



Fremont High School

Policies and Procedures

2020-2021

Attendance Policy

Consistent attendance is important to a student's educational success. Parents, we ask that you help in monitoring and encouraging consistent attendance of your child.

Parents must call the school within 3 days of any absence. Written excuses will not be accepted. Please call the 24-hour voice mail line at 801-452-4001, state your child's name, grade, reason for absence, and date of absence. If the absence is not for the full day, please indicate the time or class periods missed.

If a parent or guardian needs to reach the Attendance Office during school hours for reasons other than to excuse an absence, please leave a message on the voice mail line. The line is checked consistently throughout the school day and you will either receive a call back and/or your student will be contacted as per your request. Once again, state your student's name, grade, your name, phone number, and a brief message. Please understand that because of the volume of phone calls and in-person assistance, attendance business during the school day is handled through the voice mail line. You will still receive immediate attention to your message and requests.

Parent excused absences are still considered one the allowed 4 absences per term. Special arrangements need to be made in the case of prolonged or prearranged absences. Students can receive a medically excused absence that does not count toward the allowed absences with a doctor/dentist note. Doctor's notes should be dated and submitted within 3 days of the absence. If a surgery or extended illness requires the student to miss multiple days, a Pre-Arranged Absence form can be obtained from the Attendance Office or a counselor can determine if the student is eligible for Home and Hospital tutor.

The Weber County School District Attendance/Citizenship Policy will be followed. Students are expected to be in school each day unless properly excused by their parents, administrator or teacher. A student not properly excused will be considered truant.

Definitions

Absence:

Students will be marked absent from class when not in attendance or if they arrive to class 15 or more minutes late. More than 4 absences (either excused or non-excused) in any class during a quarter will result in a loss of .25 unit of attendance credit in each class affected.

Tardies:

Students who are tardy more than 4 times in any class during any quarter will result in a loss of .25 unit of attendance credit in each class affected. Five or more tardies received in any class during a quarter will result in a loss of .25 unit of attendance credit in each class affected.

Truancy:

A truancy is an unexcused absence without parent or teacher/administrative permission. A student may be marked truant for leaving school or class without permission or not checking out prior to leaving school grounds. Unexcused absences not cleared by a parent or guardian may also be marked as truantries. Two or more truantries during any quarter will result in a loss of .25 unit of attendance credit in each class affected.

Pre-arranged Absences

If parents request to have their student excused from school for reasons other than illness or family emergencies, arrangements must be made in advance. Students may pick up and complete a Pre-Arranged Absence form. This form must be signed by all teachers and returned to the Attendance Office PRIOR to absences. Pre-arranged absences must be a minimum of three days in duration and will not count against attendance credit.

School Excused Absence

School sponsored activities that require students to be absent from class will be school excused and not count as an absence. It is the students' responsibility to ask their teachers for any work missed for a school excused absence.

Student Check-in

Students arriving more than 15 minutes late to any class must check at the Attendance Office. Students arriving less than 15 minutes late to any class should go directly to class.

Student Check-out

Any time a student needs to leave school before the end of the school day, he/she must check out at the Attendance Office. The school is required by law to have a responsible person approve student check out. Therefore, parents should notify the school prior to check-out.

- Students who leave campus without proper check-out will be marked truant.
- Students who are ill, will be checked into the sickroom if a parent or designated emergency contact cannot be reached.

Bullying Policy

Fremont follows the district policy for bullying which can be found by clicking on the link below.

<http://wsd.net/docman-list/documents/board/policies-and-procedures/157-article-5-student-conduct/file>

Class Changes

Each student schedule at Fremont High School has been built through the cooperative efforts of student, parent(s), and counselor. Because of the high numbers of students in each and every class, we encourage that no schedule changes be made.

1. The class change application forms MUST be completed with all required signatures. This process may involve a conference with an administrator, the drop teacher, the student, parents, and a counselor.
2. Any scheduling errors made by the computer, will be changed without cost being assessed to the student. All other schedule adjustments will cost the student \$10.00. No change will be complete until the fee is paid.
3. If a schedule change is unavoidable, the change will need to be made during schedule change day, before school begins or during the first week of the semester.
4. Teacher-to-teacher switches will not be considered without prior teacher/parent/student interventions.
5. No changes are made after midterms.

