



Our School Rules

Coyote

P.A.W.S.

Safety Contract

Grade Level Consequences



Kenter Canyon Elementary Charter School

P.A.W.S. Expectations and Safety Contract

The following school rules and guidelines will help to make Kenter Canyon Elementary Charter School a safe place to learn. Discuss them with your teacher, and ask questions if you are not clear. When you feel that you understand these important safety expectations, you will bring the contract home to review with your parents and sign. Return the signed bottom portion to your teacher.



PAWS Expectations on the Playground:

1. **Practice Compassion:**
 - Game is always open to new players (teams may be uneven by 1).
 - When a stray ball comes into your game, stop and hand it nicely to the owner.

2. **Act Responsibly:**
 - Use conflict resolution skills or go to the “Helping Hand” Station on the yard.
 - Notify an adult on the yard when help is needed.
 - To play any game on the field you are expected to:
 - Set up cones for your area.
 - Get an adult to be your coach or referee.
 - When on the yard use the correct balls.
 - *Example:* Soccer balls are not to be used to play basketball.
 - Put the balls away in the correct tubs at the end of playtime.

3. **Work Hard**
 - Follow the game rules outlined by PAWS.
 - Have fun!

4. **Stay Safe**
 - Get an official referral or pass to leave the playground if you need to visit the nurse, a classroom, or restroom.
 - In the hallway quiet zone,
 - Stay on the right hand side at all times.
 - NO running.
 - Keep hands and feet to yourself.
 - During any play time or during Physical Education, wear appropriate play shoes.
 - If anyone throws or kicks cones, flags, balls, or other equipment intentionally in any way, they will be banned from field activities for that day.
 - Any violence or overly rough play will result in an automatic loss of field privileges.
 - After three “loss of field privileges” you will lose field privileges for a term designated by the Positive Discipline Team and/or Principal

PAWS Expectations in the Cafeteria /Lunch Area/Coyote Courtyard:

1. Students will follow an adult to and from the cafeteria. They will not gather
 - on any stairways or balconies,
 - in doorways to buildings,
 - in front of the library or any classrooms,
 - behind the bungalows,
 - on the apparatus,
 - in restrooms.
2. Students will walk through the Quiet Zone to and from the cafeteria/ lunch area
3. Students will eat lunch politely, throw their trash away, and wait to be dismissed.
4. No one leaves the cafeteria area without an adult leading the way.

PAWS Expectations on the Morning Playground:

1. Kindergarten students will be hand delivered to an adult employee on the K-yard upon arrival to school. They may not be dropped off at the curb or walk to the yard on their own.
2. Kindergarten students may not play on the K-yard prior to the start of the school day.
 - There are too many students on the yard at that time for it to be safe to play.
3. Grade 1-5 students may not play in unsupervised areas in the mornings.
 - Unsupervised areas include the apparatus area, pavilion area, and grass field area.
 - Volleyball, basketball, handball, and jump ropes are supervised prior to the start of the day.
 - Students will line up promptly and quietly when the bells rings and/or whistle is blown by Supervision Aides.

PAWS Expectations in the Breezeway/Hallway:

1. Students will walk with an adult in and out of the classrooms.
2. Students will WALK quietly on the right hand side of the breezeway/hallway and balcony or stairs.
3. Students will have a pass to enter any classroom, office, or library during recess and lunch.
4. Students should follow morning procedures:
 - Students will enter school through the approved gates and report to South Yard only.
 - No students or adults may walk through the north parking lot.
5. Students must follow the stairway rules:
 - Students will WALK on the right hand side of the stairs.
 - Students will not eat or drink on the way to the cafeteria.
 - Students will carry down backpacks.
6. Students may use the office phone for emergencies only and with a teacher's note.

PAWS Expectations in the Restrooms

1. During recess/lunch or Physical Education, students will use restrooms closest to your playground.
2. Students will walk in and out of bathrooms.
3. Students will not play in the bathrooms.
4. Students will walk with a partner to and from bathrooms
5. Students will flush the toilet after using the restroom.
6. Students do not “wait” in the restroom for other students; students will take care of their business and wait outside for their partner or friend.
7. Students will wash their hands, use no more than two squirts of soap, and dry for a paper towel; paper towels are to be thrown in a trash---not towards the trash.

PAWS Expectations if I have a problem on the yard, I will

1. Use PAWS to solve my problems by:
 - taking time to cool down,
 - doing something else,
 - ignoring it,
 - using chance (flip a coin),
 - saying I’m sorry,
 - making a deal, and
 - saying what I want.
- ✓ If more help is needed, I will go to an adult or the Helping Hand Station.
- ✓ If the problem persists, or if it is an emergency, I will go to the office for help.
- ✓ Please SIGN and return the next page to your teacher.



Kenter Canyon Coyote P.A.W.S. Agreement



Dear Teacher:

I understand these rules and I have discussed them with my parents.

I promise to follow them to the best of my ability.

Room Number/ Teacher

Date

Parent Name

Parent Signature

Date