



Good Afternoon NSA Parents (and Students),

One of my goals for the 24-25 school year is to create and publish a comprehensive, NSA-specific handbook. Although we have dedicated considerable time to communicating norms and expectations with students, I acknowledge that an accessible written reference ought to exist.

In the interim, I'd like to provide information pertaining to **disciplinary responses**.

The responses described in [this document](#) were developed in accordance with MNPS policy and after a rigorous collaborative effort by our faculty. The information was presented to students in August and again in January, at which time we answered questions and made edits where clarifications were necessary.

Our disciplinary practices, while carefully crafted, will evolve as we reflect and evaluate their effectiveness. If you have questions or feedback, I'm happy to hear it.

Thank you for your partnership.

Sincerely,

Dr. Thomas