Students are responsible to attend their original class schedule until the class change has taken place with a counselor.

Controlled Substances, Drugs, Alcohol, or Tobacco

The possession or use of tobacco, e-cigarettes, alcohol, intoxicants, controlled substance(s), or abuse of prescription or over the counter substances of any kind is prohibited in or around any school building or school property owned or operated by the Board of Education. Use or possession of any of these substances is also prohibited off the school grounds at any school activity, function, or event. Possession of tobacco or e-cigarette

will result in a citation being issued. Use or possession of alcohol or any controlled substance(s) will result in removal from the school activity, suspension, a parent conference, referral to the police and/or juvenile court, and referral for substance abuse assessment.

Tobacco Policy - Weber School District

Weber School District shall be tobacco-free in order to promote the academic, emotional, social, and physical well-being of all students. The policy applies to all school grounds whether or not school is in session. Prohibitions also apply to school functions off school grounds. The policy prohibits possession or use of tobacco by students. The policy prohibits use of tobacco by employees and visitors.

Enforcement of Tobacco Policy

Student Violations: Buying, attempting to buy or possessing e-cigarettes, juice cigars, cigarettes, or tobacco in any form by a person 18 years old or younger on school grounds or property. (UCA 76-10-105)

1. Tobacco products and paraphernalia will be confiscated. E-cigarettes and e-liquids, regardless of nicotine content, are considered paraphernalia and are prohibited.
2. Parent (s) or guardian (s) will be contacted by the school administrator.
3. Compliance officers (administrators and resource officers) may write a citation if a student buys, attempts to buy, or is in possession of tobacco on school property. Administration may not write citations off school property, but may take disciplinary action.
4. Students in possession of paraphernalia will be dealt with according to the Safe Schools Policy and/or the Substance Abuse Policy.

Visitor Violations Under Age 19: Use of tobacco products on school property is prohibited.

Refer to steps 1 and 3-8 under "Enforcement of Tobacco Policy, Student Violations."

Visitor Violations Age 19 and Over: Use of tobacco products on school property is prohibited.

1. Any visitor found using tobacco products or e-cigarettes will be informed of the school's Tobacco Policy and asked by a school official to refrain from using tobacco products while on school property as outlined in Utah Code R392-510-10.
2. Any visitor who does not comply will be asked to leave.
3. If a visitor refuses to leave, the police may be called.

Advertising of Tobacco Products

Advertising tobacco products is prohibited on school property, at school functions, and in school publications. This includes student clothing that advertises tobacco products. Sponsors of school events may not be used to promote tobacco use.

Sale, Delivery, Transfer or Distribution of Tobacco Products

Neither tobacco in any form nor tobacco paraphernalia may be sold, delivered, transferred or distributed to anyone under the age of 19 on or in Weber School District property or at any school function off school property.

Counseling and Guidance

Each student at Fremont High School has a counselor assigned to assist them in their educational pursuits. Services provided by the counselors include:

- assistance with educational planning
- interpretations of test scores
- occupational information
- career information

- college admissions and scholarship information
- study skills
- help with school, home or other concerns

Students and/or parents who would like to visit with their counselor should make an appointment with the counseling secretary.

Academic Credit Make-up

Credit recovery options for the Weber School District is offered through district approved courses. Students must meet with their counselor for placement in an online make-up course. The online course fee is \$35.00 per quarter credit. If a student is not working consistently in an online course, they will be automatically dropped from the course after six weeks of inactivity and the registration fee will be forfeited. Please contact your counselor for more information.

Attendance Credit Make-Up

All attendance credit make-up must be pre-approved by Mr. Dale Pollard, Attendance Coordinator.

