

Delta Vista Middle School

Home of the Panthers



Student Handbook 2026-2027

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Delta Vista Middle School Statement of Belonging

We are Respectful

We are Responsible

We are Safe

We are committed to providing a learning environment where all students feel safe and welcome.

This handbook contains valuable information about our school. You should become familiar with this handbook. This handbook may be revised as needed.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
Rights of Qualified Individuals with Disabilities

The Oakley Union Elementary School District **DOES NOT**:

- ❖ Deny the benefits of school district programs, services and/or activities to qualified individuals with a disability on the basis of a disability.
- ❖ Discriminate, on the basis of disability, access to or provision of programs, services or activities of the District, or employment or application for employment to qualified individuals with disabilities.
- ❖ Provide separate, unequal or different programs, services or activities, unless the separate or different programs are necessary to ensure that the benefits and services are equally effective.

The Oakley Elementary School District operates its programs so that, when viewed in their entirety, are readily accessible to or usable by individuals with disabilities. Students with disabilities will not be charged additional fees to participate in District programs, services and activities.

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In accordance with Section 35.106 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, all students, parents, participants, applicants, and interested individuals are advised and noticed that the ADA Coordinator for the District is:

Superintendent
91 Mercedes Lane
Oakley, CA 94561
(925) 625-0700

Uniform Complaint Procedure

Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations requires districts to adopt and provide Uniform Complaint Procedures to assist you with questions regarding your rights regarding violations of the laws and regulations governing Consolidated Categorical Aid Programs, Adult Basic Education, Vocational Education, Child Care and Development, Special Education, Migrant Education and Child Nutrition Programs. (Cal. Code Regs. tit. 5, §§ 4622, 4652, 4671.) A copy of the procedures are available upon request to our District Office.

Statement of Accommodation

The Oakley Union Elementary School District encourages persons with disabilities to participate in its programs and activities. Individuals who require special accommodation (American Sign Language interpreter, reader, assistive listening device, note taker, taped text, Braille or large print materials, accessible seating, etc.) should contact the Superintendent's office. If you anticipate needing any type of accommodation or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact our District Office at (925) 625-0700 in advance of your participation or visit.

**Least Restrictive Educational Environment and
Neighborhood Schools**

At each IEP meeting, the team is required to consider a continuum of options for service, beginning with the least restrictive. The team is required to consider a continuum of options for service, beginning with the least restrictive. Their job is to determine which combination of services provides the required benefits with the least restriction in the environment. Federal law requires that the placement be as close to the child's home, and that the child is educated in the school he or she would attend if non-disabled, unless the IEP team determines that the child requires some other arrangements.

Nondiscrimination – Federal Law

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in federally financed education programs or activities. The District does not discriminate in admission or access to its programs or activities. Any questions or concerns concerning noncompliance can be directed to the Superintendent at 91 Mercedes Lane, Oakley, CA 94561. (34 C.F.R. §§ 100.6, 106.9.)

Nondiscrimination – State Law

Discrimination is prohibited in any program which receives state financial assistance on the basis of actual or perceived sex, gender, age, ethnic group identification (including English language skills), color, race, national origin, ancestry, religion, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, or because a person is perceived to have one or more of the above characteristics. Complaints may be filed with the Superintendent at 91 Mercedes Lane, Oakley, CA, 94561, under the District's Uniform Complaint Procedure. (Ed. Code, §§ 200 and 220, Penal Code § 422.55, Govt Code §11135, 5 CCR 4622.)

Nondiscrimination – Disabled Persons

Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act prohibits discrimination against qualified persons with disabilities in federally financed education programs or activities. The District does not discriminate in admission or access to its programs or activities. Please contact our District 504 Program Coordinator at 91 Mercedes Lane, Oakley, CA 94561 with any questions. (34 C.F.R. § 104.8; 28 C.F.R. § 35.10)

Academics

ACADEMIC INCENTIVES

Delta Vista Middle School Students are offered academic incentives throughout the school year. Students may earn 1 or more of our incentives through academic performance and exemplary effort. The Principal's Honor Roll and Honor Roll Recognitions are the 2 incentives that students can achieve throughout the year. Students will be honored for their effort and achievement at the end of the trimester.

