



THE BLUE JAY WAY



GENERAL

- *Treat others with kindness, respect differences, and use positive language*
- Keep your hands and feet to yourself
- Treat all school facilities with care
- *You make a difference in the educational environment for your peers – make it a positive one!*

DRESS CODE

Follow the FWISD Dress Code:

- White or navy collared shirts are allowed.
- Khaki, black, navy, or denim pants, shorts, and skirts are allowed. Please make sure that clothes fit and there are minimal holes.
- McLean 6th Spirit Shirts are allowed on Fridays.
- No athletic wear (leggings, sweat pants, athletic shorts) except for Free Dress days.
- No slip-on or slide shoes are allowed.
- Hats and hoods may not be worn inside the building.

LUNCH

- Teachers will walk classes to their assigned tables at the start of each lunch period.
- If you are getting lunch from the school, line up single file along the wall and wait your turn.
- Sit at your assigned table while eating.
- Ask teacher on duty before leaving the cafeteria for any reason.
- Clean up your trash and put away all food before leaving the cafeteria.
- Wait to be excused for recess before leaving the cafeteria.
- Students can earn “Free Fridays” for good behavior and a clean cafeteria the rest of the week.
- Tables can lose recess time when they leave their area messy or do not follow café rules.

RECESS

- Once you have left the cafeteria, you must stay in the courtyard for recess.
- Remain in areas where there is adult supervision
- Friendly athletic competition is encouraged, but all games must remain peaceful and safe.
- All sports must stay “in-bounds” and there should be “no contact” between athletes.
- Use only the recess equipment provided by the school.

IN THE CLASSROOM

- Actively participate in your education
- Behave in a way that allows you and others to learn
- Follow teacher directions and classroom procedures
- Complete all assignments thoroughly, thoughtfully, and with integrity

CELL PHONES

- Cell phones are not needed at school. If a McLean 6th family needs to be in contact during the school day, office phones are available.
- If students bring a cell phone to school, it must be **OFF** and stored in their **BACKPACK** when the student is on campus (this includes before school and while waiting to board the bus).
- Our building does not have lockers and students will leave their backpacks in classrooms or common storage areas. Students who bring cell phones to school do so at their own risk.
- According to the FCC's *Children's Online Privacy Protection Act* and the policies of major social media companies, children under the age of 13 are not allowed to have social media accounts.

MATERIALS

- Student Chromebooks must be carried separately in the district-issued Chromebook bag, with their name clearly labeled on the bag. Chromebooks may not be carried in backpacks or loose.
- Students must also bring a separate backpack for their other school supplies. School supplies may not be carried in Chromebook bags.

HALLWAYS AND PASSING PERIODS

- Walk quietly on the right side of the hallway.
- The courtyard will only be used by portable classes. Portable teachers will walk students to and from class using assigned doors (Band – library, Choir – café, Orchestra – gym).
- Restrooms are closed during passing periods.
- Students must go directly to their next class. Students must check in and get a pass from their teacher to go anywhere else on campus.

BEFORE SCHOOL

- For your safety, use the crosswalk to cross the street.
- Once you have arrived on campus, you must remain on campus.
- All students need to enter the building through the cafeteria doors and remain there until the teacher on duty leads them to recess.
- Students who are eating breakfast should sit at the tables along the cafeteria walls and clean up their area.
- If students have prearranged tutoring with a teacher, they should bring a pass to show the teacher on duty.

AFTER SCHOOL

- Bus riders must report to the cafeteria immediately following dismissal and wait to be called to their bus
- Students who are walking home or being picked up from school are to leave campus promptly after dismissal