

Williamstown Middle School Discipline Code

<i>Type of Unacceptable Student Behavior</i>	<i>Grades</i>	<i>1st Offense</i>	<i>2nd Offense</i>	<i>3rd Offense</i>	<i>4th Offense</i>	<i>5th Offense</i>
Bomb Scare	WMS	10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Notify Police and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Notify Police and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Notify Police and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Notify Police and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Notify Police and begin expulsion procedures
Bullying	WMS	See	Harassment /	Intimidation/	Bullying	
Bus Conduct	WMS	Verbal Warning - 3 days Bus Suspension * All offenses discretion	1-5 day(s) Bus Suspension are subject of the	6-10 day(s) Bus Suspension to school administrator	10 days Bus Suspension Possible loss of privilege for remainder of the year discipline	10 days Bus Suspension Possible loss of privilege for remainder of the year at the
Cell Phones, (unauthorized use) Lasers and Electronic entertainment	WMS	GASD, Cell phone, Laser, or electronic equipment surrendered to principal's office, must be picked up by parent/guardian	1-3 days 3-7 School Cell phone, Laser, or electronic equipment surrendered to principal's office, must be picked up by parent/guardian	3-5 days 3-7 School Cell phone, Laser, or electronic equipment surrendered to principal's office, must be picked up by parent/guardian	3-5 days 3-7 School Cell phone, Laser, or electronic equipment surrendered to principal's office, must be picked up by parent/guardian	3-5 days 3-7 School Cell phone, Laser, or electronic equipment surrendered to principal's office, must be picked up by parent/guardian

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<i>Cheating</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Teacher action Including parent contact	Teacher action Including parent contact, inform administration	Teacher action Including parent contact, inform administration	Teacher action Including parent contact inform administration	Teacher action Including parent contact, inform administration
<i>Conviction for Violation of Drug Abuse Law committed off school property</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Administration necessary the entire	will take to protect student	whatever the rights body of	action it and well-Monroe	believes being of Township
<i>Destruction OR Defacing School Property</i>	<i>WMS</i>	GASD – 10 day(s) Out-of-School Suspension, pay for damages	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School – 10 day(s) Out-of-School Suspension, pay for damages	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School – 10 day(s) Out-of-School Suspension, pay for damages	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School – 10 day(s) Out-of-School Suspension, pay for damages	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School – 10 day(s) Out-of-School Suspension, pay for damages
<i>Disrespectful Behavior</i>	<i>WMS</i>	GASD - 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School	1-10 day(s) 3-7 School
<i>Disruptive Behavior</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Lunch Detention - GASD	GASD - 1 day 3-7 School	1-2 day(s) 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	5 days 3-7 School

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<i>Distributing, transferring, or selling dangerous substances...</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Parents and Police are notified.	Minimum of 20 days out-of-school suspension	Level III Hearing		
<i>Dress Code Violation</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Student Counseled; change unacceptable clothing/ footwear or be sent home	1 GASD; change unacceptable clothing/ footwear or be sent home	1 day 3-7 School; change unacceptable clothing/ footwear or be sent home	2 days 3-7 School; change unacceptable clothing/ footwear or be sent home	3 days 3-7 School; change unacceptable clothing/ footwear or be sent home
<i>Missed GASD</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 day 3-7 School	1 day 3-7 School	1 day 3-7 School	1 day 3-7 School	1 day 3-7 School
<i>Disruptive Lunch Detention</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD	1 GASD - 1 day 3-7 School	1-2 day(s) 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	5 days 3-7 School or 1 day Out of School Suspension
<i>Endangering Safety of Others</i>	<i>WMS</i>	GASD - 1-10 day(s) 3-7 school	1-10 day(s) 3-7 school	1-10 day(s) 3-7 school	1-10 day(s) 3-7 school	1-10 day(s) 3-7 school

