

Central A&M High School Handbook Revisions 2010-2011

- Students attending DATA are required to maintain a C average to continue in the program.
- Dress Code-holes (no skin or undergarments may be showing)
- Cell Phone Consequences-
 - Add: Cell phones **must** stay in the student locker during the entire school day.
 - Student has phone in classroom- student is assigned a detention, teacher take phone to office for parent to pick up.
 - Student has phone in class that rings or vibrates- student is assigned an in school suspension, teacher take phone to office for parent to pick up.
 - Student found using phone during the school day- student is assigned an in school suspension, teacher take phone to office for parent pick up.

On August 6, 2009, Governor Pat Quinn signed into law House Bill 71 and House Bill 72. The new laws ban motorists from sending text messages while driving in Illinois, and make it illegal to talk on a cell phone while driving through a highway construction zone or school zone. In addition, it will become illegal to compose, send or read text messages, instant messages and e-mail on a cell phone or surf the internet while driving. The ban also includes personal digital assistants and portable or mobile computers, but does not include global positioning systems (GPS) or navigation systems.

- Any student sent to the office from a classroom because of behavior issues automatically receives an hour detention from the teacher.
- Semester Grades-Semester grades are determined by the following method: semester final exam grade counts approximately 1/5 and the semester grade counts 4/5. All grades will be based on the semester grade which will accumulate throughout the semester.
- All students are required to have a school issued lock on their hall locker. A lock will be issued to all students at the beginning of the 2010-2011 school year. Students will be responsible for this lock until they graduate at which time they will need to turn their lock in. Students will also need to turn in their lock upon transferring. Students who do not turn in a lock will be fined \$5.00. Replacement locks will cost the student \$5.00.