

**PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CPA/VPA PROGRAMS**

The PGCPS **middle school Creative and Performing Arts (CPA) and high school Visual and Performing Arts (VPA) specialty programs** will offer students a highly structured, accelerated instructional environment, which emphasizes skills and concepts fundamental to college and career readiness. In order to implement such a program, the school will foster a positive learning environment stressing disciplined behavior and punctuality. Therefore, it is imperative that parents and students have a clear understanding of the rules and regulations governing discipline and attendance. This statement is intended to highlight areas that require special attention and agreement.

As a student, I agree to:	As a parent, I agree to:	As a staff, we agree to:
1. arrive to school/class on time on a daily basis	1. insist upon regular attendance and punctuality to school/class	1. provide a highly disciplined, safe, and structured learning program
2. follow the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook Code of Student Conduct, school rules, and the guidelines stated in Administrative Procedure 6144.1	2. support the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook Code of Student Conduct, school rules, and the guidelines stated in Administrative Procedure 6144.1	2. enforce the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook Code of Student Conduct, school rules, and the guidelines stated in Administrative Procedure 6144.1
3. be a full participant of my program by attending all required program events which include evening and weekend rehearsals and performances	3. support my child's participation in all required program events, rehearsals and performances, including any materials needed by regularly checking for information	3. inform students and parents of required program events, rehearsals, performances, and materials including, but limited to the following means: school website, syllabus, robocall, email, newsletter, invitation, Remind, etc.
4. complete and turn in my homework/classwork assignments on time when due	4. provide an appropriate place and routine time for my child to study and insist upon my child completing all assignments on time-when due	4. provide an educational experience with high expectations for each student and enforce academic standards
5. maintain a 2.0 or better GPA and also assume responsibility for my academic progress and social behavior	5. review, sign, and return periodic progress reports and participate in conferences/school activities	5. communicate with parents/guardians regarding the student's progress, behavior, and academics, and attendance
6. adhere to the above, understanding that failure to do so may result in disciplinary action and/or dismissal from the CPA/VPA PROGRAM	6. support the rules and regulations of the CPA/VPA Program and understand that failure to do so may result in disciplinary action for my child and/or dismissal from the CPA/VPA PROGRAM	6. explain the goals and objectives of the CPA/VPA PROGRAM and deal fairly and justly with students in disciplinary matters

Signed on (date) _____ in support of the PGCPS CPA/€VPA PROGRAM, Prince George's County Public Schools, Upper Marlboro, Maryland.

Print Student's Name _____

Attachment A to AP 6144.1

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Student's Signature _____ Parent/Guardian's Signature _____

Principal or Designee's Signature _____

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