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Welcome!  
High Point Regional High School  
9<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night

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## Our Mission...



## Mission Statement

*High Point Regional High School, in partnership with staff, family and community, is dedicated to the quest for individual excellence. By fostering high standards of achievement, we prepare students to become responsible and productive members of a diverse society.*

## Attendance & Tardies

- **Attendance**
  - Students cannot exceed 14 unexcused absences for each course enrolled
  - Notices will be sent after the 4<sup>th</sup> absence
- **Tardies**
  - Once a student is tardy the 4<sup>th</sup> time, consequences will be administered.

# Student Expectations

Zero Tolerance

- **Weapons**
- **Substance abuse/Vaping**
- **HIB**
- **Disrespect**
- **Insubordination**

## Our Vision

- Respect
- Ownership
- Character
- Kindness

*“Responsibility is accepting that YOU are the cause & the solution of the matter.”*

# Digital Citizenship

Teaching students to be digitally responsible in an irresponsible society



What is digital citizenship?

- **Digital citizenship is the ability to participate safely, intelligently, productively, and responsibly in the digital world.**



What kind of  
parent are you?



**OR**



Which one is  
better?

- **IT DOESN'T MATTER!**
- **As parents, you cant be everywhere or see everything.**
- **Make it your priority to communicate with your child.**
- **Seek out resources.**
- **Educate yourself on what's trending in social media.**

What do we  
teach?

Before you...



**THINK!**

**T** - Is it true?

**H** - Is it hurtful?

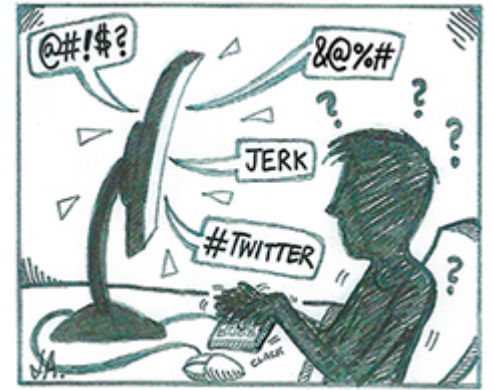
**I** - Is it illegal?

**N** - Is it necessary?

**K** - Is it kind?

So why do  
kids act  
inappropriate  
online?

- **There is no immediate confrontation or threat**
- **Ability to be anonymous**
- **Empowerment**
- **Ids feel more tough behind a screen (Screen muscles)**



## Why are kids sexting?

- **Attention**
- **Replace a void**
- **They see adults doing it**
- **Hormones- Societal pressures**
- **Movies, Cable TV, etc**
- **They think nobody will see**

What can we do  
about it?

**Talk to your children!!!!**

**Communication is key.**

- No Technology/Devices at Dinner and after 9:00pm (unless educationally relevant)
- Passwords **MUST** be shared with everyone.
- Model how we want our kids to act.
- Be a role model.
- **PUT YOUR PHONES AWAY!!!**

What is your  
digital  
footprint?



**"Children need to be active participants in becoming good digital citizens; they need to define their rights and responsibilities online, and have the skills to exercise their values and judgments to be as safe and secure as possible. Good 'digizens' can also be role models for others and inspire the online community in which they live."**

*~Will Gardner, CEO, Childnet International, U.K.*



Apps/Sites to be aware of...

- YikYak
- Tumblr
- Skout
- Facebook
- Whisper
- BurnNote
- Instagram
- Vine
- Calculator
- Meet me
- Twitter
- Omegle
- Ask.Fm
- Tinder
- Kik Messenger
- Ooovoo
- Snapchat
- “Bang With Friends”
- Poof

What are we  
doing to assist  
you?

- **No cell phones permitted in class (teachers discretion)**
- **Pass it Along**
- **Support positive behaviors**
- **Character education-EDGE**
- **T.I.E- Climate Team**

It's about being an overall good

~~Digital Citizen~~


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**RTI**  
Response to  
Intervention

**What is it and how is it utilized?**

- **Academic Support**
- **Behavioral Support**
- **Social/Emotional Support**

**(Ex. EDGE, Math & ELA, CST,  
Guidance...)**



"Success is peace of mind  
which is a direct result of  
self-satisfaction in  
knowing you made the  
effort to become the best  
you are capable of  
becoming."

- John Wooden