

STUDY HALL EXPECTATIONS

- I. During Study Hall hours, all students devote their time to their academic preparation.
- II. At the beginning of the year, Study Hall for all students will take place in their respective rooms with the doors open.
 - a. Periodically, grades will be checked, and if a student has good grades and has shown that he/she uses Study Hall time responsibly, the student will be allowed to close his/her door. However, if his/her roommate has not received this privilege, then the door must remain open.
 - b. If a student is struggling academically or needs additional structure, he/she may be asked to spend Study Hall outside of his/her room.
- III. Students work independently, unless they receive permission from the Residential Faculty on duty to study with another student. Group study sessions will happen in the lounge, office, or study room (unless all members of a room are working on the same project).
- IV. A student may listen to music softly only if both roommates agree upon it. Otherwise, a student should use headphones. Music is too loud if it can be heard from other bedrooms or the hallway. Use of cell phones and social media are prohibited during Study Hall. Violations of this rule may result in confiscation of the device or Study Hall in the office or lounge.
- V. Students may not do laundry, sleep, clean their room, or take showers during Study Hall.
- VI. If a student violates any of the preceding rules, he/she may be required to keep his/her door open, study in the office or lounge, or may have the object of disturbance (e.g. cell phone, stereo, computer) confiscated. Further consequences may result if the misuse of Study Hall is blatant or frequent.
- VII. Students are not allowed to make or receive any fast food orders during study hall.