

## Respectful Conduct at School Sponsored Events and Events Which Utilize School Facility

## Stonegate Elementary 2014-2015

## **Local School Policy**

Stonegate Elementary considers school-sponsored, PTA-sponsored, and community events to be an integral part of the education of its students. As a school, we also acknowledge our duty to maintain order, protect the integrity and safety of students and personnel, and preserve the facilities of the district during such events. Therefore, spectators as well as participants are responsible for establishing and maintaining a positive, respectful, civil and polite environment at school-sponsored and hosted events.

Appropriate behavior is expected from all persons who visit or utilize the school facility. Students MUST be accompanied by a parent and/or guardian. Parents and/or guardians are expected to maintain supervision of children at all times during such events. While in attendance, children are expected to demonstrate the four core values: respect, responsibility, collaboration and commitment. Improper and unsafe behavior will not be tolerated. Examples of improper and/or unsafe behavior include but are not limited to:

- fighting, threatening, or bullying behavior (including teasing);
- inappropriate, unsafe, or rough play;
- use of abusive, profane or obscene language or gestures (including name calling);
- acts of vandalism

See attached discipline policy and rules of conduct for full list of expectations.

Reports of inappropriate and/or unsafe behavior will be fully investigated by the administrative team. The principal, or other adult acting at the principal's request, shall determine the appropriate consequences in each case of student misbehavior or violation of the rules and regulations. Students can and will receive <a href="in-school">in-school</a> consequences if inappropriate or unsafe behavior is determined. Each student has the right to present his or her view of the problem when the principal is determining the facts and imposing the penalties. Individuals on school property who cause public inconvenience, annoyance or alarm, or recklessly create a risk can also be removed from school property. Furthermore, violators may be barred from future events until issues of improper behavior are resolved.