Students must meet the following standards to earn an incentive:

Principal's Honor Roll	Honor Roll
● 3.75 or above GPA ● No F's	● 3.25 or above GPA ● No F's

Students earning recognition will be invited to an event to celebrate their accomplishment following each trimester. Students who earn the recognition status for 1st and 2nd trimester report cards and 3rd trimester progress report will be invited to an Honor Roll event at the end of the year.

GRADES

Students will be earning letter grades in the academic portion of the report card that will range from A to F. In the Citizenship portion of the report card students will earn 1 of the following: Outstanding; Satisfactory; Needs Improvement; and or Unsatisfactory. Grade reports will be available online through the PowerSchool Parent Portal at the end of each 6-week period of the school year. Report cards will not be mailed home. Students will receive 3 progress reports and 3 report cards throughout the year. Parents and/or guardians will receive instructions on how to access their child's grades.

HOMEWORK

Homework is an important part of education. All assignments need to be turned in on time. Assignments turned in after the due date may receive no or reduced credit at the discretion of the teacher. Please refer to your teacher's specific policies. Please email or call the teacher to request homework if you know that your child is going to be absent from school. Please allow 24 hours after the request before homework is picked up. Homework may be picked up in the office after school.

INDEPENDENT STUDY

While there isn't a replacement for being in the classroom, independent study is available for students who are out of school 5 – 10 consecutive days. The office should be notified at least 2 weeks prior to the absence period. All work must be completed and turned in at the predetermined time in order to receive credit. No independent study contracts will be approved in the first 2 weeks of the school year or after 5/7/27.

ACADEMIC HONESTY AND INTEGRITY

Students and parents need to be aware of the importance of academic honesty at Delta Vista Middle School. Academic honesty and integrity means not cheating, plagiarizing or using information, such as artificial intelligence (A.I.), unethically in any way. You will be held accountable, parents notified and disciplinary action may be taken.

Conduct

BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS

PBIS Rewards is a digital platform that allows our staff members to recognize any student, anywhere for meeting behavior expectations. These behavior expectations are defined by the school then communicated and taught. So, when your child displays the behavior that is expected, they are recognized for it. The points earned through that recognition may be used to purchase items from the school's PBIS store, school-wide PBIS rewards, raffles and events.

Our staff have developed the following common expectations.

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Delta Vista PBIS Matrix

Expectations	School-Wide Classroom	Hallway	Bathroom	Cafeteria And Lunch Recess	Technology	School Events	Safety Drills
Be Respectful	Respect others opinions, space, time and property. Be a good listener. Use appropriate language and voice level.	Keep hands and objects to yourself. Listen to the staff. Use appropriate language and voice level. Respect personal space.	Clean up after yourself. Respect others' privacy. Use facilities quickly, quietly and properly. Respect bathroom property.	Respect personal space and property. Follow directions from lunch supervisors. Use respectful language including "please" and "thank you."	Take care of your Chromebook. Use technology for educational purposes only. Think before you type or post.	Show good sportsmanship. Respect the presenter by listening and following instructions. Actively engaged.	Listen to staff members for directions and follow them. Voices should be off.
Be Responsible	Own your behaviors and actions. Be on time, have all materials needed, and complete your work. Ask for permission before leaving the	Throw garbage in the trash cans. Have proper passes. Go directly to your destination and arrive at class on time.	Return to class promptly. Report concerns to staff immediately.	Clean up after yourself. Have a pass if eating elsewhere. Engage in appropriate activities.	Always have your Chromebook with you and charged. Report any issues immediately to a staff member. Access only school appropriate	Stay in the designated area. Keep hands, feet, and objects to yourself. Respect the space, leave the area clean. Use positive language.	Quickly and safely exit the room. Stay with your teacher in the designated area. Keep hands, feet, and objects to yourself.

