

2025 - 2026

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

**Duncanville ISD** 



# Student Code of Conduct

August 18, 2025 School Board Meeting

## Notable Changes



Topic	2024-2025 Code	2025-2026 Code
E-Cigarette Infractions	E-cigarette use or possession, regardless of content, resulted in mandatory DAEP placement.	E-cigarette infractions not involving marijuana or THC are no longer mandatory DAEP; ISS or other interventions may be used.
In-School Suspension (ISS) Limits	3-day cap on ISS length	No limit to ISS days, but a <b>review must occur every 10 days</b> to assess continued placement.
Personal Communication Devices	Use was <b>regulated per campus or teacher</b> policy.	Use is prohibited during the school day, unless specifically authorized (e.g., IEP or instructional purposes). Devices must be stored per district guidelines.
Antisemitism as a Conduct Violation	Not specifically listed in conduct violations.	Behavior motivated by antisemitism is now explicitly prohibited under "Mistreatment of Others."

### **Dedicated Website**



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### Personal Communication Device Guidelines





### **Expectations & Consequences**

- + GRADES PK-5
- + GRADES 6-8
- + GRADES 9-12

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

- + Can my student wear a smartwatch?
- + What if my child has anxiety and uses a phone to cope?
- + What about after-school events or the bus?
- + Can students use their devices during lunch or passing periods?
- + What happens if a student refuses to give up their device when asked?
- + Can students access their device if it's stored in the classroom?
- + What if a student needs to contact their parent/guardian during the day?
- + Where are confiscated devices stored, and are they secure?
- + Can a student get their device back without a parent/guardian?
- + What are the options for storing a device in the classroom?
- + What happens to devices that are never picked up?





QUESTIONS?