



Constitution of the Integrity Alliance (IA)

Preamble

We, the officers of the Integrity Alliance, in order to represent and empower the student body, establish a formal structure for governance, and promote a positive and innovative school environment, do hereby establish this Constitution.

Article I: Name, Mission, and Vision

Section 1: Name

The official name of this organization shall be the Integrity Alliance, hereafter referred to as the IA.

Section 2: Mission

The mission of the IA is:

- To represent and empower each and every student by fostering a fair, innovative, and positive environment.
- To ensure that every student's voice is heard to promote collaboration and integrity, achieving a student-driven change.
- To address student needs and improve everyday student life and learning quality.

Section 3: Vision

The vision of the IA is to foster:

- A school where everyone feels safe and welcome to innovate and grow.
- A school where students turn their aspirations into reality and where everyone feels safe to voice sparks progress.
- A community in which fairness and justice are upheld.



Article II: The Student Council

Section 1: Definition

The Student Council shall be defined as the executive leadership body of the IA, composed of eight (8) official officers.

Section 2: Officer Roles

1. **President:** Leads the IA, sets the vision, oversees all operations, holds veto power, and represents the IA in all official matters.
2. **Vice President:** Assists the President, supervises committee Heads, and ensures smooth coordination across all roles.
3. **Head of Finance:** Prepares budgets, manages expenses, oversees fundraising, and ensures financial transparency.
4. **Head of Activities:** Plans, manages, and oversees all student events, competitions, and social engagement programs.
5. **Head of Academics:** Focuses on academic-related initiatives, tutoring sessions, competitions, and supporting student learning.
6. **Head of Media:** Manages all official communication, social media, posters, announcements, and the digital presence of the IA.
7. **Head of Volunteering:** Leads all community service initiatives, coordinates volunteer projects, and manages the general volunteer pool.
8. **Head of Internal Affairs:** Takes official meeting minutes, manages council member records, and ensures internal protocols are followed.

Section 3: Presidential Authority

In the event of the President's absence, the Vice President shall assume all powers, authorities, and responsibilities of the President, including veto power, until the President's return.



Article III: Officer Selection

Section 1: Vice President Appointment

The Vice President is assigned directly by the President and serves at the President's discretion.

Section 2: Head Officer Appointment

All Head positions shall be filled by appointment. Candidates shall submit an application. The President and the serving Vice President shall jointly conduct interviews and make the final selection for all Head positions.

Article IV: Membership Structure

Section 1: Council Membership

Membership on the Student Council is restricted to the eight (8) officers defined in Article II.

Section 2: Committee Formation

- The Heads of Activities, Academics, and Media may form committees to assist in their duties, pending **approval from the President**.
- Students must submit an application to the respective Head to join a committee and shall be selected by that Head.

Section 3: General Volunteers

- Students not on a committee or the Council may join as General Volunteers.
- All General Volunteers shall be managed by the Head of Volunteering.



Article V: Council Meetings

Section 1: Meeting Schedule

Official meetings of the Student Council shall be called at the discretion of the President or Vice President.

Section 2: Quorum

An official vote may be held only when a quorum is present. A quorum is defined as: The President, the Vice President, and at least two (2) additional Heads.

Section 3: Meeting Minutes

All official meeting minutes shall be recorded and managed by the Head of Internal Affairs. If the Head of Internal Affairs is not present, the Vice President shall take on this responsibility.

Section 4: Official Location

The official office of the IA is located at B-50, the room next to 12A.

Article VI: Voting and Executive Power

Section 1: Voting Points

A weighted voting system shall be used for all motions.

- **President's Vote:** Worth two (2) points.
- **Vice President's Vote:** Worth two (2) points.
- **Each Head's Vote:** Worth one (1) point (for a total of 6 points from Heads).
- **Total Possible Points:** 10.

Section 2: Passing a Motion

- A motion is considered passed when it achieves **five (5) or more points**.
- The President reserves the right to abstain from voting unless their vote is deemed necessary.

Section 3: Veto Power

The President retains supreme veto power and may cancel any motion or decision, even if it has passed a vote, if it is deemed inappropriate or not in the best interest of the IA.



Article VII: Financial Code

Section 1: Approval of Expenditures

All expenditures of IA funds, and all fundraisers held under the IA name, must be approved by a dual-signature process.

- Approval is required from **both the Head of Finance AND either the President or the Vice President.**

Article VIII: Officer Terms and Removal

Section 1: Term of Office

All officers shall serve their full term, as defined by the school year or appointment.

Section 2: Removal from Office

An officer cannot be removed from their position by the council. All officers are expected to fulfill their duties for their entire term.

Article IX: Amendments to the Constitution

Section 1: Authority to Amend

The President holds the sole and exclusive authority to amend, alter, or add new articles to this Constitution at any time.

Ratification:

This Constitution shall be in full effect immediately upon its adoption by the President of the Integrity Alliance.