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Be Safe	Be aware of your surroundings and have self-control. Cell phone off and put away in your backpack. Notify staff members of unsafe conditions.	Carry all belongings properly. Use manners and watch where you are going. Walk.	Cell phone free zone. Keep privacy, one person per stall. Wash your hands.	Keep hands and feet to yourself. Walk. Notify staff of spills, or if you need help.	Use safe internet practices with devices. Only send necessary and appropriate content to others. Keep your password to yourself.	Report any incidents to a staff member. Enter and exit as directed. Use equipment for its intended purpose. Head home immediately after the event.	Stay calm. Single file line to emergency location.

CONDUCT

The Oakley Union Elementary School District has established rules to maintain an atmosphere that is beneficial to learning. We have a school-wide system in place to support all our students in following our rules. Students who choose not to follow our rules will receive appropriate consequences. The following are violations of the California Education Code, Sections 48900 and 48915. The school has jurisdiction over offenses under Section 48900(a) through 48900.7 that occur on school grounds, while going to or coming home from school, during school activities, going to and coming home from school activities.

48900(a.1) – Caused, attempted to cause physical injury to another person	48900(a.2) – Willfully used force or violence upon the person of another, except in self-defense
48900(b) – Possessed, sold or furnished a firearm, knife, explosive or other dangerous object	48900(c) – Unlawfully possessed, used, sold, or otherwise furnished, or been under the influence of a controlled substance, alcoholic beverage or other intoxicant
48900(d) – Unlawfully offered, arranged or negotiated to sell a controlled substance, alcoholic beverage, intoxicant of any kind, and either sold, delivered, or otherwise furnished to a person another liquid, substance, or material and represented the liquid, substance, or material as a controlled substance, alcoholic beverage, or intoxicant.	48900(e) - Committed or attempted to commit robbery or extortion
48900(f) – Caused or attempted to cause damage to school or private property	48900(g) – Stole, or attempted to steal, school property or private property
48900(h) - Possessed or used tobacco, or products containing tobacco or nicotine products, including, but not limited to, cigarettes, cigars, miniature cigars, clove cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, snuff, chew packets, and betel.	48900(i) - Committed an obscene act or engaged in habitual profanity or vulgarity.

48900(j) - Unlawfully possessed or unlawfully offered, arranged, or negotiated to sell drug paraphernalia, as defined in Section 11014.5 of the Health and Safety Code.	48900(l) - Knowingly received stolen school property or private property.
48900(m) - Possessed an imitation firearm. As used in this section, "imitation firearm" means a replica of a firearm that is so substantially similar in physical properties to an existing firearm as to lead a reasonable person to conclude that the replica is a firearm.	48900(n) - Committed or attempted to commit a sexual assault as defined in Section 261, 266c, 286, 288, 288a, or 289 of the Penal Code or committed a sexual battery as defined in Section 243.4 of the Penal Code.
48900(o) - Harassed, threatened, or intimidated a pupil who is a complaining witness or a witness in a school disciplinary proceeding for purposes of either preventing that pupil from being a witness or retaliating against that pupil for being a witness, or both.	48900(p) - Unlawfully offered, arranged to sell, negotiated to sell, or sold the prescription drug Soma
48900(q) - Engaged in, or attempted to engage in, hazing	48900(r) - Engaged in an act of bullying
48900.2 – Sexual Harassment (Grades 4-12 only)	48900.3 – Caused, attempted to cause, threatened to cause, or participated in any act of hate violence
48900.4 – Engaged in harassment, threats or intimidation directed against school district personnel or pupils (Grades 4-12 only)	49000.7 – Terroristic threats against school officials, school property, or both

Principals and/or site administrators must immediately suspend and recommend the expulsion of a student for any of the following acts committed at school or at a school activity off school grounds: (Education Code 48915(a))

- (A) Causing serious physical injury to another person, except in self-defense.
- (B) Possession of any knife or other dangerous object of no reasonable use to the pupil.
- (C) Unlawful possession of any controlled substance listed in Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 11053) of Division 10 of the Health and Safety Code, except for either of the following:
- (D) Robbery or extortion.
- (E) Assault or battery, as defined in Sections 240 and 242 of the Penal Code, upon any school employee.

