

**LINCOLN ROOSEVELT SCHOOL  
CODE OF CONDUCT**

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**FIRST NAME**

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**LAST NAME**

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**Homeroom Teacher**

All students will be required to read this Code of Conduct with their homeroom teacher and will be required to sign the Code of Conduct. By signing the Code of Conduct each student is acknowledging that he/she understands what is expected of them behavior-wise and that they will abide by the rules of the school that are contained in the Lincoln Roosevelt School Handbook that is located in the front of the agenda book.

Although, it is assumed that all of the rules in the Lincoln Roosevelt Handbook are important and will be obeyed, the following behaviors will not be permitted in any form, at any time, at Lincoln Roosevelt School. Serious consequences will be experienced by any student who is involved in any of the behaviors listed below.

1. **Bullying or harassing anyone at Lincoln Roosevelt School.** (to create an unpleasant or hostile situation for another student by ones verbal or physical conduct toward that student i.e.: making fun of, putting down, inappropriate teasing, calling names, physically bothering, touching or hitting another student, threatening or being mean-spirited).
2. **Causing the education or instruction of any other student(s) to be disrupted.** If your behavior results in other students missing out on classroom instruction you may be removed from the class and serious consequences will occur. You do not have the right to interfere with any child's education or instruction. Teachers are here to teach – students should be here to learn. No student will be allowed to interrupt the learning process.
3. **No Lincoln Roosevelt student will show any disrespect toward any staff member at Lincoln Roosevelt School.** That includes all adults who work at Lincoln Roosevelt School in any capacity, including all bus drivers. Again, serious consequences will be given to any child who is disrespectful to any staff member for any reason. *There are no exceptions to this rule.*
4. **Behavior is expected to be appropriate and reasonable when a teacher is not directly overseeing you.**

No inappropriate behavior will be tolerated in the lunchroom at recess, on the bus, at the bus stop, in the hallways, or in the bathrooms. You need to use more self-control when you are in these places and have been granted some freedom. The freedom will be given to you, but it can also be taken away. Don't involve yourself in any behaviors that will result in losing the freedoms that you will have at Lincoln Roosevelt School. **THINK** before you put yourself in any situation that will cause you to lose any privileges. You will be removed from the cafeteria if you cause problems for the supervisors. Bathroom privileges will be restricted if students abuse the privileges. Bus Transportation will be denied if a student insists on being a problem on the bus.

5. **Respect for school property** – It goes without saying that it is expected that all school property is treated with respect and care. We are in the process of trying to make the whole school look cleaner and more attractive. It is up to everyone to help with this project. We will not tolerate anyone at Lincoln Roosevelt School to cause any damage or ruin the improvements that have been made to the Lincoln and Roosevelt buildings. This includes the following:

Damage to lockers, desks, furniture, computers, books, bathrooms, cafeteria furniture, auditorium furniture. This rule also applies to the busses and vans!

6. **Cheating of any kind will not be allowed.** Cheating includes copying any work from another student and presenting it as your own. This includes any work that you are asked to do at Lincoln Roosevelt School (homework, reports, tests, quizzes, etc.). Also, telling other students what is on tests or quizzes that you have taken and other students will take later in the day is considered to be cheating.

Again, think long and hard before getting involved with any behavior that might cause any kind of damage. Also, be aware that if anyone damages any school property they will be responsible for the cost of repairing the damaged item.

To sum up this Code of Conduct – you are in school to learn and to behave in a reasonable manner. You will always be treated fairly and with respect at Lincoln Roosevelt School and it is expected that you will treat all people at Lincoln Roosevelt School with the same respect and courtesy that you will enjoy.

As 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders you are expected to know right from wrong and you are expected to use your good judgment when it comes to being a good citizen at Lincoln Roosevelt School.

We expect all students to make good choices and to think clearly and carefully before making a choice to do something that is not in their, or any other student's, best interest. Before you say or do something unkind to any other child, before you hit another child or before you do something that you know to be wrong, **STOP, THINK, AND MAKE A GOOD CHOICE INSTEAD OF A BAD ONE.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, agree to abide by the Lincoln Roosevelt Code of Conduct and the rules that are contained in the Lincoln Roosevelt Student Handbook.

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Signature of Student

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Signature of Parent

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Date

This form which was signed by you will be kept on file by in the office. If you break this Code of Conduct, which is your signed promise that you would not be involved in any such behavior, you will be sent to the office and will be punished accordingly.

**At Lincoln Roosevelt School there are always going to be consequences for inappropriate behavior. Please do not put yourself in a position where you will have consequences imposed on you.**

*There is a choice you have to make in everything you do.*

*So keep in mind that in the end the choices you make, make you.*