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## ELEVATOR USAGE POLICY

## **Purpose:**

This policy aims to ensure the safe and efficient use of elevators within TIAD premises, promoting accessibility and convenience while prioritizing student and staff safety.

## Scope:

This policy applies to elevators within school buildings and is applicable to all students, staff, visitors, and contractors utilizing these facilities.

# **Responsibilities:**

### MSO:

Responsible for establishing and enforcing the elevator policy, ensuring compliance with safety regulations, and overseeing maintenance.

### **Teachers/Staff:**

Expected to educate students on elevator safety, monitor their behavior around elevators, and assist in enforcing the policy.

### **Students:**

Required to adhere to the elevator policy, follow safety guidelines, and treat elevator equipment with care and respect.

### **Maintenance Staff/Contractors:**

Responsible for regular inspections, maintenance, and prompt resolution of any elevator issues.

### **Safety Guidelines:**

- Elevators must not exceed posted maximum capacity limits. These limits are strictly enforced for the safety of all occupants.
- Running, pushing, or any behavior that may cause disruption or endangerment to others is prohibited.
- In case of an elevator malfunction or emergency, occupants must remain calm,
  press the emergency button, and await assistance.
- Avoid pressing multiple buttons unnecessarily, as this can cause delays and inconvenience to others.









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 Priority access to elevators should be given to individuals with disabilities, injuries, or mobility impairments.

## **Supervision:**

During peak usage times, designated staff members will monitor elevator usage to ensure compliance with safety guidelines and to prevent overcrowding.

### **Priority Usage:**

Priority access to elevators may be granted to individuals such as students with disabilities, staff carrying heavy loads, or emergency responders.

### **Hours of Operation:**

Elevators will be operational during school hours and may be available during after- school events or activities as determined by school administration.

### **Maintenance and Repairs:**

- 1. Elevator malfunctions or maintenance issues must be reported promptly to school administration or maintenance staff.
- Alternative accessibility arrangements will be provided during elevator downtime, if needed, to ensure access for individuals with disabilities or mobility limitations.

## **Education and Training:**

Regular training sessions on elevator safety and proper usage will be conducted for students and staff to ensure awareness and compliance with the elevator policy.

### **Consequences for Violations:**

Violations of the elevator policy, including deliberate misuse or endangerment of others, may result in disciplinary actions in accordance with school policies.

#### **Review and Revision:**

This policy will be reviewed annually by the school MSO to address any emerging issues or changes in circumstances.

### **Communication:**

The elevator policy will be communicated to all stakeholders through the College website, student handbooks, signage near elevator areas, staff meetings, and parent communications.