Principals and/or site administrators must immediately suspend and recommend expulsion, and the School Board must expel, upon finding a student has committed any of the following acts at school or at a school activity off school grounds: (Education Code 48915(c))

- (1) Possessing, selling, or otherwise furnishing a firearm.
- (2) Brandishing a knife at another person.
- (3) Unlawfully selling a controlled substance listed in Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 11053) of Division 10 of the Health and Safety Code.
- (4) Committing or attempting to commit a sexual assault as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 48900 or committing a sexual battery as defined in subdivision (n) of Section 48900.
- (5) Possession of an explosive

Due Process Procedures for Suspension

Pursuant to Administrative Regulation 5144.1, Suspensions shall be imposed in accordance with the following procedures:

1. An informal conference conducted by the Superintendent, principal, or designee will be held with the student. At the conference, the student shall be informed of the reason for the disciplinary action, presented with the available evidence against him/her, and given the opportunity to present his/her version and evidence in support of his/her defense. (Education Code 48911)
2. A reasonable effort will be made to contact the parent/guardian by telephone at the time of the suspension.
3. Whenever a student is suspended, the parent/guardian shall also be notified in writing of the suspension.
4. If school officials request to meet with the parent/guardian, the parent/guardian shall respond to such requests without delay, pursuant to law.
5. A student may not be suspended for more than five (5) consecutive school days for a single incident.
6. If the Board is considering the expulsion of a suspended student from any school, the Superintendent or designee may extend the suspension until such time as the Board has made a decision, provided a conference is held concerning the extension, giving the student an opportunity to be heard.
7. If the student involved is a foster youth, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the district liaison for foster youth of the need to invite the student's attorney and a representative of the appropriate county child welfare agency to attend the meeting. If the student involved is a homeless child or youth, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the district liaison for homeless students.
8. A suspended student must remain under parent supervision and is not permitted to be on any school campus or attend any school activity for the duration of the suspension.
9. Pursuant to Education Code Section 48913.5, upon the request of a parent or legal guardian, a teacher shall provide a student's homework, which the student would have otherwise been assigned, when the student is suspended from school for two or more schooldays.

BULLYING/CYBERBULLYING

"Prohibited student conduct includes, but is not limited to: Harassment of students or staff, including bullying, intimidation, so-called "cyber-bullying." Hazing or initiation activity, ridicule, extortion, or any other verbal, written, or physical conduct that causes or threatens to cause bodily harm or emotional suffering. Cyber bullying includes the posting of harassing messages, direct threats, social cruelty, or other harmful text or images on the Internet, social networking sites, or other digital technologies, as well as breaking into another person's account and assuming that person's identity in order to damage that person's reputation or friendships."

CONSEQUENCES

Students who violate our school rules will receive any 1 or more of the following consequences:

- Apology
- Behavior Contract
- Classroom Consequences
- Counseling
- Campus Beautification
- Detention (Before School, Lunch, After School)
- Other Means of Correction
- Placement on the No Activities List
- Recommendation for Expulsion
- Referral to the Office
- Suspension (In-School, Out-of-School*, Reverse) *Includes placement on No Activities List
- Verbal Warning

DISPLAYS OF AFFECTION

Inappropriate displays of affection are not appropriate at school or at school-related events. Students are permitted to hold hands at school however, long embraces or any type of kissing are not.

INAPPROPRIATE ITEMS

Inappropriate items include anything that disrupts the educational environment, are unsafe or are a violation of California Ed. Code. Note that all inappropriate items may be confiscated. All items must be picked up on or before the last day of the school year. Items not picked up by the end of the school year will be donated to a charity chosen by the Oakley Union Elementary School District and Delta Vista Middle School. Delta Vista Middle School will not be liable for the loss or theft of any items. The Delta Vista Middle School Administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of all items.

