



St. Fabian Catholic School Discipline Policy

At St. Fabian Catholic School we understand that discipline is a large part of the tradition of Catholic education. In order to incorporate the education of the whole student, a school community must look at the learning and development of all students including development of character and the respect for self, others, and community. Student conduct and behavior reflects the academic life and successes of the school community as a whole. In order to strive for academic excellence, it is important to also strive for and encourage the development of responsible and respectful students.

Each student is responsible for obeying school rules and regulations, following school policy, and showing respect for all persons and the property of others. Should a student interfere with classroom learning, social/play time, participation in prayer or assembly, or deface school or other individual properties, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken. As a school we believe that all students must work to promote and protect an environment that is conducive to learning and thriving within our catholic community.

We believe that it is the responsibility of parents and teachers to work together to promote and encourage the development of responsible and respectful students, and that this parent/teacher relationship is integral in educating students both academically and socially within this environment. Included in this packet are behavior rubrics for grades K-2, 3-4, and 5-8. The behaviors and consequences for these actions are outlined in these rubrics and will be presented to our students annually. It is the parents' responsibility to read this material and discuss it with their student. Parent signature agreeing to guidelines and school policies in place is required on the annual Tuition Contract.

All students are expected to uphold St. Fabian Catholic School rules and policies at all times while representing our school.

*"Our mission at St. Fabian Catholic School is to follow Jesus' example through
Strength in Academics, Trustworthiness, and Faith in Christian Values."*

St. Fabian Catholic School Behavior Contract

I, _____ (*print student name*) understand that my behaviors affect the entire classroom and school community. As a student of St. Fabian Catholic School, I strive to be a positive member of my school community. I understand that my behaviors impact the success of my classmates and me in learning. I promise to do the following:

- ~always try to do my best work
- ~be kind and helpful in class
- ~show respect for myself, my school, and other people
- ~obey classroom and school rules
- ~show respect for property by not stealing or vandalizing materials
- ~come to school/class prepared with my homework and supplies
- ~believe that I can and I will learn
- ~spend time everyday reading or studying at home
- ~talk with my parents about school activities

I, _____ (*print parent name*) understand that the success of my child/children will come from school, parents, and students, working together to achieve success. As a parent I will:

- ~ show respect and support for my child, the teachers, and the school
- ~support the school's and the teacher's discipline policy
- ~provide a quiet, well lit place for study and supervise the completion of homework
- ~ monitor my child's usage of social media
- ~attend parent-teacher conferences and
- ~ utilize Gradelink, the online grading system and communication tool at St. Fabian Catholic School
- ~talk with my child each day about his or her school lessons and activities
- ~work closely with my child's teacher in creating a successful learning atmosphere
- ~encourage my child to read at least 20 minutes each day and let my child see me read as well
- ~ read and review the STF Student Handbook with my child

I, _____ (*print teacher name*) pledge to my students and the parents of our school community to do the following:

- ~show respect for each child and family
- ~make efficient use of learning time
- ~provide a safe and comfortable environment conducive to learning
- ~help each child grow to his or her potential
- ~provide meaningful and appropriate homework activities
- ~provide necessary assistance to parents so they can help with assignments
- ~enforce school and classroom rules fairly and consistently
- ~supply students and parents with clear evaluations of progress and achievement
- ~demonstrate professional behavior and a positive attitude

I have read the St. Fabian Catholic School Discipline Policy and Student Handbook and I understand the consequences explained in the Behavior Rubric. Parents provide consent via the Tuition Contract.

Signature of Student _____ Date _____

Signature of Teacher _____ Date _____



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Think Sheet Grades 3-8

TEACHER COMMENT: The inappropriate behavior I witnessed was: _____

STUDENT INPUT: The inappropriate behavior I displayed was: _____

When it happened: _____

Why it happened: _____

I chose to ignore the following character traits (circle those that apply)

Cooperation

Respect

Following Rules

Caring

Honesty

Responsibility

Dependability

Understanding

Helpfulness

Others:

Which traits would have helped you to avoid the situation? _____

What will you choose to do next time? _____

What should the consequence be? _____

Describe what you will do to show good character from now on. Use the character traits that you circled or listed.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

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K-2 Discipline Policy Think Sheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

TEACHER COMMENT: _____

STUDENT INPUT:

What I did: _____

1. I was feeling...



2. How did this make others feel?



3. (Parents: please discuss today's incident with your child and complete the section below. Return the signed form to your child's teacher tomorrow. Thank you for your support.)

Next time I will...

I understand that this Think Sheet indicates the 2nd step on the Behavior Rubric.

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____