In Weber School District all attendance credit loss over .75 must be made up before graduation and to meet eligibility requirements for athletics, team events, student government, and all other activities in which students represent any WSD High School. Students who need to make up attendance credit loss (more than .75 overall credit loss), are required to accomplish community service requirements. Every 10 hours of community service (off campus) worked will reinstate .25 attendance credit. Community service credit will be awarded after necessary fees are paid to the bookkeeper. A \$15 fee is charged per .25 attendance credit loss, with a maximum limit of \$90 fee for a student's high school career. The receipt for payment of these fees must be attached to the community service credit sheet/contract obtained from the school attendance coordinator. Printed guidelines for make-up are available from Mr. Pollard.

Community service hours and other attendance recovery options can only be made up at pre-approved sites and must be pre-approved by Mr. Pollard. Non-approved attendance hours will not be accepted. Students who have to make-up attendance credit cannot have more than 200 actual hours from one person or organization. Teachers cannot give more than 50 hours of make-up credit, per student, per school year.

- The attendance coordinator may contact any person/organization associated with attendance credit make-up to verify a student's performance and/or hours worked.
- Community service hours worked at a non-approved site will not count toward attendance credit make-up. Hours worked must be on-site, in the presence of the approved supervisor, and work cannot be taken home to complete.
- Approved supervisors cannot be related to the student nor have a personal connection to the student/family.
- Students may not miss any class time to make up hours. If this is the case, the hours worked while the student was missing class will not be counted.
- Only 100 hours will be accepted at any one site/organization.
- Students may not receive pay or other benefits for hours worked.
- Organizations must be non-profit and community based.
- Hours worked must be documented on the school's community service credit sheet/contract and signed by the pre-approved supervisor.
- All work completed for a teacher or school must be turned in during the quarter the work is completed.
- Students who have to make-up attendance credit cannot have more than 200 actual hours from one person or organization. Teachers cannot give more than 50 hours of make-up credit, per student, per school year.

Attendance Recovery Options

Parent Teacher Conference

Pre-approved from the attendance coordinator. Students may earn .25 for attending with parent. Form must be picked up from office, signed by all teachers at conference, and returned to main office the day of conferences.

Attendance Credit Recovery Class

Offered 4 times per year. The class will consist of 15 total hours and will restore up to 1.50 of attendance credit loss. This class may be taken two times per school year.

Clean Quarter

A student attending one quarter without losing attendance credit for absences/tardies in any class may restore one full previous quarter of attendance credit loss (.25). This make up option may be used more than once. If you are a SENIOR, the clean quarter does not apply during 4th quarter. There is no limit to the amount of “clean quarters” that can be earned! The student cannot lose any attendance credit during the quarter of the contract (no more than 4 absences or four tardies in a quarter) to receive the Clean Quarter credit. Once the clean quarter form has been signed by your administrator it must be turned in to the attendance office.

School Service Hours

To encourage students with attendance issues to “give back” to the school/district. These activities include but are not limited to clean up after games/activities, weeding and planting, working with individual teachers, coaches, etc. Hours completed at the school are doubled. Must be pre-approved through Mr. Pollard.

Dances

Fremont High School holds dances throughout the year both on and off campus. Entrance fees are required in advance or at the door. Those paying at the door may be required to pay a higher price than when buying pre-sold tickets. Dances will begin at 7:00 p.m. and end at 10:00 p.m. Dress for dances and stomps will be determined by the sponsoring group and approved by the administration. Appropriateness is determined by the standard set for the dance. Any removal of clothing or alterations to clothing will not be acceptable or allowed. Students who wear inappropriate attire to a dance will not be allowed into the dance, and may have their ticket purchase refunded. Due to the danger to participants and those in attendance at the dance, no moshing or similar activity will be allowed. Students who do not currently attend Fremont who accompany FHS students are required to complete a guest participation form and ID is required for all who are in attendance. Guests will be admitted only upon approval from the administration and school resource officer. GUESTS WHO HAVE BEEN OUT OF SCHOOL FOR OVER ONE YEAR AND JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO ATTEND FHS DANCES. Administration, school resource officer, chaperones and class advisors will be in attendance to the dances. Other adults are not allowed.

