Griswold Public Schools
Code of Conduct for Online Learning
Student Guidelines

This Student Code of Conduct is directly connected to our Continuous Learning Plan. Online interactions for school and class are an extension of the physical school and classroom. Therefore, expectations for behavior online are the same as they would be if you were in school. All Griswold Public School policies and school rules are still applicable.

Appropriate dress

- Appropriate clothing is expected. Please dress as you would if you were physically in school. You must be be ready to learn.

Appropriate learning environment

- Find a place that is private, quiet, comfortable and free of distraction. You might be working from your room or another area of your house; however, you must make sure that anything visible in your background is school appropriate when participating in a live or recorded video session. Close blinds on windows to allow for better online visibility.

Appropriate language

- Appropriate school language is expected as if you were in the school building. Use of profane or derogatory language is unacceptable.

Act with Positive Intent

- This type of learning is new for your classmates, parents, and teachers. Be patient with one another, provide each other with respectful feedback, and engage in learning to the best of your ability.

Best Practices and Tips:

➢ When online, mute the microphone until it is time to speak, as this will limit background noise and allow all to hear the speaker more clearly.

➢ Use headphones if possible. This may allow for less distractibility.

➢ Be mindful of the agenda/objective provided for the lesson. Also, be mindful of the learning target: the "I can" statement.

➢ If the teacher utilizes a chat feature, you could ask (type) questions during the lesson. This will not be heard and can be answered when the speaker is finished.
  ○ Use the "chat" feature appropriately - this is intended to ask questions of your teacher and not to talk with friends.

All individuals involved in video conferencing shall comply with the relevant Board of Education policies, including but not limited to, those concerning the confidentiality of student records and acceptable use of district computer systems. Board policies can be accessed on the Griswold Website. You can access all Griswold Board of Education policies by clicking here.