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STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

PURPOSE

The Student Code of Conduct is to inform the students of East Preston Islamic College of the expectations of the College regarding student conduct. This includes general behaviour as well as the requirements for assignments and examinations. It provides a framework to enable the withdrawal of students for a breach of the code of conduct. All East Preston Islamic College students are expected to read, understand and follow the Student Code of Conduct. Students should be aware of the consequences of not following East Preston Islamic College requirements as set out in this Code.

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

East Preston Islamic College uses the practice of restorative justice. As such it will seek to achieve solutions which restore respect and harmony to all students of the College. Teachers will assist students who have committed a wrongdoing to do what is needed to make things right.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

The College expects that students will be committed to their studies, interact in a positive and respectful manner with both staff and students and operate in an ethical fashion. This Code provides details of expectations of student behaviour/conduct as well as providing details of the possible consequences to students if they are in breach of the Code of Conduct.

In particular, this Code details expectations of students in relation to:

- 1. General Behaviour and Attitude;
- 2. Student Presentation;
- 3. Harassment/bullying;
- 4. Attendance/lateness;
- 5. Assignments, homework and deadlines;
- 6. Plagiarism and cheating;
- 7. Electrical devices;
- 8. Lockers, Padlocks & Property;
- 9. Uniform;
- 10. Information Technology;
- 11. Exam rules and procedures;
- 12. Use of buildings;
- 13. Bus travel;
- 14. Prayer;
- 15. Out of Bounds Areas;
- 16. Environment.
- 17. College Rules

1. GENERAL BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDE

The College maintains high academic standards, which require students to be committed to their studies in order to achieve the highest possible goals. If students are committed to their studies, the College will be devoted to helping students achieve academic success.

Students are expected to:

complete all assignments and work allocated to them;

attend their classes on time;

be prepared for their classes;

treat their peers and teachers with respect;

behave in a manner which does not interfere with the learning rights of others;

seek help or guidance with any difficulties they may be experiencing by talking to the teachi

Students are not allowed to add any of their own items to the school uniform. Students are not permitted beanies/caps in the classroom however they are permitted in the school yard only. White singlets/shirts/hoods or skivvies may be worn under their uniform on cold days as long as they are not noticeable. Scarfs must be coloured Navy Blue or Black.

CHEWING GUM & OTHER FOODS

Chewing gum is not permitted in school. Students who do chew gum can expect to be placed in detention. The selling of gum, drinks or food is not permitted by students in school.

3. HARASSMENT/BULLYING

At East Preston Islamic College, harassment and bullying will not be tolerated. We have encompassed a "Hands Off" policy. Bullying is deemed to be any cruel or hurtful behaviour by one person or group towards another. It includes: physical violence (e.g. pushing, punching ,hitting) spreading rumours and name-calling damaging, removing or hiding belongings, leaving someone out of activities on purpose, racist or sexist remarks and put-downs, humiliating or ridiculing another, invasion of personal space, forcing someone to do something they don't want to do, threats or intimidation towards another.

East Preston Islamic College believes that the learning environment should be comfortable for all staff and students and free from any form of harassment. Harassment may take many forms including:

10. UNIFORM

All students at East Preston Islamic College must wear the College uniform. If a student is unable to wear the complete and correct uniform on any day, a written note from a parent explaining the reason must be presented to the Home Room teacher or Year Level Coordinator. Any nonuniform clothing will be confiscated by the Vice Principal.

Out of school hours
Students are expected to uphold the reputation of the school by observing an appropriate standard of behaviour when wearing school uniform in transit to and from the school and also during 'out of school hours' when in public venues such as shopping centres, railway stations, visiting other schools, etc...

COLLEGE UNIFORM (ALL YEAR LEVELS F-12)

BOYS: Parker Jacket

Parker Jacket

12. USE OF BUILDINGS

For safety reasons students should closely observe the following:

17. COLLEGE RULES

To ensure the safe and efficient management of the College, students are required to comply with the following College rules:

Students will carry out instructions given by a teacher;

Students will not swear or use vulgar or threatening language;

Students must not eat or drink in the buildings except in lunch rooms on wet weather days or in the canteen;

Students will not bring any electrical devices not associated with the curriculum;

Students must leave bags at lockers at all times other than immediately before or after PE or Sport Education lesson;

Students will not enter the building before the locker bell except to see a teacher;

Students are not to run in the corridors;

Students must not be in the hall unless a teacher is in attendance;

Students must obtain a lunch pass and carry it with them going home at lunch time;

Students must bring the College diary to all classes and must treat it as a personal diary;

Students must adhere to the Dress Code;

Students must be punctual to school, to Home Group,

For me to succeed at East Preston Islamic College it is important that I:

Attendance

Regularly attend school Arrive on time to school before 8:35am Arrive on time to my classes

Provide a note when I am absent

Uniform

Wear the correct uniform every day and in a neat and tidy manner. Provide a note when I am out of uniform

Class Work

Complete all class work to the best of my ability Use my diary to record homework Complete homework Hand in work on time Seek help from my teachers when necessary

Behaviour

Comply with all school rules
Do not disrupt the learning of others
Treat teachers with respect
Treat other students with respect

Technology

Use the computers/iPads for school work only

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Out of School

Uphold the reputation of the school by demonstrat