Disclosure Statements

Each teacher will hand out or provide electronically a disclosure statement to each student indicating class expectations. Disclosure statements should include but are not limited to: class grading procedures, credit guidelines, expectations of class members, cheating policy, absences, tardiness, make-up work, fees, and any other pertinent information for the particular class. Please read these carefully, sign it and return it back to the classroom teacher you received it from.

Discrimination

Board policy does not advocate, permit or practice discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin, sex, handicap, or disability, or any other condition as required by state and federal laws. Equal opportunity is a priority of the Weber Board of Education. Students of the school district shall not be subject to discrimination, excluded from participation in, or denied the benefits of school programs or activities, on the basis of, race, color, national origin, sex, handicap or disability. The Board prohibits students from engaging in harassment on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap or disability. A substantiated charge of harassment against a student or employee shall result in disciplinary action. Weber School District is committed to working with students and parents to prevent all discrimination and harassment and provide equal access to educational programs and a safe learning environment for all students.

Dress Policy

Clothing and apparel worn at school should focus a student's attention toward the purpose of school, learning and contribute to a respectful atmosphere for all. Clothing that is distracting for any reason is not acceptable. The administration at Fremont High School has the final decision in the determination of the appropriateness of any student clothing, including performance attire.

Specifically, the following should be avoided and will not be allowed at Fremont High School (Applies to both genders):

- Clothing which displays obscene, vulgar, lewd words, messages or pictures; clothing that advertises controlled substances such as alcohol, drugs, tobacco and breweries, weapons that may violate safe schools policy, or which is otherwise offensive.
- Inappropriately short, tight, revealing, mutilated or otherwise disruptive appearance or attire.
- Bare or stocking feet. State Health code requires that shoes be worn in school at all times.
- Apparel or accessories with gang symbols, monikers, insignias, or other gang identifiers including numbers.
- No headwear will be permitted. This includes but is not limited to hats, caps, scarves, bandanas, sweatbands, etc.
- All shirts, tops and dresses must have sleeves. Sleeves must cover the ball of the shoulder.
- Excessively baggy, 'sagging' pants or shorts are not permitted. Underwear cannot be visible.
- No low back, deep scooped neck lines, or clothing that exposes cleavage is permitted.
- Clothing that exposes bare midriffs, abdomen or buttocks, fishnet, sexually provocative clothing, see-through clothing or undergarments.
- Potentially dangerous apparel items such as spiked clothing, bracelets, large or long chains or unsafe accessories are not allowed.
- Shorts, skirts, and dresses must be mid-thigh length or longer. Leggings must not be sheer; items worn over leggings must meet the proper length requirements as stated above. Clothing cannot present an actual distraction or disruption to the educational process.
- Clothing not typically worn in the workplace may not be worn to school (i.e., robes, pajamas, slippers, mutilated clothing, costumes, trench coats).

Student dress expectations are encouraged at all times and will be consistently enforced during school hours from 7:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Students may be sent home to change or asked to wear school provided attire, etc. in order to meet dress code.

Disciplinary interventions for noncompliance may include:

1st Offense: Warning with documentation on Discipline Tracker.

2nd Offense: Parent notification with documentation on Discipline Tracker.

3rd Offense: Parent notification by administration with documentation on Discipline Tracker and possible suspension.

Cell Phones and Electronic Devices

The appropriate use of cell phones and other electronic devices will be permitted before and after school hours and in the hallways during student pass time between periods as well as in the lunch room during the student's lunch period. Students may also use electronic devices in the classroom at the teacher's discretion. The use of cell phones and other electronic devices for inappropriate reasons while on campus, including cheating, filming/pictures without permission, sexting, harassment, or any use that is inappropriate or in violation of the Acceptable Use Policy, District Policy or is disruptive to a positive school learning environment, will be cause for disciplinary action. Fremont High School prohibits the use of cell phones and digital media devices including, but not limited to, cell phones, headphones, MP3 players, e-readers, laptops, handheld games, cameras, etc., during class periods unless the teacher allows them for learning purposes. Students are not permitted to leave class to use a cell phone or electronic device. It will be considered a violation if the student's cell phone or electronic device disrupts the class. Students are expected to cooperate in handing over cell phones and digital media devices when requested. If a student chooses not to comply, he/she is "insubordinate," and appropriate disciplinary action will

be taken. Additionally, pictures and/or video may also be viewed and deleted and/or given to the proper authorities if deemed inappropriate by school administrators.