NO ACTIVITIES

Students on the No Activities List are not eligible to participate in or attend any after school sports, non-academic assemblies, dances, school field trips, or special events. Students can be placed on the No Activities list for any of the following reasons:

Tardy to school or class: Students that have seven (7) or more tardies in a week will be placed on the No Activities List for the following week.

Behavior: Students may be placed on the No Activities List if they receive a suspension, do not serve a non social lunch or teacher detention, or at the discretion of administration. Students will not participate in any team activities, including practices or after school events, while on the No Activities List.

Community Service: Students can earn their way off the No Activities List by completing community service. A student must perform 2 hours of community service for each week of time they are on the No Activities List. Students placed on the No Activities List for discipline must serve at least 1 week of their time on the no activities list prior to being eligible for removal through community service. Students may perform community service with any non-profit organization or in special cases may earn off time by doing service on our campus. In the event that a student has been suspended from school more than once or for more than 3 days, they will not be able to earn any time off the No Activities List without appearing before an administrative review board.

SUSPENSION

While suspended, students may not be on any school campus or attend any school sponsored function. Students may request work for the duration of their suspension.

Extracurriculars

8th GRADE END OF YEAR ACTIVITIES

Our 8th grade end of the year activities are the celebration of a year's worth of hard work. An 8th Grade End of the Year Promotion Celebration will take place the last week of school.

8th Grade Promotion: All 8th grade students are welcomed and encouraged to participate.

8th grade Promotion Dance: Any 8th grade student wishing to attend the 8th Grade Promotion Dance must submit a permission slip and payment no later than 1:30 PM on the day of the dance, needs to be present for the entire school day of the dance, and not be on the No Activities List or have 18 or more weeks total on that list. After-school activities attendance expectations apply to the 8th Grade Promotion Dance.

8th grade Field Trip: Students going on the 8th Grade Field Trip must not be on the No Activities List at the time of the event or have been on the No Activities List for 18 or more weeks throughout the school year and have a minimum GPA of 2.5. Permission slips and payment deadlines are firm and will be enforced.

AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

All students have the opportunity to participate in the after school activities we provide throughout the school year. After school activities include sporting events, dances, socials and any end-of-the-year activities. Students must not be on the No-Activities List to participate in any school-related, after school activities, both on or off campus. Students must be in attendance the entire school day on the day of any after school activities to attend the event. Any extenuating circumstances should be communicated to the School Administration prior to any after school activities for consideration. All students must present a valid school identification card to participate in any after school activities.

CLUBS

Student Clubs provide an opportunity for students to connect with other students who share a passion, talent or interest, and to explore new activities. Our Student Clubs are based on student interests such as Anime and Chess to important topics or support clubs such as Asian American Pacific Islander Club, Black Student Union (BSU) and Latinos Unidos. All Students are welcome to attend any club on campus and are encouraged to join with friends to form new ones!

FIELD TRIPS

Any student who would like to attend a school sponsored field trip (including club field trips) must not currently be on the No Activities List at the time of the event (and/or when the due date for payment or reservations deadline) or have been on the No Activities List for more than 18 weeks throughout the school year and have a minimum GPA of 2.5. All students must also have a signed permission slip to participate.

DANCES/SOCIALS

All dances/socials will be held on campus and are sponsored by different school organizations. Tickets are sold before school and during lunch periods. After-school activities attendance expectations apply to all dances/socials. Students must have a signed permission slip from their parent/guardian. Dances/socials begin immediately after school. Students need to be picked-up promptly after the event. Students may not leave a dance/social event prior to the event ending unless picked up and

signed out by a parent/guardian listed on the child's emergency card. All school rules apply to dances/socials.

SPORTS

Students are encouraged to try-out for any sports offered at Delta Vista Middle School. Some of the sports offered include, but are not limited to, volleyball, basketball, softball, track and field, cross country, soccer, and wrestling. In order to participate in sports, students may not receive more than 1 F in Academics and/or 1 U in citizenship or below a 2.0 GPA as it is reported on trimester progress reports and/or report cards. Students on the Discipline No Activities List may not participate in any sports while on the No Activities list.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council consists of a President, Vice President, Secretary, Historian, Treasurer, Commissioner of Activities, and Commissioner of Sports elected by the student body.

