Sacred Heart College
AUCKLAND

Student Code of Conduct

The purpose of the Sacred Heart College Student Code of Conduct is to promote the emotional and physical safety and well-being of the Sacred Heart College community through mutual respect, tolerance and understanding. This is consistent with our Catholic ethos and Marist charism including love of God and neighbour.

This Code of Conduct is for all College related events and applies while on school grounds or at any other venue where students are assembled for school (curricular and co-curricular) purposes, or when clearly associated with the school.

As a student of Sacred Heart College, I accept that I WILL:

- Ensure the Special Catholic Marist and Champagnat Character of Sacred Heart College is observed at all times, both within the school grounds and off-site.
- Show respect for myself, staff, all others, property and the environment
- Comply with all College and Classroom rules
- Wear the correct school uniform with pride when representing the College
- Follow school guidelines and requests regarding behaviour, uniform, appearance, attendance, and punctuality
- Be courteous. Physical and verbal aggression or abusive and inappropriate language is not acceptable under any circumstances
- Not engage in illegal activities at any time. This includes possessing or consuming, using and/or supplying or being under the influence of alcohol, drugs, or harmful substances or weapons
- Respect and adhere to the rules and expectations around prohibited items. Smoking or vaping is not permitted on the way to and from school, during school, at any school event or school associated function
- Use devices responsibly. Devices may only be used in accordance with school guidelines. This includes NO inappropriate messaging, phone calls, photography, videography or recording of any group or individual, or inappropriate use of social media.
- **Mobile Devices** are not to be used during the school day unless authorised by a member of the Wider Leadership Team or Dean (8:40am-3:15pm).
- Students are also encouraged to leave personal devices other than their (BYOD) device at home. This includes any personal digital device that is capable of communication, storing information, or accessing online services (e.g. smartwatches, tablets, hand-held gaming consoles, portable music players, e-readers, glasses, earbuds and other similar devices).
- Show commitment to any school group I belong to by attending all practices, meetings, and games/performances

In regards to Classroom Learning:

- Follow teacher's and all staff instructions promptly and respect the learning of others
- Arrive on time, prepared and ready to work with the correct equipment
- Respect myself, other people and property
- Treat others as I would wish to be treated
- Speak politely to all others
- Respect the ideas and contributions of other students in the class

In regards to Trips and Events:

- Be courteous to others and everyone I meet
- Be punctual
- Wear the correct uniform, appropriate for the purpose
- Remain with the group at all times
- Observe normal school rules
- Respect opponents, officials and team members
- Respect and observe instructions by staff and guides, complying with rules at all time
- If selected to be a Leader of any group, lead by example in terms or actions, dress, behaviour and attitudes. Follow the guidelines of the Leader/Team Captain Code of Conduct

In regards to Teams and Groups - relevant across any sporting code, group or team that I may participate in:

- Play the game within the rules and abide by the principles of fair play
- Respect opponents, officials, supporters and team members
- Uphold all school rules at all times whilst representing the College, both on and off the field
- Listen to, and follow, Coaches, Managers and Captains' instructions to the best of your ability
- Attend all trainings and games. When this is not possible tell the Coach, Manager or Team Captain
- Help ensure all equipment and facilities are maintained in good condition
- Work hard for your team as well as yourself
- If selected, be available to play for the school in all games/matches as required
- If selected to be a Team Captain, lead by example in terms of actions, dress, behaviour, attitudes and fair play. Follow the guidelines of the Leader/Team Captain Code of Conduct

I understand that this Code of Conduct will remain in place for the duration of time that I am enrolled at Sacred Heart College.