Michigan Lutheran High School Conduct Code

PRINT STUDENT NAME

God's love for us is found in John 3:16. In response to this love, we strive to meet the expectations of Christian living that are found in the Bible. Therefore, the MLHS Conduct Code is a summary of the Christian expectations for the students, parents, and faculty of Michigan Lutheran High School. For the student, it is a summary of the student handbook which serves as a guide for Christian behavior and expectations as a student of MLHS both in and out of the classroom. For the parent/guardian, the Conduct Code is a guide that shows the parent as the model of Christian behavior for their student. For the faculty, it is a summary of how they will serve as another model of Christian behavior for the student. The Conduct Code also builds understanding of how the faculty and parents/guardians of MLHS work together in bringing up a child in the way he should go (Prov. 22:6).

Student Conduct Code

Students will:

- 1. keep God and their faith life as top priority on and off campus.
- 2. participate faithfully in class and daily chapel.
- 3. respect their parents and the MLHS faculty and staff as God's representatives. (4th Commandment)
- 4. love their fellow classmates "as I [Lord] have loved you". (John 13:34)
- use their unique God-given abilities faithfully without cheating to follow all aspects of academic requirements, from proper attendance to academic eligibility rules.
- give forth their best effort in co-curricular activities remembering that I am a witness to the people of MLHS and to the public.
- dress as a representative of their Lord, abiding by the MLHS Dress Code.
- 8. refrain from using illegal drugs and alcohol.
- take care of the MLHS family's possessions and also to be a good steward of MLHS property.
- respect that God created marriage to be exclusively the union of one man and one woman, and that intimate sexual activity is to occur exclusively within that union.
- 11. use appropriate restrooms and locker rooms conforming with one's biological sex.

Parent/Guardian Conduct Code

Parents and Guardians will:

- 1. Support the spiritual instruction of the students at MLHS in keeping with WELS doctrine and practice.
- maintain open and frequent communication through phone, email, and visits with instructors and administration of MLHS.
- be aware of student progress, discipline, and homework at school.
- 4. respect each individual instructor, their teaching styles and discipline.
- 5. approach instructors and administration with questions and concerns in a way that reflects Christ's love for us, understanding the students well-being is of utmost concern of both parties (Matthew 18).
- support all MLHS co-curricular activities in a positive way and bring questions or concerns to group leaders in a proactive and constructive way (Matthew 18).
- 7. Honor your financial obligation to MLHS.

Faculty Conduct Code

Faculty of MLHS will:

- hold to the truths of God's inspired Word in their personal lives as taught by the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod.
- demonstrate concern for each student's spiritual and personal growth by remembering them in personal prayers, by interacting with them as one redeemed child of God to another, and by treating them with courtesy and respect.
- resolve problems, including discipline, according to the truths we find in God's Word.
- 4. show professional concern for each student's academic growth.
- become knowledgeable of the values and traditions of cultures represented in the community and at MLHS and how they agree or disagree with the truths of God's Word.
- assist parents in fulfilling God's injunction to "bring up the child in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." (Ephesians 6:4)
- communicate with, listen to, and cooperate with the parents in all areas relating to the welfare of their child.
- 8. understand professional and ethical boundaries in regards to the student teacher relationship.

By signing this Conduct Code, the students, parents/guardians, and faculty of MLHS understand the following:

- 1. Students have become familiar with the complete student handbook.
- 2. Students who break the Conduct Code and rules in the student handbook are committing sinful behavior and the student should seek forgiveness and strive for repentant living. (Luke 17:3)
- 3. Students who break the Conduct Code face discipline including detention referrals, co-curricular eligibility denial, and enrollment eligibility review by MLHS administration.
- 4. Parents and Faculty have become familiar with the complete student handbook and will meet the expectations of them found in the Conduct Code.

Student Signature	Parent Signature	Faculty Signature