School Policies

ABSENCES

Please call the school at (925) 625-6840 or email cperez@ouesd.k12.ca.us to report any absences. Students must report to the office before leaving school for any reason. Students should report to the office when returning from any absence. Students who are frequently absent may be asked to bring a physician's note or may be referred to the School Attendance Review Board (SARB).

EARLY RELEASES

If a student is signed out before the end of the school day, the person picking up must be on the approved pick-up list, over 18 years of age, and show a photo ID. If the person picking up is a non-custodial parent (step-parent, grandparent, aunt/uncle, etc), the custodial parent must call in advance to authorize the pick-up. Only a custodial parent/guardian can authorize a student to walk home. If the student is leaving early for an appointment, please provide documentation such as a doctor's note upon return.

ADDRESSING QUESTIONS AND CONCERNS

Anytime you have a question or concern, it is best to make the teacher your first point of contact. To communicate questions or concerns, please use the following steps. Remember that we are all members of the same team; parents, students, and teachers.

1. When possible, the student should speak with the teacher to express their question or concern. Our teachers are always willing to help students. Students or parents may email teachers through Powerschool (or the district email: first initial of first name +last name@ouesd.k12.ca.us) or call the teacher at school: (925) 625-6840. Please allow two work days for the teacher to respond. If you receive no response, please call the main office and ask to leave a written message for the teacher.
2. If the issue is unresolved, make an appointment to meet in person with the teacher.
3. If the issue is still unresolved after speaking and working with the teacher, call the office to set up an appointment with the Principal or Vice Principal.

ATTENDANCE

Students who attend school regularly have a greater chance for academic success. School attendance is mandatory and directly connected to future success in school and life. We expect all students to attend school every day on time. Please plan vacations around our school calendar.

BICYCLES

All bicycles must be parked in the bike rack. Please supply your own lock. The school will not be held responsible for damage or theft. Bicycles must be walked anytime on campus.

CAMPUS HOURS

Campus supervision begins before school at 7:30 AM. Students who arrive before 8:05 AM are to report to the library, gym, or their zero period class. All students, except those who have after-school activities, must leave campus immediately after the dismissal bell.

COUNSELING

Counseling services are available to serve the educational, social and personal needs of our students. Students are encouraged to fill out a request form to make an appointment to see a counselor. Students are encouraged to contact a school counselor for any problems that they may be facing.

DELIVERIES TO CAMPUS

All personal deliveries to campus, including lunch, will be kept in the office. Only parents may make food deliveries (no DoorDash, Uber Eats, etc). Any off-campus food brought to students must be from a parent/guardian or designated adult as listed on the student emergency card. Parents can bring food to their child only. No classroom deliveries or notifications will be made. Students may pick up deliveries during their lunch period. Flowers, balloons, and other similar large items are not allowed on campus.

DRESS CODE POLICY

Delta Vista Middle School promotes a purposeful learning environment. Students are expected to come to school dressed in appropriate attire that does not disrupt the educational environment, is safe and is not a violation of California Education Code. Our Dress Code also applies to all school-related activities and events. Students wearing inappropriate clothing will be provided with options to rectify the issue. Please refer to relevant Board Policy for more details. The Delta Vista Middle School Administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of student attire. The purpose of the dress code is to promote a safe, respectful, and distraction-free learning environment while allowing students to express their individuality in an appropriate manner.

For a first offense, students will be given the opportunity to immediately correct the dress code violation by:

- Removing the prohibited item
- Covering the item with another garment
- Turning the clothing item inside out
- Adjusting the clothing to meet dress code requirements

If the violation cannot be corrected immediately, the student may be required to contact a parent/guardian to provide appropriate clothing or may be provided alternative clothing by the school, if available. Repeated violations may result in progressive disciplinary action in accordance with school and district policies. Dress code enforcement will be conducted in a respectful, consistent, and non-discriminatory manner. School staff will address violations privately whenever possible to minimize disruption to the student's educational experience.

