

Brentwood Elementary Student Rights and Responsibilities

I HAVE THE RIGHT AND RESPONSIBILITY TO LEARN IN A SAFE AND CARING ENVIRONMENT:

- I am respectful during assemblies, special presentations, field trips and celebrations.
- I do my homework neatly and bring it to school on time.
- I pay attention in class.
- I work quietly and do not disturb my classmates.
- I always try to do my best.
- I arrive on time for class.

I HAVE THE RIGHT TO BE RESPECTED AND TO BE TREATED WITH DIGNITY:

- I am polite to everyone (students and adults).
- I am honest with others.
- I use appropriate language (no swearing).
- I do not hit, push or spit on others.
- I do not throw or kick snow, rocks etc.
- I am quiet and orderly in the hallways.
- I listen when someone is speaking.
- I do not play fight.
- **I do not bully others.**
- I treat others with respect.
- I will try to help if I see someone being bullied.
- I will try to include people who are being left out.
- I do not make fun of, or tease others.
- I dress appropriately in accordance with the school dress code. I do not wear a hat, gloves, or inappropriate clothing or jewelry.

I HAVE THE RESPONSIBILITY TO RESPECT PROPERTY:

- I keep my hands to myself.
- I do not “borrow” without asking.
- I look after things that belong to me and things that belong to others.

I HAVE THE RIGHT TO BE SAFE:

- I walk calmly in the hallways and avoid physical contact with others.
- I wear shoes in the school at all times.
- I wear running shoes for gym classes.
- I remain on school property during all recesses except when I ask permission from the supervisor.
- I play safely on the playground equipment and only when it is my turn.
- I stop playing and line up immediately when the bell rings.
- I stand quietly in line while waiting to come in, with no pushing or unnecessary noise.
- I follow school bus safety rules and pedestrian safety rules coming to and going home from school..
- I do not ride my bike, skateboard, scooter, or use my roller-blades or roller-shoes on the school grounds.

I HAVE THE RIGHT TO LEARN IN A SAFE AND CLEAN ENVIRONMENT:

- I keep the schoolyard clean, always throwing garbage in the garbage cans.
- I remove my boots or outdoor shoes upon entering the school.
- I do not misuse the washrooms/change rooms.
- I take good care of school materials.
- I keep my desk, locker and classroom clean and tidy.
- I always enter and exit the school through my assigned door.
- I have a clean and orderly appearance.
- I do not bring dangerous things to school.