



November 9, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians,

One of our ultimate goals is to ensure that we have a positive, respectful, and safe school culture and environment for everyone in Jackson Public Schools. With that in mind, it is imperative that we keep you aware of situations that threaten our goal. Due to an increase of weapons, illegal drugs and contraband confiscated in our schools, we have heightened security measures at our school sites and will be conducting more frequent random searches and building walk-throughs to ensure the safety of our scholars and staff.

Our District is committed to the well-being, education, and safety of all scholars. We will continue to examine current practices and procedures, as well as work towards added preventive measures to decrease the possibilities and likelihood of incidences occurring at our schools.

Any scholar involved in criminal activity will be subject to state and district policies, as well as laws that govern weapons on school grounds. Parents or legal guardians may also be held accountable. Please discuss this with your child and stress the fact that it is against the law to bring weapons and drugs, of any type, on school campuses or to school sponsored/related events. Also, please continue to encourage your child to report situations that are considered inappropriate for school. Scholars can report this information to an administrator, teacher, counselor, and you. It is all our responsibility to keep our schools safe. Please know that we value you and your child's input.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles Mcinnis".

Charles Mcinnis, Interim Chief
Campus Enforcement

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