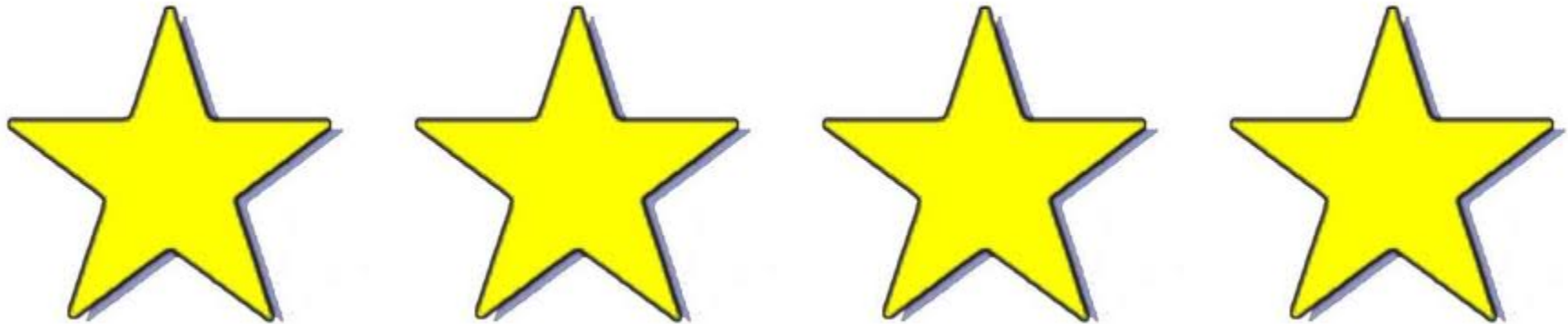


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"Home of the Squires"
Indiana Four Star School of
Excellence



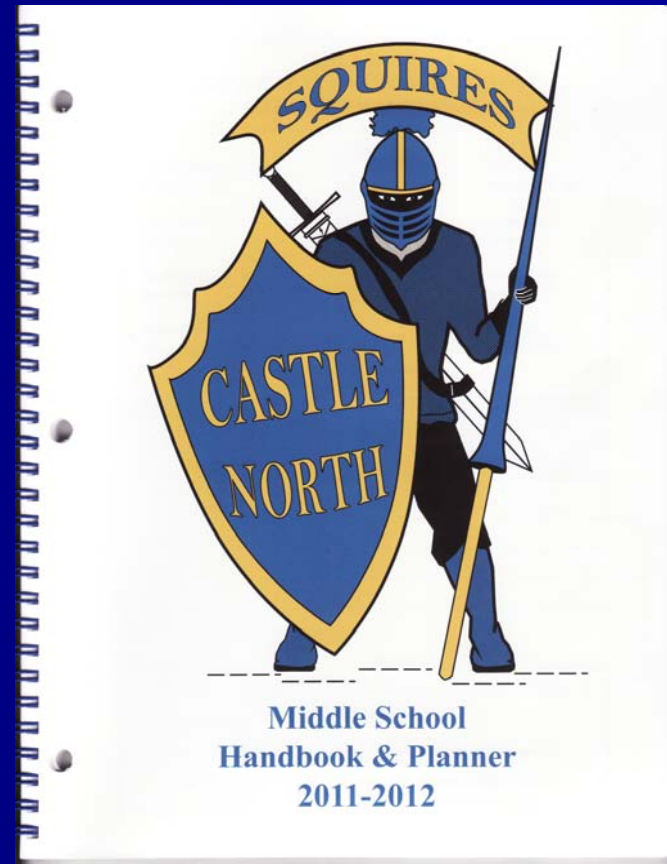
CASTLE NORTH MIDDLE SCHOOL

Rules and Expectations



Castle North Middle School Discipline Summary

The Warrick County School Board has established guidelines that every school follows. Every student will be assigned an AGENDA BOOK that clearly illustrates the school and corporation guidelines.