Procedures and Reactions to Electronic Device Violations

1st offense - Warning:

Phone/Digital Media device is returned to the student at the end of the school day. Cell Phone/Digital Media devices will be taken away. The student's name will be recorded and the item may be picked up after school by the student in the office. A parent/guardian will be notified.

2nd offense - Warning:

Parent/guardian will be called and the parent/guardian will be responsible to pick kpu the phone. Cell phone/Digital Media devices will be taken away. The student's name will be recorded, parent/guardian will be notified and the item may be picked up after school by the parent/guardian.

3rd offense - Suspension:

The student will be suspended 1 day and a parent/guardian will be called. Phone/Digital Media device goes home with the student. Cell phone/Digital Media device will be taken away. The student's name will be recorded.

The School is not responsible for lost or broken digital media devices. Inappropriate violations will be referred to law enforcement.

Eligibility & Extracurricular Activities

It is a privilege to represent Fremont High School in any extracurricular activity. The Utah School Activities Association standards as well as those of Fremont High School will be used to determine a student's eligibility for participation in extracurricular activities. Eligibility requirements and expectations of conduct for student government, cheerleaders and Silverline are described in the constitution of each respective group. A copy of eligibility standards for each activity can be obtained through that group's coach or advisor.

- A student cannot fail more than one subject in the preceding grading period. If an incomplete grade is given, the student is ineligible until the "I" is made up and the grade is change to a passing grade.
- The grade point average of the student for the quarter preceding participation and the grade point average during the quarter of participation must be a 2.00 or better.
- Everyone needs to be at .75 attendance credit loss or lower in order to be eligible.
- A student must be in compliance with all Utah High School Activities Association requirements to participate in any out of class activity or competition.

Drug Testing (Random)

The District finds that an educational drug awareness and testing program for all students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) who participate in extracurricular activities at the high school is advisable for the following reasons: Health and safety of the individual and others as well as prevention and intervention.

Fundraising

All monies raised through school fundraisers (or in the name of the school, event or program), events, or donations become the property of the school and the program for which they were raised or donated. Funds raised through these methods are not the property of individual students and will not, under any circumstance or for any reason, ever be refunded, cashed out or given back to individual students. Students raising more funds that requested by their coach, advisor, or program do so for the benefit of the program and/or the school. Likewise, if a student or parent pays for expenses associated with a particular program (i.e. player packs, team camp costs, etc.) and then LATER raises funds through a school fundraiser, money is not refunded to students or parents to cover previous expenses for which they paid.

Graduation Requirements

To graduate from Fremont you need 27 total credits (includes 9th grade).

4.0 credits of English

3.0 credits of Social Studies

3.0 credits of Math

3.0 credits of Science

1.5 credits of Fine Arts

1.0 credits of Career & Technical Education (CTE)

1.0 credits of Physical Education

0.5 credits of Fit for Life

0.5 credits of Health

0.5 credits of Computer Technology

0.5 credits of Financial Literacy

8.5 credits of Electives

0.75 or less Attendance Credit Loss

Links

[Fremont Course Guide 2019-2020](#)

[10th Grade Registration Form](#)

[11th and 12th Grade Registration Form](#)

Hall Passes

Whenever it is necessary for a student to leave a room during a class period, the student must have a hall pass.

