

Mu Alpha Theta Council #(Chapter ID)

(School Name)

National Mathematical Honors Society Academic and Behavioral Code of Conduct

As a member of the (School Name) Chapter of the National Mathematical Honors Society, students are expected to fulfill the following requirements:

- Students and their parents are expected to read the expectations together and return the signed portion to the chapter advisor by the specified date.
- As stated in the National Mu Alpha Theta Constitution and Local Chapter By-Laws, “The purpose of this organization shall be to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of secondary schools. Membership in our local chapter is an honor bestowed upon a student. Selection for membership is determined by the advisor and is based on outstanding scholarship, leadership, character, leadership, and service. The main goals are to inspire keen interest in mathematics, develop strong scholarship in the subject, and promote the enjoyment of mathematics in high school and two-year college students.”
- Riverside High School’s Mu Alpha Theta Mathematics Honors Society expands the learning opportunities available to students and enhances the academic program. It provides expanded learning opportunities to students who wish to develop special skills and talents to a higher level. While involvement in these activities is voluntary, it is also a privilege, and students choosing to participate take on extended responsibilities as special representatives of their school and community. This code outlines the expectations for those who choose to be involved in this program. These responsibilities hold the student to a higher standard of conduct as a condition of participation. Riverside High School expects that all students who choose to participate in Mu Alpha Theta will honor these guidelines. We believe these rights and responsibilities for students and the school will help make participation in our extracurricular program a stronger and enduring learning experience.

Members are asked to maintain these standards of conduct. Your signature confirms your awareness of the inherent risk of discipline and dismissal from the National Mathematical Honors Society should this code of conduct be violated.

Members who fall below the standards set forth by the National Constitution and the local chapter bylaws will be warned in writing by the chapter advisor and given a reasonable amount of time to correct the deficiency (example: maintaining grade point average). Except in the case of violation of the law or school rules, in which case the member does not need to be warned, and the discipline/dismissal process can be started immediately by the advisor and Peer Judicial Council.

The purpose of this code is to define the rules for all students involved in Mu Alpha Theta, to define the consequences for those students who violate these rules, and to establish procedures that will ensure fair and consistent enforcement of the code. Participants involved in this club are expected to comply with the regulations of the school, observe good order, and conduct themselves in a manner that will bring credit and honor to them and their school. All parties involved must always consider both the best interests of the individual student and the integrity of the Math Honors Society.

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1. Rules and expectations are in effect year-round.
2. Membership in the National Mathematical Honors Society is based upon invitation.
3. Participation is a privilege that carries with it responsibilities to the school, to the student body and to the community.
4. Invitation to become a member of the National Mathematical Honors Society implies a way of life, with inherent standards and values that students consistently follow. Students are expected to continue to live and uphold these values and standards if selected for admission and are responsible for reporting any violations they commit to the advisor or a member of the Peer Judicial Council.
5. Based upon the National Mathematical Honors Society Constitution and by-laws, violations of school rules and/or the law will immediately begin the discipline/dismissal process. These violations include but are not limited to: DUI, stealing, destruction of property, cheating, plagiarism, truancy, negativity or slander on any social media platforms, or possession, selling, or being under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

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- I will be the best that I can be and achieve at my highest level.
- I will influence and encourage my peers in all their endeavors and projects.
- I will conduct myself in a manner that contributes to an orderly atmosphere and ensures the rights of all individuals within the school.
- I will be considerate and respectful of others.
- I will give my best to my academic and extracurricular pursuits.
- I will demonstrate care and concern for school property and the property of others.
- I will respond appropriately to the direction of faculty and staff at school as well as school activities.
- I will be responsible for my attitude and behavior.
- I will uphold the expected values and demonstrate a level of integrity that is aligned with those values while in-person and on social media.

This code of conduct is to be implemented by all teachers and administrators at (school name). If there is an alleged violation of the code, the student's privilege of participation will be withdrawn for a time period, and a meeting will be held to discuss the infraction. The parents/guardians shall be notified and advised of the date and time of this meeting. These rules apply to the school-related conduct of all students involved, on or off campus, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, throughout the entire calendar year. The code of conduct encompasses all members of Mu Alpha Theta including officers and associates. School-related conduct is any conduct that has a direct and immediate effect on the discipline or general welfare of the school.

The following procedures will be applied in accordance with the school's disciplinary procedures. In addition, the following consequences are outlined below. Students who violate this code of conduct will be declared ineligible and suspended from participation as follows:

- First Infraction →
 - Suspension period of 45 days, for mild offenses. Suspension from officer position (if held) and will be on probation during suspension. If an infraction occurs during this period, refer below.
 - Suspension period of 6 months, for other offenses. Suspension from officer position indefinitely) and will be on probation during suspension. If an infraction occurs during this period, refer below.
- Second Infraction →
 - Suspension period of 6+ months, for mild offenses. Loss of officer position (if held) and will be on probation during suspension.
 - Suspension period of 12+ months, for other offenses.
- Third Infraction →
 - Complete expulsion from the Honors Society

(Please initial the blanks)

_____ We as parents/guardians have read all the information contained in this academic and behavioral contract and the Local Chapter Bylaws.

_____ We support our son/daughter's adherence to the expectations contained in this document and the Local Chapter Bylaws.

Signature of parent/Legal guardian

Date

(Please initial the blanks)

_____ As a student and participant of the National Mathematical Honors Society at (School Name) I have read the Local Chapter Bylaws and agree to follow the expectations of the code of conduct, including reporting any violations that I may commit to the chapter advisor.

Signature of Student

Date

Student Name (Printed)