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<p><i>Extortion/ Shakedown</i></p>	<p>WMS</p>	<p>5 - 10 days 3-7 School; Notify Police</p>	<p>5 - 10 days 3-7 School; Notify Police</p>	<p>10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Possible Level III hearing; Notify Police</p>	<p>10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Possible Level III hearing; Notify Police</p>	<p>10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out-of-School Suspension; Possible Level III hearing; Notify Police</p>
<p><i>Failure to Leave School Property 15 minutes after conclusion of school activity</i></p>	<p>WMS</p>	<p>Loss of privilege to attend similar activities for remainder of the school year - 1 day 3-7 School</p>	<p>Loss of privilege to attend similar activities for remainder of the school year - 1 day 3-7 School</p>	<p>Loss of privilege to attend similar activities for remainder of the school year - 1 day 3-7 School</p>	<p>Loss of privilege to attend similar activities for remainder of the school year - 1 day 3-7 School</p>	<p>Loss of privilege to attend similar activities for remainder of the school year - 1 day 3-7 School</p>
<p><i>Fighting to & from school, on school property, during any school sponsored activities & on school buses</i></p>	<p>WMS</p>	<p>1-10 day(s) 3-7 School – 1-10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, student removal from school, sign disorderly complaint for students who receive the maximum.</p>	<p>10 days 3-7 School – 1-10 days Out of School Suspension notify police, remove student, sign disorderly complaint, recommend to superintendent an additional number of days of suspension, proof of professional medical consultation concerning the problem</p>	<p>10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures</p>	<p>10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures</p>	<p>10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures</p>

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<i>Forgery</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD - 1 day 3-7 School	1-2 day(s) 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School
<i>Listed as Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying</i>	<i>WMS</i>	As per Monroe Counseling – 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension	Township Public Counseling – 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension	School Board Counseling – 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension	Policy Counseling – 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension	Counseling – 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension
<i>Improper Use of Telephone (Bomb Scare, etc.)</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, and begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, notify police, and begin expulsion procedures
<i>In Hall or Building without an authorized pass or in an unauthorized area</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD	1–3 day(s) GASD	1–3 day(s) 3–7 School	3–5 days 3–7 School	5 days 3–7 School
<i>Kissing, Necking or Public Display of Affection</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 Lunch Detention	1 GASD	1 day 3–7 School	1 day 3–7 School	1 day 3–7 School

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<i>Lateness to Class</i>	<i>WMS</i>	3 rd , 4 th , and 5 th lateness will receive Lunch Detention	6 th and subsequent lateness will be referred to administration			
<i>Lateness to School Per Semester</i>	<i>WMS</i>	3 rd , 4 th , and 5 th lateness will receive Lunch Detention	6 th and subsequent lateness will be referred to administration			
<i>Leaving School Property without Permission</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 day 3-7 School	2 days 3-7 School	3 days 3-7 School	5 days 3-7 School	5 days 3-7 School
<i>Open Food In Unauthorized Area</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 Lunch Detention Confiscate food	2 Lunch Detentions Confiscate food	1 GASD - Confiscate food	1 GASD - 1 day 3-7 School Confiscate food	1 GASD - 1 day 3-7 School Confiscate food
<i>Paging Devices</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD- 1 day 3-7 School, confiscated item is to be given to parent/ guardian	3 days 3-7 School, notify police, confiscated item is to be given to police	10 days 3-7 School, notify police, confiscated item is to be given to police.	10 days 3-7 School, notify police, confiscated item is to be given to police.	10 days 3-7 School, notify police, confiscated item is to be given to police.
<i>Possession of a Weapon or Any Simulation of a Weapon</i>	<i>WMS</i>	ALL OFFENSES- Notify police, 10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify police, 10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify police, 10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify police, 10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify police, 10 days 3-7 School or 10 days Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion

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<i>Possession of Drugs, Alcohol, and/or Drug Paraphernalia</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days 3-7, refer to BOE Rules and Regulations, notify Police, consultation with CST, local and county authorities	10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures, refer to BOE Rules and Regulations, notify Police, consultation with CST, local and county authorities	10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures, refer to BOE Rules and Regulations, notify Police, consultation with CST, local and county authorities	10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures, refer to BOE Rules and Regulations, notify Police, consultation with CST, local and county authorities	10 days Out of School Suspension, begin expulsion procedures, refer to BOE Rules and Regulations, notify Police, consultation with CST, local and county authorities
<i>Possession of Firecrackers, Smoke Bombs, Etc.</i>	<i>WMS</i>	ALL OFFENSES- Notify Police, 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School or 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify Police, 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School or 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify Police, 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School or 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify Police, 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School or 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- Notify Police, 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School or 1-10 day(s) Out of School Suspension, possible expulsion
<i>Profanity, Obscene and Inappropriate Language</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 Lunch Detention – 1 GASD	1 GASD – 1 day 3-7 School	1-3 day(s) 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	5 days 3-7 School
<i>Pulling the Fire Alarm</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures
<i>Running in Building</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 Lunch Detention	1 GASD	1 GASD – 1 day 3-7 School	1-2 day(s) 3-7 School	2 days 3-7 School