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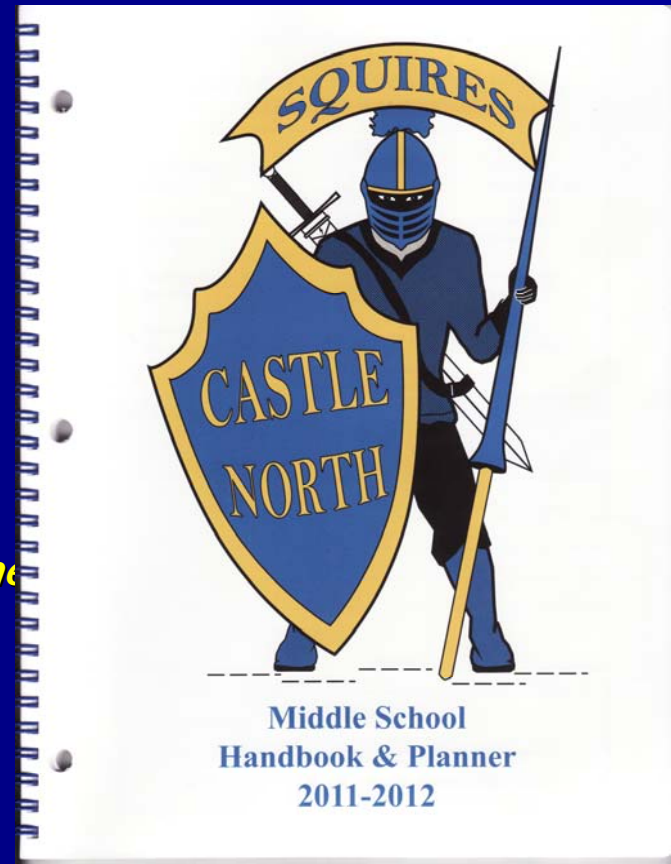
Castle North Middle School operates on a demerit system that is listed as follows:

- 5 demerits – parent contact by mail.
- 10 demerits – One day suspension or Sat. School.
- 18 demerits – Three day suspension from school.
- 25 demerits – Five day suspension from school.
- 30 demerits – Expulsion is recommended.

Behavior that is severe in nature can result in immediate suspension or even expulsion in some cases.

***WEAPONS OR DRUGS WARRANT IMMEDIATE
EXPULSION.***

CONSULT YOUR AGENDA BOOK FOR SPECIFICS.



Castle North Middle School SCHOOL SAFETY

EVERY EFFORT IS MADE TO MAKE CASTLE NORTH MIDDLE SCHOOL A SAFE AND SECURE ENVIRONMENT. SOME OF OUR PRECAUTIONS ARE LISTED AS FOLLOWS:

RULES ARE ENFORCED

FIRE ALARM DRILLS

TORNADO DRILLS

LOCK DOWN DRILLS

COUNSELOR INTERVENTION

SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

Certified Indiana School Safety Specialist



Castle North Middle School ATTENDANCE

Attendance at school is critical to obtaining an education. While vacations, sporting events, and church retreats are very important, please try to schedule these activities so an absolute minimum of school is missed. The faculty and staff at Castle North Middle School work very hard at being the best school that we can be and we need our students here in attendance to achieve that goal.

We can only be a four star school if everyone is here on a regular basis!



Castle North Middle School

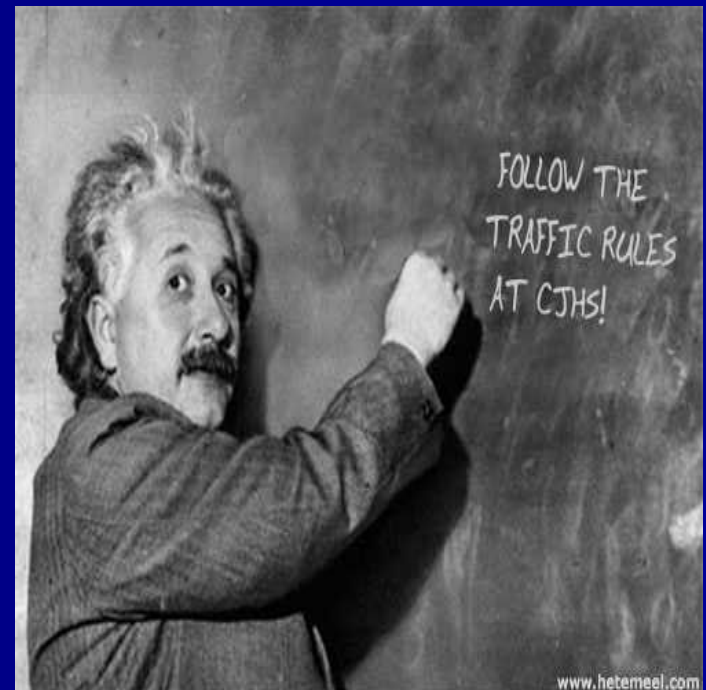
STUDENT DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP

THE START AND CLOSE OF SCHOOL ARE VERY BUSY TIMES!

STUDENTS WHO DO NOT RIDE THE BUS MUST FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES.

