

2.07R Parents Code of Conduct

Northeast Academy for Aerospace and Advanced Technologies (NEAAAT)'s staff, students, and the parents/guardians of these students are all responsible for student academic achievement, which is fostered by the strength of ongoing partnership amongst these responsible parties.

At NEAAAT, we believe it is important to:

- Work in partnership with parents/guardians to support their child's learning;
- Create a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment for learners, staff, and parents/guardians;
- Model appropriate behaviors for our students;
- Work together to get the best outcomes for students; and,
- Communicate openly and respectfully when there are challenges or problems.

The purpose of 2.07R, Parents Code of Conduct, is to provide a reference and reminder to all parents, guardians, caregivers, and visitors of our school regarding the manner in which the NEAAAT community expects these individuals to conduct themselves. This code of conduct is the core basis enabling an environment that promotes progress, respect, and achievement within an atmosphere of mutual understanding.

In addition to the agreement set forth in the NEAAAT School-Parent-Student Compact, parents, guardians, caregivers, and visitors are expected to:

- Respect the caring ethos, vision, and values of NEAAAT, partner campuses, and events on or off campus;
- Demonstrate that all members of the school community should be treated with respect and therefore set a good example in their own speech and behavior;
- Seek to clarify a child's version of events with the school's view in order to bring about a peaceful solution to any issue; and,
- Follow NEAAAT's Problem Resolution Policy 3.07 when there is a problem or grievance with any member of the NEAAAT community.

The following conditions will not be tolerated:

- Disruptive behavior which interferes or threatens to interfere with school operations, which includes but is not limited to behavior that occurs in a classroom, offices and common areas, or any other area of the school grounds, including athletic or club events (home or away).
- Shouting at school staff, either in person, over the telephone or via any multimedia platform.
- Using disruptive or offensive language, swearing, cursing, or using profane language.
- Threatening to harm a member of the school staff, fellow parent/guardian, caretaker, student or visitor, regardless of whether or not the behavior constitutes a criminal offense.
- Damaging or destroying school property or the property of host schools or businesses.
- Abusive or threatening emails, texts, voicemails, phone messages, social media posts or other written communications.
- Making defamatory, offensive, or derogatory comments regarding the school or any of the students, parents, or staff of the school on any social media platforms. Any concerns you may have regarding the school must be made through the appropriate channels by speaking to a school staff member so they can be dealt with fairly, appropriately, and effectively for all concerned.
- Using physical aggression towards another adult or child. This includes physical punishment against your own child while on school premises.
- Animals being brought on school premises without prior approval.
- Tobacco use, smoking, vaping or being under the influence of alcohol or drugs, or possessing weapons on school premises.

We trust that parents, guardians, caregivers and all visitors will assist with the implementation of this policy.

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