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MIDDLE SCHOOL DANCE POLICY

Dances may be provided throughout the school year by student groups such as Student Council. Students are expected to conduct themselves in a proper manner at ALL times at the dances. Policy procedures in the Dallas Middle School's Student/Parent Handbook apply to ALL dances. Parents/guardians are asked to Review the procedure listed below with students before acknowledging via e-form. **Students are not permitted to attend school dances if the e-form has not been acknowledged.**

1. Doors will not open until 5 minutes prior to event start time.
2. Students may purchase water and snacks at the dance. REFRESHMENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED OUTSIDE THE CAFETERIA.
3. Students' rides must be at the middle school by the listed end time. Students MUST be picked up in front of the middle school.
4. Students are **NOT** permitted to leave the school at any time during a dance unless a parent/guardian meets the child inside the school, and he or she is signed out by an authorized dance chaperone.
5. Students are expected to dress appropriately. The school dress code found in the Student/Parent Handbook will be enforced.

   STUDENTS WHO DO NOT COMPLY WITH THE DRESS POLICY WILL BE SENT HOME AND WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND FUTURE DANCES.

6. Only DMS students may attend the dances.
7. Improper behavior (e.g. running, fighting, disrespect, inappropriate language) will result in a phone call home and dismissal from the dance, without a refund.
8. We welcome and encourage parents/guardians whose clearances are on file with DMS to chaperone dances. If you choose to chaperone a dance, please check with middle school staff upon arrival for an assigned duty.