NO CAR TRAFFIC IN FRONT OF THE BUILDING.
ALL DROP OFF IS IN THE BACK OF THE SCHOOL.
ALL PICK UP IS IN THE BACK OF THE SCHOOL.
CONES, LANES, AND SIGNS MUST BE FOLLOWED.

AFTER 7:25 AM, LATE STUDENTS MAY ENTER THE FRONT OF THE BUILDING.



Castle North Middle School LOCKERS

UNLESS ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE, EVERY STUDENT AT CNMS IS ASSIGNED A LOCKER. SOME RECOMMENDATIONS FOR LOCKER USAGE ARE LISTED AS FOLLOWS:

DO NOT SHARE YOUR LOCKER.
DO NOT OVERLOAD YOUR LOCKER.
DO NOT KEEP VALUABLES IN YOUR LOCKER.
DO NOT SHARE YOUR LOCKER COMBINATION.

DO KEEP YOUR BOOKS IN YOUR LOCKER.
DO KEEP YOUR COAT IN YOUR LOCKER.
DO KEEP YOUR BACKPACK IN YOUR LOCKER.
DO KEEP YOUR SUPPLIES IN YOUR LOCKER.



Castle North Middle School Dress Code

The Warrick County School Board has established guidelines that every school follows. Regardless, it is up to the individual school's discretion to make final dress code judgments.

What not to wear. I.

Tips for female students:

1. Don't wear short skirts.
2. Don't show your midriff.
3. Undergarments will not be showing.
4. Your upper torso will not be exposed.



What not to wear. II.



*REGARDLESS TO
TIGHTS OR LEGGINGS,
SKIRTS AND SHORTS
MUST BE APPROACHING
THE KNEE IN LENGTH.*

The skirt in this picture is not acceptable.

What not to wear. III.



All tops must cover the upper torso appropriately. No tank tops, spaghetti straps, or swoop neck shirts are allowed. The midriff must be covered as well.

What not to wear. IV.



An appropriate skirt approaches the knee.



The skirt in this picture is acceptable.

Shirts

T-shirts will not illustrate or infer any of the following items or topics:

1. Vulgar words.
2. Alcohol, beer, or drug advertisements.
3. Anything that degrades another person.
4. Anything that is sexual in nature.
5. Anything overtly violent in nature.

T-Shirts that may seem funny, but are unacceptable.



Unacceptable T-Shirts... III.



Baggy pants... I.



Pants should not be baggy and should be worn on the waist at all times. No undergarment shall be exposed. Biker shorts are prohibited.

MORE CLOTHING PROBLEMS

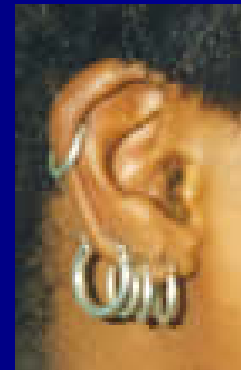
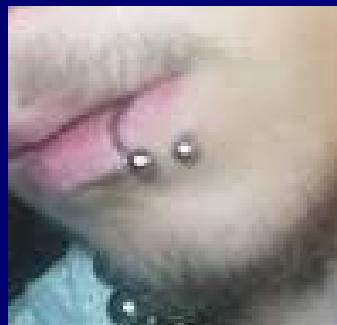
- Holes in jeans, pants, or shirts are strictly prohibited



Other items that are not appropriate at school

Body piercing is not allowed.

Earrings that are a distraction will be taken out.



Hair color and styles

- All hair color must be a natural hair color.
- Hair must not cause a distraction to the educational process.
- Students can and will be sent home if ample time has been allowed to fix the problem and nothing has been done.

What happens when the dress code is violated?

- We ask the student to change or simply take off the offensive item. Most of the time, the student has something else to wear. The school also has T-Shirts that can be loaned out.
- We call home or work if the student does not have something else to wear. A family member can bring something more appropriate to wear to school.

What happens... continued

- If dress code violations become a habitual problem, disciplinary actions will be taken. This can progress from warnings, to demerits, to Saturday school, and even to a suspension from school.

How can parents help?

- Use your judgment. When in doubt, almost always, do without.
- Make sure you see what they are wearing to school.
- If you have questions, you can contact the school administration for clarification.

**The use of cellular phones
is strictly prohibited.**



If a cellular phone is seen or heard, it will be confiscated.



Parents will be required to claim the confiscated phone.

If an unauthorized electronic device is seen or heard, it will be confiscated.



Parents will be required to claim the confiscated device.

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