1. The North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics affirms that the first goal of the School is to educate the students admitted to its programs. The freedom of students to learn is an integral and necessary part of the academic freedom to which the School is dedicated. The School provides, within its allotted University functions and available resources, opportunity for its students to derive educational benefits through developing their intellectual capabilities, encouraging their increased wisdom and understanding, and enhancing their knowledge and experience applicable to the effective discharge of civic, professional, and social responsibilities. It is the policy of the School not to abridge either the freedom of students engaged in the responsible pursuit of knowledge or their right to fair and impartial evaluation of their academic performance.

2. All students shall be responsible for conducting themselves in a manner that helps to enhance an environment of learning in which the rights, dignity, worth, and freedom of each member of the academic community are respected.