Use of Tobacco, Tobacco-Related Devices, and Electronic Delivery Devices [\*\*]
- Transportation Guidelines
- Video Surveillance and Audio Recording
- Visitors in District Buildings
- Volunteers
- Weapons Prohibition



# Annual District Notifications

## FILTER BY TOPIC

ALL

BACKGROUND CHECKS

DATA

FEES

HEALTH AND SAFETY

NONDISCRIMINATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

RIGHT TO KNOW



# Annual District Notifications


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- Asbestos Management Plan [\*]
- Employment Background Checks [\*]
- Fees [\*]
- Notice of Violent Behavior by Students [\*\*]
- Parent/Legal Guardian Right to Know [\*]
- Pesticide Application Notice [\*]
- Pledge of Allegiance [\*]
- Religious Observation [\*]
- Search of Student Lockers, Desks, Personal Possessions, and Student's Person [\*]
- Student Records [\*]
- Student Surveys [\*]
- Vehicles and Parking on Campus [\*\*]



# Next Steps

- Student Video for Fall
  - Student Recognition of Receipt Process
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thanks!