Students have a responsibility to respect the personal property rights of other students, teachers, and administrators as well as the public’s property, including school property and buildings. Students have a right to expect that other students and school personnel will respect their property.

All students must take care to avoid damaging others’ property.

No student borrows or otherwise takes another’s property without asking and being granted permission to do so. This includes “intellectual property”: songs, artwork, stories, and essays that people create. No student may take or use anyone’s “intellectual property” without permission.

Any time a student uses someone else’s ideas, even with permission or when the ideas were produced many years ago, the use is to be carefully and appropriately cited so as to avoid plagiarism and to give proper credit to the originators of the ideas.