

Behaviour Code for Students:

Promoting the learning, wellbeing and safety of all students in NSW Public Schools is a high priority for the Department of Education. We implement teaching and learning approaches to support the development of skills needed by students to meet our high standards for respectful, safe and engaged behaviour. In NSW public schools students are expected, to the best of their ability, to:

Respect

- Treat one another with respect and dignity.
- Communicate and behave courteously.
- Cooperate with others.
- Act and work cooperatively with other students, teachers, and school staff.
- Value the interests, ability and culture of others.
- Dress appropriately by complying with the school uniform or dress code.
- Take care with property and the property of staff and other students.

Resilience

- Model and follow departmental, school and/or class codes of behaviour and conduct.
- Negotiate and resolve conflict with empathy.
- Be aware and take personal responsibility for behaviour and actions.
- Care for self and others.
- Be safe and help others to make safe choices that do not hurt themselves or others.

Ready to Learn

- Attend school every day (unless legally excused).
- Arrive at school and class on time.
- Be prepared for every lesson.
- Actively participate in learning.
- Aspire and strive to achieve the highest standards of learning.

The principal and school staff, using their professional judgment, are best placed to maintain discipline and provide safe, supportive and responsive learning environments.