Show your VIKING **PRIDE**

**Positivity:** Bring a positive attitude to this room EVERY day!

**Respect:** Act responsible and considerate in this class; be respectful to the instructor and your peers. Raise your hand and wait to be called upon before speaking. Be considerate to anyone who is talking.

**Integrity:** Do your own work and always try to do the right thing! Copying from another student on any assignment or assessment will be considered cheating. Cheating will not be tolerated and will be dealt with severely.

**Dependability:** When the bell rings, all students should be in their seats and ready for the start of class. If you need to use the restroom, get a drink, sharpen your pencil, etc., do so before the late bell rings. The hall pass will be granted at my discretion and should be considered a privilege, not a right.

**Empathy:** Try to put yourself into other people’s shoes. We all have issues and troubles in our lives. We never really know what anyone else is going through. Everyone has different abilities you are expected to encourage and help others by treating them as you'd like to be treated. IF YOU DON’T HAVE ANYTHING NICE TO SAY, DON’T SAY ANYTHING!

**Consequences for a lapse in PRIDE:**

1. 1st offense - verbal warning
2. 2nd offense – discussion of behavior after class; possible change in seating; detention
3. 3rd offense – phone call home; detention; possible discipline form sent to office
4. 4th offense – discipline form sent to office

Repeat offenders, those who are a continuous class disruption, or those whose actions are dangerous to others will be referred directly to the office.

**“The substitute rule”**- if your name is left by a substitute as someone that is disruptive or not on-task you automatically get detention – no questions asked.

**I do not tolerate discipline problems in my class.**