

# Riverview Academy Safety Patrol Code of Conduct

As student leaders, Safety Patrol members have the responsibility to show positive leadership and act as a role model for the student body in all capacities (during patrol duties, at patrol meetings, in their home classrooms, on the playground, etc.). Officers, patrols, and substitutes are expected to uphold building standards at or above the guidelines established in the Riverview Academy of Math and Science Code of Conduct:

- Work and play safely
- Show courtesy and respect for others in language and behavior
- Make Riverview Academy of Math and Science a good place to learn.
- Respect others
- Do not talk back
- Use appropriate and kind language towards others
- Always notify the captain of your absence within a reasonable time
- Work hard, try your best, and be a good student in class
- Keep quiet voices in the patrol area at all times
- Show support and a positive attitude toward school and others
- Be responsible
- Turn class work in on time
- Keep up your grades
- Always patrol with a partner
- Walk to patrol assignment as a squad
- Always attend patrol meetings
- Arrive on time

I agree to follow the above guidelines and keep up my responsibilities as a member of the Riverview Academy Safety Patrol, I understand there are consequences if these guidelines are not met (including suspension and removal from the team). I agree to take my position seriously and will act as a positive role model for the student body.

Student Signature	Date
Parent Signature	Date

RETURN TO: Riverview Academy Safety Patrol supervisor Mrs. Jaramillo

### **Consequences for Misconduct:**

The following is not an exhaustive list; Mrs. Jaramillo will make decisions with regards to misconduct and situations not listed here:

# Level 1 Examples of Misconduct:

- \* Disobeying the Riverview Academy Code of Conduct, which states that we must work and play safely, show courtesy and respect for others in language and behavior, and make Riverview Academy a good place to learn.
- \* Swearing (confirmed by Classroom teacher and/or reported by at least two witnesses).
- \* Failing in assigned duties, including:
  - \*Arriving late for assigned duty
  - \*Off task behavior while on duty
  - \*Failure to carry out duties of assigned position or post

### **Consequences:**

This level is otherwise known as "Three strikes, you're out." Patrol members are given a written warning about the inappropriate behavior. Another report of inappropriate actions is considered as a "Level 2" infraction and the student is given a written warning. A third instance of misconduct is grounds for dismissal. Temporary suspension can be an option.

# **Level 2 Examples of Misconduct:**

- \* One unexcused absence from a Safety Patrol meeting
- \* One absence with no call to notify Captain
- \* Missing schoolwork or getting behind in school (Classroom teacher must confirm)

#### **Consequences:**

Written notification of unacceptable Safety Patrol behavior; a student who twice exhibits "Level 2" inappropriate behaviors will be dismissed from Patrol duties. Temporary suspension can be an option.

# **Level 3 Examples of Misconduct:**

- \* Physically hurting another person
- \* Potentially harmful behavior
- \* Lack of respect for property
- \* Defiance of authority
- \* A total of two unexcused absences (i.e.: another absence after a serious warning)
- \* A second notification of missing work (with teacher confirmation), after first serious warning

### Consequences

Grounds for automatic dismissal from position of officer, patrol, or substitute.