YEAR 8 CAMP
CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

This Code of Conduct sets out the level of expectation of students when participating in school camp approved by the Department of Education, Training and the Arts. The Year 8 Camp is considered by the Department to be part of the school program. All participants should understand that this Code applies to them during the entire duration of the camp. Supervising Teachers and Camp staff are responsible for student’s safety and welfare for the entire camp.

Consequences for not honouring this Code of Conduct are listed in the boxed section below. Please ensure that as students and parents/guardians, you have read and understood this Code prior to signing.

Further information is available by contacting Donna Shay (HOD of Junior Secondary School) – 3820 4252.

As a participant in the Year 8 Camp

- The Year 8 Camp is considered by the Department to be part of the school program. The usual rules of behaviour that apply to students while at school, under the School's Beliefs about Behaviour and Learning continue to apply while the student is participating in the camp program, under the care and control of supervising staff and volunteers.
- You must take responsibility for your own behaviour and performance.
- You should behave in a manner that respects the rights of others.
- You should be considerate of the general public at all times.
- Smoking, drinking of alcoholic beverages, and the use of any illegal substances and substance abuse are strictly forbidden.
- The taking of all prescribed drugs will be monitored by one of the supervising teachers or volunteers.
- You should wear the appropriate standard of dress as directed by supervising staff.
- You should follow all directions of supervising staff.
- Technological devices (phone, I Pod, D.S. etc) and laser lights are forbidden.
- A “Hands Off” policy applies to all students.
- Pillow fights are forbidden in the cabins.
- Do not wander away from the camp facility.
- Do not enter the pool grounds or swim without the supervision of a Teacher.
- Report any damage that you incur to camp property.
- Keep your cabin tidy – make your own bed, help with chores.
- Where toilets/shower/laundry facilities are away from sleeping areas, it is advisable to attend in pairs.
- Females are not permitted to enter the male area of the campsite or a male cabin. Likewise, males are forbidden to enter the female area of the campsite or the female cabins.

Consequences for breaches of this code by Students

Supervising Staff may deal immediately with any breaches of this code by students by imposing appropriate consequences, including notifying parents/guardians and the students being sent home at their cost. The school is responsible for imposing any longer term consequences, in accordance with the Responsible Behaviour Plan and the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 (EGPA). Students will be afforded natural justice in respect of breaches of this Code, the Responsible Behaviour Plan and the EGPA.
**Acknowledgement**

This acknowledgement should be signed by all participating students and their parents/guardians.

I have read and understood the Code of Conduct for Students and the associated consequences for breaching the Code during the Year 8 Camp

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