

RDHS Student Expectations

Rideau DHS students are expected to:

1. Arrive on time and be prepared to learn.
2. Be polite with other students and adults.
3. Work hard to be successful.
4. Respect our environment.

Notes about Student Behaviour

Behaviour	Notes
Punctuality	Students are expected to be in class every day and on time. If you are going to be away, please advise the Administration. Unexplained absences or lates will result in contact with parents, potential office referrals and detentions. Students are also expected to arrive to class prepared to learn with all necessary learning materials.
Late and Missed Assignments	Students are expected to submit all of their completed work to their teacher on time. Missing an assignment may result in referrals to Student Success, detention, contacting parents and potential referral to the Administration.
Respectful Behaviour	Students are expected to be respectful with all members of the school community. Swearing, bullying, disrespect, inappropriate cell phone use may result in contacting parents, office referral, detentions and suspension. Students are expected to be polite and use their manners when interacting with any member of the school community.
Dress Code	Students are expected to dress neat, clean and appropriate for a place of work. Clothing must be free of profanity, references to drugs or alcohol, inappropriate images, and inappropriate or suggestive language. Grade 7 and 8 students are not allowed to wear hats in class.
Honesty	Students are expected to be honest with all members of the school community. Students are expected to submit work which is original and represents their own efforts. Plagiarism is a very serious academic offence and will result in parental contact and referral to administration.
Alcohol and Drugs	Students are expected to attend school and school events free of alcohol and drugs. Students must obey all municipal, provincial and federal laws.
Extra-curricular Activities	Students are expected to be in good standing in order to participate in extra-curricular activities. They must have good attendance, passing all classes and demonstrate excellent behaviour.
Hallways and Transitions	Students are expected to move to all assigned areas such as classes, cafeteria or learning commons immediately and respect boundaries. Students shall follow the instructions of the supervising adults, and not engage in rough-housing or horseplay. Students should use the washroom on their breaks unless it is an emergency. Students will only have access to the cafeteria for purchasing food at break, during their spare or at lunch.
Technology	Students are expected to use technology appropriately and responsibly, and follow the UCDSB Acceptable Use Agreement. Cell phones must be used appropriately and students shall refrain from sending text messages in class. Students may only take pictures with cell phones, cameras or other electronic devices with the permission of the student and/or subject teacher. Students should also ensure all work is saved/backed up regularly to prevent loss.