Tops: All tops must have shoulder straps.

Bottoms: Pants, shorts, skirts, and similar garments must be worn at the waist. Undergarments must not be visible. Students whose undergarments are exposed will be required to pull up or adjust their clothing to ensure proper coverage.

Restricted clothing: Students may not wear clothing, accessories, or items that display, promote, advertise, or reference:

- Drugs or drug-related products (including brands or images commonly associated with drug use, such as "Cookies")
- Alcohol, tobacco, nicotine, vaping products, or other controlled substances
- Weapons of any kind
- Violence, gang affiliation, or criminal activity
- Profanity, vulgar language, hate speech, or discriminatory messages
- Images, symbols, or messages deemed inappropriate, disruptive, unsafe, or inconsistent with the educational environment by school administration

Footwear: Students must have shoes on during the school day. Bare feet or socks only are not allowed. Students that come to school barefoot or in socks only, will be sent to the office to wait for shoes to be brought to school.

LIBRARY

The library is available for student use before school, during lunch and after school. Library books are checked out at the counter and may be kept for up to two weeks. Students who don't return library books despite repeated requests may have their report cards held until they return any missing book(s).

LOST AND FOUND

Lost items will be kept in front of the office. If a lost textbook or library book is found, it should be returned to the library. Students may look for lost articles before school, during lunch, and after school. Remember, the school is not responsible for lost items.

MATERIALS

Each student is responsible for the materials that belong to the school assigned to them. Every student will be issued several books to be used daily in his/her classes. All 8th grade students will also be issued a Chromebook. When materials are issued to a student, it is the expectation of the school that the same materials will be returned. If a student turns in materials other than those issued to him/her, they will not be credited with returning the materials. If this were to happen, the student would be held responsible for the replacement cost of the items missing. Students who lose or damage books and supplies will be charged for their full replacement cost.

MEDICATION

You must leave all medications in the student office including non-prescription medicine. Medications required to be carried with you at all times must include a physician note. All medications must have parental and physician authorization in writing. Forms are available in the office.

Mobile Communication Devices (OUESD AR 5131.8)

Oakley Union Elementary School District prohibits the use of electronic devices on campus during school hours, including in-between periods, lunch, and any other instructional and non-instructional time. Exceptions to this prohibition include (Education Code 48901.5, 48901.7):

1. In the case of an emergency, or in response to a perceived threat of danger.
2. When a teacher or administrator grants permission to the student to possess or use an electronic device, subject to any reasonable limitation imposed by that teacher or administrator.
3. When a licensed physician or surgeon determines that the possession or use of an electronic device is necessary for the student's health and well-being.
4. When the possession or use of an electronic device is required by the student's individualized education program.

Electronic devices include, but are not limited to: cell phones, smart watches, Meta glasses. cameras, iPods/MP3 players, personal laptops/tablets, portable speakers, handheld electronic games, headphones/earbuds, etc. If personal electronic devices are brought to school, they are expected to be turned off and kept in the students' backpack. Students and their parents/guardians take full responsibility for any and all electronic signaling devices (including cell phones) which the student may bring to school. In no event or circumstance will the district or its staff be held responsible or liable for the loss, theft, or damage to any such device. This includes the loss, theft, or damage of confiscated cell phones and similar. Should a student violate this policy, the specific consequences are detailed in AR 5131.8.

Consequences:

1st offense: Electronic devices will be confiscated but returned at the end of the school day. A student conference will be held, and parent contact will be initiated.

2nd offense: Electronic device will be confiscated and held until a parent/guardian comes to retrieve it. Parent/Student conference will occur prior to returning the device.

3rd or more offenses: Electronic devices will be confiscated until a parent/guardian comes to retrieve it. Students will turn in devices for 3 days to their campus administration office from beginning to end of school day. A parent conference with an administrator will be held.

The District reserves the right to take away electronic devices at any time for inappropriate use.