Periodic Hall Sweeps will occur throughout the year and may occur at anytime. Those caught in these hall sweeps will be instructed to go to the cafeteria, meet with their assigned administrator and sign the hall infraction paper, then take the infraction paper and have it signed by a parent or legal guardian. This paper must be signed and returned to the attendance office in order for the infraction to be counted as a tardy. If it is not returned within 3-day grace period, the tardy will be marked as a truant. The Hall Infraction policy will be followed as outlined on the hall infraction sheet.

Sexual Harassment, Hazing or Assault, Bullying

Fremont High School's goal is to create an atmosphere of acceptance and safety, therefore, sexual harassment, hazing or assault will not be tolerated at Fremont High School to any degree or form. Unwanted verbal or physical advances exchanged among students are inappropriate behaviors and are in violation of the Civil Rights Act. Unwelcome sexual gestures or advances can have a negative impact on both sexes. It must be acknowledged that sexual harassment in our schools creates a hostile environment that compromises student's educational, emotional, and behavioral lives. Sexual harassment shows disrespect for its victims, whether they are male or female. The difference between good-natured, harmless fun and sexual harassment is how it makes the other person feel, no matter what the intent.

In regards to sexual harassment, student hazing or assault, a student shall not do bodily injury to another student or commit any act that degrades or disgraces any person:

1. on school grounds during school hours or immediately before or after school hours;
2. on school grounds during use by a school sponsored group;
3. off school grounds during at any school sponsored activity, function, or event;
4. during school provided transportation.

Students in violation of this policy are subjected to disciplinary action that could include immediate suspension, referral to the district office, alternative school placement, referral to the law enforcement agency if circumstances warrant. The student (s) shall not be permitted to continue in attendance unless the problem is satisfactory resolved. See District Policy 5200.

Lockers

Lockers are public property and are issued to students for the storage of school books, school equipment, folders, and coats. Students are responsible to keep their lockers neat and clean, both inside and out. They must not write on, scratch, carve, dent, or in any way deface or mutilate their lockers or anyone else's locker. Students who violate these regulations may lose locker privileges and will be required to make payment sufficient to cover damages. Any damage not incurred by the occupant must be reported immediately or fines will be assessed to the occupants.

Lockers are subject to periodic locker checks. School officials reserve the right to search any or all lockers at any time. Illegal items found in lockers may be confiscated and students to whom the lockers are assigned may be prosecuted. The school is not responsible for stolen or lost items from lockers. Students should guard their locker combinations carefully. Money or other valuables should never be left in student lockers.

The condition of each locker has been checked and noted. Each locker may be checked periodically. Each occupant will have to check out of the locker assigned at the end of the year where conditions and fines may be assessed.

Lockers are provided for the student's convenience and come with responsibility for the student to take care of it.

Parking

The student parking lot is designed to allow students to bring their vehicles to school for their convenience. The student parking lot is located on the west side of Fremont High School. This area is for student parking from 7:45 AM to 2:30 PM weekdays. Students planning to park in the school parking lot must purchase a Fremont High School permit for \$10.00. The permit allows a student to receive a non-transferable hanging tag to park on campus.

The Weber County Sheriff's Department and school administration will enforce traffic and parking regulations at Fremont High School. Vehicles without a Fremont High School permit, parked illegally will receive a parking ticket and may be booted or towed at the owner's expense. Vehicles parking in the disabled parking areas without a proper sticker will receive a Weber County Sheriff's ticket and may be towed at owner's expense.

Safety in the parking lot is a concern to everyone who may use the parking lot. Please be informed students driving erratically, recklessly, fast spinning tires, driving on the sidewalks or grass will lose the privilege of bringing their vehicle on campus for a determined length of time. Students are prohibited from riding in the back of a truck or riding on the tailgate. Students who witness such dangerous situations should report the incident (s) to the administration for corrective action to take place.

The following parking regulations and changes have been established. Parking for students, is west of the school in the main lot by permit only. The east lot is reserved for staff, day care, and visitor parking. The driving range is considered part of the paid parking lot during school hours. All cars in the driving range must be moved by 3:00 p.m. for driver education classes to be held. No parking is allowed in fire lanes or driveways immediately around the building or on the curbs. Park in designated reserved area stalls only. Speed limit on campus is 5 m.p.h.

