

## Campus Rules

### Tardy

Being tardy means you are late to class. 1 second to 9:59 minutes is a tardy. At 10 minutes that changes to a class cut, which means student services will probably get involved. At 30 minutes it's a different monster.

If you're tardy...

1. Go to the attendance window
2. Get a slip from them (they'll document the tardy)
3. Go to class with the slip for entry
4. Try not to be late again.

### Cell phones and other electronic devices

The cellphone is a great tool for information if not communication. It has also become a major distraction. has adopted a new policy that all teachers should follow.

*Unless under the direction of staff (for specific instructional or curricular purposes), students may not use electronic devices, including cell phones and/or earbuds, in classrooms. Devices should be turned off and stored according to the teacher's directions. Devices may not be used in restrooms, locker rooms, or other spaces where students have an expectation of privacy.*

So what does that mean? Basically no personal electronic devices unless it is during lunch, break, or within passing time. Personal devices approved by the teacher will be allowed in the classroom.

### Dress Code

Make sure you are within the dress code for CUSD and Buchanan High School. A majority of student's do a good job of following the dress code, but there are a few things that have become a tendency at Buchanan

1. Hats
  - a. The only hats allowed in the dress code are Buchanan High School Hats. There may be exceptions to the policy such as CIF Central Section Champions, Robotics, etc. All other hats are not allowed.
  - b. All hats must be worn with the bill forward. No exceptions.
2. Shorts
  - a. Biker or lycra shorts are not permitted.
3. Leggings
  - a. No mesh type material is allowed above the knee

For all other dress code rules, please read your Student Handbook.

## Soares's Classroom Rules

\*\*All CUSD and Buchanan High School Rules will be enforced in the classroom during school time.

Additional rules that you need to know about.

### **1. Food and drinks**

- a. Drinks are permitted in my classroom as long as you have a container that has a "screw style top".
- b. Coffee style cups or purchased drinks with straws are NOT permitted.
  - i. If you bring one to class, you can store it at the front table.
- c. Snacks are permitted as long as...
  - i. You clean up after yourself (or others)
  - ii. It is what "I" deem as a snack.
  - iii. The odor of the snack is not overwhelming
- d. No Meals (6th or 7th Periods especially)
  - i. Bringing in a lunch or breakfast due to a time constraint is not acceptable. If you bring a lunch or breakfast, you must
    1. Place the lunch or breakfast at the front table
    2. Eat it outside after I am done lecturing
  - ii. No ordering of food deliveries at any time
- e. If you make a mess
  - i. Clean it up
  - ii. If I find a mess in my room and class is dismissed, I will call your next class and ask the teacher to excuse you to my class to clean the mess.

### **2. Hats**

- a. No hats in the classroom...it doesn't matter who you are.
- b. Hats in the classroom after school hours are permitted (study sessions)

### **3. Late Work**

- a. Communicate with me why it's late
- b. Partial credit does exist, but there will be a deadline every semester.
- c. Planned late work
  - i. Make sure you have it planned out thoroughly.
  - ii. Independent Study?
- d. Test "Pop In's"
  - i. I do not allow students to take an exam any time they want. You must schedule it with me.

\*\*If there is something that puzzles you about any policy or rule on campus, have an open discussion with an adult at a convenient time. Complaining about a rule and letting your emotions get the best of you is not a way to handle it and it may be opening more problems.

Student's Name (Printed then Signed) \_\_\_\_\_