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<i>Sexual Harassment</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days 3-7 School, Notify Police	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, begin expulsion procedures
<i>Slurs regarding race, color, creed and sexual orientation</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1-5 day(s) 3-7 School	5-10 days 3-7 School	10 days Out of School Suspension, Begin expulsion procedures		
<i>Smoking</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 day 3-7 School, Confiscate cigarettes	3 days 3-7 School, Confiscate cigarettes	5 days 3-7 School, Confiscate cigarettes	10 days 3-7 School, Confiscate cigarettes	10 days 3-7 School, Confiscate cigarettes
<i>Starting or Causing Fires</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, Reimbursement of damage cost, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, Reimbursement of damage cost, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, Reimbursement of damage cost, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, Reimbursement of damage cost, begin expulsion procedures	10 days Out of School Suspension, Notify Police, Reimbursement of damage cost, begin expulsion procedures
<i>Stealing/Theft</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1-3 day(s) 3-7, Reimbursement of loss incurred	3-5 days 3-7, Proof of Professional Consultation regarding problem, Reimbursement of loss incurred	5-10 days 3-7, Reimbursement of loss incurred	10 days Out of School Suspension and begin expulsion procedures, reimbursement of loss incurred	10 days Out of School Suspension and begin expulsion procedures, reimbursement of loss incurred
<i>Throwing Food/Objects</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD – 1–3 day(s) 3-7 School	1–3 day(s) 3-7 School	3-5 days 3-7 School	5-10 days 3-7 School	5-10 days 3-7 School

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<i>Truancy (18A:38-27)</i>	<i>WMS</i>	ALL OFFENSES- 1-3 day(s) 3-7 School; Notify Administration	ALL OFFENSES- 1-3 day(s) 3-7 School; Notify Administration	ALL OFFENSES- 1-3 day(s) 3-7 School; Notify Administration	ALL OFFENSES- 1-3 day(s) 3-7 School; Notify Administration	ALL OFFENSES- 1-3 day(s) 3-7 School; Notify Administration
<i>Unacceptable Behavior During an Athletic Event, Dance, Etc.</i>	<i>WMS</i>	Student will be denied privilege to attend similar events for the remainder of the school year in addition to disciplinary action relating to the offense.	Student will be denied privilege to attend similar events for the remainder of the school year in addition to disciplinary action relating to the offense.	Student will be denied privilege to attend similar events for the remainder of the school year in addition to disciplinary action relating to the offense.	Student will be denied privilege to attend similar events for the remainder of the school year in addition to disciplinary action relating to the offense.	Student will be denied privilege to attend similar events for the remainder of the school year in addition to disciplinary action relating to the offense.
<i>Unauthorized Absence from Class</i>	<i>WMS</i>	1 GASD	1 day 3 – 7 school	2 days 3-7 school	3 days 3 – 7 school	4 days 3-7 school
<i>Under the Influence of Drugs/Alcohol</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days 3-7 School , Notify Police, Refer to BOE Rules and regulations, Consultation with CST, Local and County Authorities	10 days 3-7 School, Notify Police, Refer to BOE Rules and regulations, Consultation with CST, Local and County Authorities	10 days Out of School Suspension and begin expulsion procedures, Notify Police, Refer to BOE Rules and Regulations	10 days Out of School Suspension and begin expulsion procedures, Notify Police, Refer to BOE Rules and Regulations	10 days Out of School Suspension and begin expulsion procedures, Notify Police, Refer to BOE Rules and Regulations
<i>Violation of the Internet, Education Network & Email Contract</i>	<i>WMS</i>	10 days loss of privilege	30 days loss of privilege	Loss of privilege for the remainder of the school year	Loss of privilege for the remainder of the school year	Loss of privilege for the remainder of the school year
<i>Willful Disobedience</i>	<i>WMS</i>	ALL OFFENSES- 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School, Possible Expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School, Possible Expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School, Possible Expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School, Possible Expulsion	ALL OFFENSES- 1-10 day(s) 3-7 School, Possible Expulsion