

FLAG DISPLAYS

The United States flag shall be flown during school hours each day of the year.

- ▶ On Memorial Day, the flag will fly at half staff until noon.
- ▶ It will not be flown in inclement weather unless it is an all-weather flag.
- ▶ It will only be flown between the hours of sunrise and sunset unless the display area is lighted.

The flag will be handled with proper respect at all times.

- ▶ It will be raised quickly and lowered ceremoniously.
- ▶ It will be stored properly to prevent damage.
- ▶ It will not be allowed to touch the ground.
- ▶ A flag used in a procession will be on the right and raised higher than other flags in the procession.
- ▶ A flag which is not in the proper condition for display will be destroyed in a dignified way.

Each school site may implement a program of instruction concerning flag etiquette which will include, but not be limited to:

- ▶ Times and occasions for flag display.
- ▶ Proper position and manner of display.
- ▶ Conduct to be used during handling.
- ▶ Showing proper respect for the flag, including personal displays of respect and prohibited uses.

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5 CSR 50-865.400

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