



# Sequoia School Rules

1. Respect the personal space and belongings of others. Aggressive behavior, fighting and/or play fighting is not allowed.
2. Respect the personal beliefs of ALL people. Racial and homophobic slurs are not tolerated. Bullying – physical, verbal or in cyberspace- is not tolerated.
3. Students are not allowed on the playground before 8:20 am or after 3:00 pm without direct parental supervision.
4. Parents are not allowed to approach other people’s children to discuss disciplinary concerns. Please report any issues to your child’s teacher or to the office.
5. No toys, trading cards or electronic games are allowed at school. Cell phones must be turned off and not visible during school hours, including lunch and recess. If found to be disrupting the learning process, these items will be confiscated and kept in the office. Students may pick up items after school. If found a second time, parents must visit the office to retrieve the item(s).
6. Personal P.E. equipment may be brought from home if it is shared with other students at the same grade level and clearly marked with the student’s name. Sequoia is not responsible for lost or stolen personal property.
7. Hats and hoodies are not allowed to be worn in the classroom. Students may wear these items at recess for sun protection if desired.
8. No junk food (candy, gum or soda) or glass bottles allowed, as per OUSD Student Healthy Foods Policy. These items will be confiscated if found.
9. Students should only bring money to school for lunch or transportation. Sequoia is not responsible for lost money.

<p><b>I AM RESPONSIBLE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I follow through on things.</li> <li>▪ I make my own choices between right and wrong.</li> <li>▪ I can be trusted with important matters.</li> </ul>	<p><b>I AM RESPECTFUL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I care about how other people feel.</li> <li>• I believe other people’s thoughts, ideas and feelings are important.</li> <li>• I treat people and things kindly and politely</li> </ul>	<p><b>I AM HONEST</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I tell the truth.</li> <li>• I am the “real me” at all times.</li> <li>• I keep my word.</li> </ul>	<p><b>I AM COMPASSIONATE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• I think about how other people feel by putting myself in their place, especially when they are going through a difficult time.</li> <li>• I do something to help.</li> </ul>
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As the parent or guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I have read and discussed the Sequoia School Rules with my child. I will post the rules in my home for future reference.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_