# Edmonson County Middle School Parent Information

### Student Handbook

The Edmonson County Middle School student handbook includes policies covering the following: Pass/Fail, Fees, On File, Attendance, Tardy to Class, Check In/Out, Visitors, Breakfast/Lunch, Discipline, Cell Phone, Dress Code, Medication, Office Telephone, Lunchroom Rules, Library, Student Services, Bus Passes, School Insurance, Assemblies, Soft Drinks and Snacks, Field/Extracurricular Trips, Emergency Drills, Substance Abuse Threats/Harassment, Lockers, Toys/Games (includes spinners), Fundraisers. ECMS students will be held accountable in accordance with these policies. Please read over these policies with your student, then sign the contract page that will be sent home the first day of school.

### **Textbooks**

Textbooks are furnished to students at no cost or a small rental fee. However, if any of the books furnished to a student are lost, destroyed, or misused, the student will be expected to pay the replacement cost for the books. Students who owe for textbooks will not be issued books until the debt is paid.

### **Library Books**

Parents/Guardians are held responsible for any lost or damaged library book checked out by his/her child. Students will be unable to check out a book from the library Media Center until the lost or damaged book is found or paid for.

## **Transportation**

Students are expected to follow all bus riding rules and regulations. The privilege of a student to ride a bus is conditional upon their good behavior and observance of the rules and regulations.

### **Publication Consent**

Unless otherwise advised, parents/guardians give implied consent for students who attend Edmonson County Schools to be photographed, videotaped, or otherwise identified for use in school publications, school web pages/email internet, yearbooks, group pictures, class pictures, school projects, newspaper articles, etc. Any parent or student who does not agree with the provisions of implied consent as outlined above must notify the Principal in writing annually. NOTE: If the recorded image, voice, or work

of a student is to be included in a publication as part of a commercial or for-profit fund-raising endeavor, affirmative authorization of the parent/guardian or eligible student must be obtained.

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### **Reward Movies**

On occasion, we may show a "fun" movie to classes as a type of reward. These movies will not be rated above PG-13. If you DO NOT want your child to view them, please notify the school.

### Chromebooks

All students will be required to have a school issued Chromebook. The Chromebook and charger must be signed out by a parent or guardian. A user agreement for the Chromebook must be signed by the parent/guardian and student. The parent/guardian will be responsible for any lost or damaged Chromebooks and chargers.