The lot is a first come first serve basis and not designated by class. Each tag is numbered, even though the parking stalls are not assigned.

- All student vehicles parked in the Fremont High School parking lots must display a student parking tag hanging from the rear-view mirror. Even if a pass has been purchased but is not hanging from the mirror, the vehicle is subject to ticketing and/or towing at the owners expense.

- All vehicles parked in our lots should be **LOCKED**. For your protection, do not leave valuables and other items of importance in vehicles. Fremont High is not responsible for items that are stolen or vehicles that are damaged. All cars parked are parked at owner's risk. Any vehicle suspected of harboring illegal substances or other illegal items is subject to search by proper authorities.
- **NO** vehicles are allowed to be parked in the fire lanes, sidewalks, on the grass, on the East side of the school, in **NO PARKING** areas, or may block any access lanes such as those for emergency vehicles or deliveries. Any vehicle illegally parked is subject to ticketing and/or towing at the owners expense without warning!. Students parked in the marked visitors, faculty, or handicapped areas will be ticketed and may be towed.
- Parking passes that have been lost and/or stolen should be reported to the resource officer and administrator over parking immediately. If there are any remaining passes, a replacement can be purchased.

Conduct

Students are expected to behave in a manner that will be a credit to themselves, their family, and Fremont High School whether at school or at school sponsored activities. They should take pride in the way they dress, the kind of language they use, and the way they behave toward others. They are expected to be respectful to other students and staff members and avoid unruly or confrontational behavior. Abusive or verbal conduct toward students or staff members (such as; verbal or physical threats, harassment, profanity, intimidation, gestures, or physical contact such as pushing, physically assaulting or fighting another person) will not be tolerated and could lead to a students' removal from Fremont High School. All Fremont High School staff members are asked to help students behave properly and students are subject to the authority of all staff members: administrators, teachers, secretaries, aides, custodial, cafeteria and other staff members while at school or at a school function.

Fighting

Fighting or any physical confrontation at school or at any school function will be cause for immediate suspension of both participants. Subsequent fighting will result in district referral, police referral, and possible loss of opportunity to attend Fremont High School.

Social Media

With the ever-increasing use of social media platforms (e.g., Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat, Instagram), it is imperative that all students, including those in any extracurricular activities, clubs, groups and leadership organizations understand that they will be expected to adhere to appropriate standards regarding any social media that causes a disruption or unsafe environment at school including photos, posts, instant messages, texts, tweets, snapchats, etc. If use of social media appears to be disruptive to school and/or a safe school violation, social media may be monitored by the administration. Any use of social media platforms by students, on or off campus, may be monitored by the administration and disciplinary action may be taken, including, but not limited to, suspension, expulsion, removing a student from a team, group, activity, and/or organization. Standards related to appropriate use of social media platforms include, but are not limited to: cyber-bullying; harassment (all forms and directed at either fellow students or school employees); lewd, suggestive, or sexually explicit posts/photos; discriminatory remarks/posts; posts/photos depicting or promoting illegal activities (alcohol, drugs, e-cigs), re-tweeting any/all of the above, etc.

Student Discipline (Including Safe School Policy)

It is the policy of the Weber School District and Fremont High School to promote a safe and orderly school environment for all students and employees. Criminal acts or disruptive behavior of any kind will not be tolerated and any individual who engages in such activity will be subject to school disciplinary action, prosecution, or both. (See District Policy 5200 for complete version)

<https://wsd.net/docman-list/documents/board/policies-and-procedures/157-article-5-student-conduct/file>)

Purpose

The purpose of the policy is to foster a safe, positive environment for learning by teaching the practice of self-discipline, citizenship skills, and social skills.

Prohibited Conduct and Related Discipline

Prohibited conduct is forbidden at school, on school property, including school vehicles, and at any school activity. A serious violation that threatens or harms a school, school property, a person connected with school, or property associated with a person connected with school is forbidden regardless of where it occurs.

