

NEWMAN'S MINOR & MAJOR BEHAVIOR GRID

CATEGORIES	MINORS 4 TH MINOR EQUALS A MAJOR	MAJOR	ED CODE
Physical Contact	Horse play with no intent to injure, single hit or kick, play fighting.	Fighting, willful force with intent to hurt, leaving physical marks, redness or swelling.	EC 48900 A1 EC 48900 A2 EC 48900 S
Bullying	Name calling, no threat, in a personal physical space.	Use of the following to gain power over peers that is repeated and severe *physical abuse *verbal abuse *cyber abuse *Threatening	EC 48900 A1 EC 48900 2A EC 48900 O
Inappropriate Language	Accidental slip, but not habitual.	Intentional / habitual profanity and directed racial assault.	EC 48900 I EC 48900 K
Disruptive Behavior	Talking playing, passing notes, out of seat often, outburst, tapping, whistling briefly and low intensity interruption of class.	On the 4th minor offense students are referred to administration.	Not a suspendable offense.
Defiance	Brief low intensity failure to follow adult directions.	On the 4th minor offense students are referred to administration.	Not a suspendable offense.
Property Misuse	Not following school/playground rules, using other equipment inappropriately and disrespectfully, not sharing.	Caused or attempted to cause damage to school property. EX: Graffiti, etching, carving	EC 48900 P

Disrespect	Student delivers low intensity, socially rude, rolling eyes, talking back, spitting, or dismissive messages to adults or students.	On the 4th minor offense students are referred to administration.	Not a suspendable offense.
Out of Bounds (wandering the school)	In an area without permission or violating another student's personal belongings.	On the 4th minor offense students are referred to administration.	Not a suspendable offense.
Lying, and Gossip	Starting rumors, talking about others, copying, not telling the truth.	On the 4th minor offense students are referred to administration.	Not a suspendable offense.
Cell phones/ Electronic devices	Bringing cell phones, video games, etc. Students may bring their cell phones but must have a cell phone contract on file.	Ringling in class, using during school hours, confiscated.	EC 48900 2A (I, II)
Theft	Taking erasers, pencils, crayons, items that are valued under \$5.00	Attempted or committed theft intentionally over \$5.00, school or personal property.	EC 48900 E EC 48900 G
Selling items for profit	Trading or bartering goods.	Selling any item to another student in exchange for money of any amount.	EC 48900 K
Possession and /or use of a weapon, dangerous object	Go straight to major!	Student threatens to use or possesses any firearm, knife, or dangerous object.	EC 48900 B EC 48900 M