

# Glen Ridge Middle School Update: 10/19/2021

[MS Student Handbook 2021 2022.pdf](#)

Hello parents,

As we settle into the school year and continue transitioning back to pre-pandemic norms, we want to take this opportunity to revisit some of the rules and procedures that promote student safety and an orderly learning environment. We ask that you please review this information with your child. All points are further outlined in our student handbook and based on Board of Education policies.

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- **Attendance (p. 13)**

- First period begins at 8am. There is a warning bell that sounds at 7:50am.
- Please review the table of what constitutes excused vs. unexcused absences.
- Cutting class is prohibited and will result in disciplinary action.
- Students are not permitted to leave the building or school grounds without permission. (p. 19)

- **Covid-19 updates (p. 4)**

- Students should arrive at school with a mask that covers their nose and mouth.
- Masks are only to be removed when in designated areas for eating (cafeteria, patio, back field, and small gym during scheduled lunch time)
- Please do not send your student to school if they are feeling ill or have Covid-19 symptoms.

- **Dress code (p.17)**

- Students are expected to dress appropriately when attending school. Please review for items that are prohibited.

- **Student Conduct (pages 19-20)**

- Please review the infraction table. Excessive disciplinary referrals will result in loss of privileges. This includes participation in clubs, athletics, field trips, and special events.
- Harassment, Intimidation, and Bullying will not be tolerated at any time (p. 23).

- **Technology**

- Vandalism of school-issued Chromebooks will result in disciplinary action.
- Students should use their Chromebooks for school-related activities. The Acceptable Use Policy can be found on page 27.

Thank you for partnering with us, and reminding your students of these expectations. Please feel free to contact the GRHS Administration with any questions, comments, or concerns. We look forward to continually collaborating with you to provide a positive school experience.

Sincerely,

GRHS Administration

**John W. Lawlor**

**Principal**

**Glen Ridge High School**