A student will be removed from school for at least 1 year for a serious violation involving the following:

1. A real weapon or
2. Explosive or flammable material or
3. Actual or threatened use of a look-alike weapon with intent to intimidate or cause disruption.

Exceptions may be made on a case by case basis through the Superintendent's office.

A student will be removed from school for the following:

1. Possession, control, actual or threatened use of a real weapon, explosive, noxious, or flammable material;
2. Actual or threatened use of a look-alike weapon with intent to intimidate or cause disruption;
3. The sale, control or distribution of a drug, controlled substance, imitation controlled substance, or drug paraphernalia;
4. Using or threatening to use serious force;
5. The commission of an act involving the use of force or the threatened use of force which if committed by an adult would be a felony or class A misdemeanor; or
6. A serious violation of Section II C affecting a student or staff member.

A student MAY be removed from school for the following:

1. Willful disobedience or violating a school or district rule;
2. Defying authority;
3. Disruptive behavior;
4. Foul, profane, vulgar, or abusive language;
5. Defacing or destroying school property;
6. Truancy;
7. Theft;
8. Posing a significant threat to the welfare, safety or morals of a student, school personnel, or the operation of the school
9. Fighting;
10. Bullying,* defined as intentionally or knowingly committing an act that is done for the purpose of placing a school employee or student in fear of physical harm to the school employee or student or harm to property of the school employee or student.
11. Hazing,* defined as intentionally or knowingly committing an act that is done for the purpose of initiation or admission into, affiliation with, holding office in, or as a condition for, membership or acceptance, or continued membership or acceptance, in any school or school sponsored team, organization, program, or event.

Acts of bullying or hazing may include:

- a. endangerment to the physical health or safety of a school employee or student;
- b. any brutality of a physical nature such as whipping, beating, branding, calisthenics, bruising, electric shocking, placing of a harmful substance on the body, or exposure to the elements to a school employee or student;
- c. forced or unwilling consumption of any food, liquor, drug, or other substance by a school employee or student;

- d. any forced or coerced act or activity of a sexual nature or with sexual connotations such as asking a student to remove articles of clothing or expose or touch private areas of the body;
- e. other physical activity that endangers the physical health and safety of a school employee or student; or
- f. physically obstructing a school employee's or student's freedom to move.

* Regardless of whether the person against whom the conduct is committed directed, consented to, or acquiesced in the conduct.

- 12. Cyberbullying, defined as the use of e-mail, instant messaging, chat rooms, pagers, cell phones, or other forms of information technology to deliberately harass, threaten, or intimidate someone for the purpose of placing a school employee or student in fear of physical harm to the school employee or student; or harm to property of the school employee or student.
- 13. Possessing, using, controlling, or being under the influence of alcohol, a drug, an imitation drug, drug paraphernalia, or misusing any substance;
- 14. Possessing or using tobacco;
- 15. Inappropriate exposure of body parts;
- 16. Taking or sharing of obscene, pornographic, lewd, illegal, or otherwise inappropriate images or photographs. Violations will be referred to law enforcement.
- 17. Sexual or other harassment (including, but not limited to, behavior intended to cause harm or distress in a relationship, especially if repeated over time);
- 18. Gang-related attire or activity;
- 19. Retaliation against a school employee or student for the reporting or investigations of any behavior outlined in Sections II A, B, and C above; or
- 20. Making false allegations against a school employee or student.

Student Information System

In an effort to improve and increase the opportunity for parents to be more involved in the educational process, we utilize a program called "My Student." This program allows parents to monitor their student's class performance, grades, and lunch accounts via the internet. You can access this through the Weber School District site. If you have any questions call Fremont High 801-452-4000.

Visitors

Visitors of students are not allowed at Fremont High School during school hours. Visitors include, but are not limited to: siblings, young children, relatives from out of town, friends, from other schools.

Trespassing

Any student caught trespassing at another school during school hours without permission may be suspended or cited.

WSD Board Policies

WSD Board Policies can be found on the district website at

<http://wsd.net/board/district-information/policies-and-procedures>