RTSA Scholars Student Code of Conduct

At RTSA Scholars, we believe in creating a safe, respectful, and thriving community where every student has the opportunity to succeed. The following Code of Conduct outlines our expectations for student behavior, promoting accountability, inclusivity, and academic excellence.

Purpose

This Code of Conduct is designed to establish clear expectations for behavior, foster a positive learning environment, and ensure the safety and well-being of all students.

Student Rights and Responsibilities Rights:

- To learn in a safe and supportive environment free from discrimination or bullying.
- To access educational resources, extracurricular activities, and opportunities for growth.

Responsibilities:

• To respect fellow students, staff, and school property.

- To follow all school policies and procedures.
- To actively engage in learning and demonstrate positive citizenship.

Behavioral Expectations

Students are expected to:

- Behave respectfully in all interactions with peers, staff, and visitors.
- Follow instructions from teachers and RTSA staff promptly.
- Demonstrate kindness, teamwork, and inclusivity at all times.
- Adhere to the school's expectations for digital citizenship and responsible use of technology.

Attendance and Punctuality

- Regular and punctual attendance is mandatory.
- Parents are required to bring students in/out of school and sign them in/out as outlined in the school procedures.
- Absences or tardiness must be reported to the school office in advance.

Dress Code

All students are required to follow RTSA Scholars' uniform policy to ensure a cohesive and professional school environment. Uniforms must be neat, clean, and worn appropriately.

Academic Integrity

- RTSA Scholars students must complete their work honestly and independently.
- Acts of plagiarism, cheating, or dishonesty will result in consequences aligned with the severity of the violation.

Prohibited Conduct

The following actions are strictly prohibited:

- Bullying, harassment, or intimidation in any form.
- Disruptive behavior or failure to comply with instructions.
- · Vandalism or destruction of school property.
- Possession of weapons, drugs, or any unauthorized items.

Disciplinary Actions

Violations of the Code of Conduct will result in appropriate disciplinary measures, including:

- Warnings or counseling.
- Parent-teacher conferences.
- Loss of privileges or extracurricular participation.
- Suspension or expulsion in severe cases.

Conflict Resolution

Students are encouraged to seek support from a teacher, counselor, or administrator to resolve conflicts. Open communication is key to maintaining a harmonious school environment.

Parent and Student Acknowledgment

Both students and parents/guardians are required to review and sign this Code of Conduct, confirming their understanding and commitment to uphold RTSA Scholars' values.