



# STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT POLICY

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## Purpose

Peter Moyes Anglican Community School (the School) is committed to providing a child-safe environment which safeguards all students, their welfare and wellbeing. These practices align with the School Values of Faith, Excellence, Compassion, Respect, Responsibility and Courage.

The Student Code of Conduct (the Code) provides a framework within which students develop acceptable social behaviours. The Code provides an outline of the behavioural expectations for students as representatives of the School they are at School, travelling to and from School, on public and contract transport services, at School events, and whenever in the School uniform.

The School has high expectations of all its students; however, while not exhaustive it describes the minimum expectations. It aims to ensure the safety, comfort and wellbeing of everyone at the School.

Students have the right to safely learn and play in a secure and positive environment. They need to be respected and valued to express their ideas and have opinions heard in a positive way. Students also have a right to fair access to School resources.

Students have the responsibility to attend School every day, unless legally excused. They must act responsibly and personally achieve with excellence. Students must respect the rights of others, be cooperative and considerate to all members of the School community. In sharing and caring for resources they must also resolve conflict respectfully, calmly and fairly. Being respectful means that students should not bully, harass, intimidate or discriminate against others in the School nor be violent or bring weapons, illegal drugs, alcohol or tobacco into the School. In summary, students should comply with the School's policies and procedures.

The School takes appropriate action in response to behaviour that is detrimental to self or others or to the achievement of high-quality teaching and learning. External authorities, such as the police, may be involved to any action taken by the School when a student's conduct breaks the law.

## Related Documents

Complaints and Disputes Resolution Policy  
Drugs, Alcohol and Smoking Policy (Students)  
Communication Policy  
Prevention of Bullying Policy  
Social Media Policy