STUDENT TECHNOLOGY ACCEPTABLE USE AGREEMENT

Please click [HERE](#) to access our District's Student Technology Acceptable Use Agreement.

NUTRITION SERVICES

School meals are free to all students for the 2025-2026 school year. No application is needed for students to receive meals. However, classroom funding is still reliant on the demographics of the student population. The data used to determine funding is gathered from the School Funding Data Collections Form. Please fill this out each year to ensure that OUESD and OPS have adequate funding to

support educational programs. OUESD is requesting that all families complete the short form that can be accessed by visiting <https://www.ouesd.k12.ca.us/page/nutrition-services>.

PE LOCKERS AND LOCKER ROOMS

All 7th and 8th grade students will be required to dress each day in a PE appropriate uniform. Each student who is issued a PE locker for the school year, must bring a lock. All clothing and personal items must be locked up at all times. The school will not be responsible for lost or stolen items. No perfume, body sprays, aerosols, or scented lotions are allowed due to allergies, scent sensitivities and asthma.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

The school is not responsible for the loss, theft, or destruction of a student's property.

SALES ON CAMPUS

Students may not sell products for private or personal gain on campus.

STATE TESTING

Every year, California students take several statewide tests. When combined with other measures such as grades, class work, and teacher observations, these tests give families and teachers a more complete picture of their child's learning. You can use the results to identify where your child is doing well and where they might need more support.

Your child may be taking one or more of the following California Assessment of Student Performance (CAASPP), English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC), and Physical Fitness Test assessments. Pursuant to California Education Code Section 60615, parents/guardians may annually submit to the school a written request to excuse their child from any or all parts of the CAASPP assessments. There is no exemption for the ELPAC or Physical Fitness Test. Opt-out forms are available during Walk-thru, in the office, on the school website and will be accepted until 48 business hours prior to the start of testing to ensure that the request is documented in the Test Operations Management System.

STUDENT IDS

Student IDs help students log onto computers, get lunch, attend clubs and office hours during lunch, and check out books. Student IDs will be required to attend extracurricular school events and activities.. The cards are free and will be issued during our Walk-Thru or make-up picture day. Replacement cards may be requested in the office. The first replacement is free of charge. Additional replacements will cost \$5.

TARDIES

Tardies create a disruption to the classroom and to student achievement. It is expected that all students arrive to every class on time. Students who arrive late to school must report to the office for a late slip before going to class. Continued tardies (7 or more in a week) will result in being placed on the no activities list.

TRANSPORTATION

All School Rules apply to all students while riding the bus to and from school. If a student's behavior is a danger to other students they may have bus-riding privileges revoked immediately. Inappropriate behavior on the bus will result in a bus referral given by the transportation department and may result in disciplinary consequences. Any questions regarding your student's transportation needs should be directed to LUHSD Transportation at 925-634-2700.

VIDEO RECORDING IN THE CLASSROOM

Recording of any kind in a classroom or at a school event may only be done with prior school personnel's consent. Any other recording on campus is not allowed.

Resources

CRISIS NUMBERS

If you are feeling sad, depressed, angry, hurt or any other emotion, you can always talk to your teachers and staff at Delta Vista. If you're at home or do not feel comfortable talking to teachers and staff, please call or text the numbers below to get support. It is okay to feel different emotions, make sure you get support and help.

- Youthline: Teen peer to peer crisis support call: 877-968-8491 or text: teen2teen to 839863
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 800-273-TALK
- Contra Costa Crisis Center: Call 211 or Dial 800-833-2900 Text "HOPE" 20121
- Contra Costa County Children & Family Services: 925-431-1600
- Contra Costa County Child Protective Services: 877-881-1116
- Trevor Project Crisis and Suicide Prevention for LGBTQ and allies: 866-488-7386 or text START to 678678
- CA Youth Crisis Line: 800-843-5200
- Seneca Mobile Response Team- Hablan Espanol: 877-441-1089
- #ICANHELP: <http://www.icanhelpdeletenegativity.org>