

In Good Standing

In an effort to support students, HERH has implemented In Good Standing. This is a mandatory support for students who have not completed identified IGS assignments. With any new program, questions have come up surrounding different student scenarios. We have attempted to address some of these situations.

Possible scenarios include:

Student attends IGS from one to three days and then hands the assignment in to the Learning Center teachers – assignment is marked without penalty.

Student skips IGS second time – student will receive a one-day in- or out of school suspension, space permitting. Our mandate is to have students here in the In-school suspension room, but on rare occasions we will have to assign out of school suspensions.

Student skips school for the whole three days or more – student has one day only of support in the IGS. This is in place mainly because the parent could call in and excuse up to the second day back.

Student hands in the assignment (once assigned to IGS) to the learning center teachers – learning center teachers collect the assignment and mark on the IGS spreadsheet that the assignment is in. These assignments are handed in to the subject teacher by the Learning Center teachers.

Student is absent from school for two days – student may attend IGS for two days.

Student is absent from school for three or more days with excuse – student will be supported by IGS for one day and further extensions and alternatives will be negotiated by the subject teacher with the student and/or parents. Extended sickness, death in the family and other long-term absences will need special consideration and alternative arrangements need to be discussed.

Student is absent from school for three or more days without excuse – student will be supported for one IGS session only. Assignment not submitted the following morning to the IGS/Learning Center teachers will receive a zero for that assignment. Students who skip this “one only” session receive automatic zeros.

School is cancelled for one or two days – student has the opportunity to attend two IGS days.

School is cancelled for three or more days OR student is absent with excuse for three or more days – student has the opportunity to attend IGS for one day.

Assignment handed in following less than three days IGS that is not acceptable – return to IGS for one or two days (depending on the number served already, not to exceed three).

Assignment handed in following the full three days IGS that is not acceptable or no assignment completed after three days IGS – student receives a zero on that assignment.