

Student Code of Conduct

At Bonbeach Primary School we firmly believe that learning occurs in a happy, positive and safe environment that caters for individual needs.

Bonbeach Primary School has a Student Well-being and Discipline Policy based on the development of mutual respect and the promotion of self-discipline.

This document is consistent with DEECD guidelines and is reviewed by the welfare team on a regular ongoing basis.

We aim to provide a position and supportive environment enabling students the opportunity to strive for excellence and develop sound academic, social and emotional well being.

Enhancing Student Well-being at Bonbeach Primary School is achieved in the following ways:

- An expectation and belief that students will act as responsible members of the school community
- Promotion and development of positive self-esteem and an optimistic attitude
- Requesting that students display courtesy and respect for the rights and well-being of others
- Fostering positive decision making and accepting responsibility for one's choices
- Implementation of a variety of school based programs to enhance and nurture the needs of our students

RIGHTS OF STUDENTS

Students have the right to:

- Feel safe and happy at school
- Be treated fairly and with respect
- Work, learn and play in a safe environment
- Participate in all activities free from disruption, interference and harassment
- Be provided with curriculum activities in which they can succeed

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STUDENTS

Students have the responsibility to:

- Treat others with consideration and respect
- · Respect their own, others and school property
- Help make our school a safe and happy place
- Be co-operative and considerate in all situations
- Follow and obey school rules
- Recognise the rights of others to learn, free from interference

At Bonbeach Primary School when dealing with students behaviours we:

- Recognise and focus on encouraging the social and emotional well-being of students along with the academic
- Use encouragement of 'behaviours' in preference to praise of the child
- Recognise effort throughout a task as well as the effort for completion of the whole task
- Provide position role models for all students both in verbal and non-verbal cues
- Ensure consistency when dealing with any behaviours
- Use both positive and constructive words and phrases that direct students towards appropriate behaviours
- Encourage students to take responsibility for their own learning and actions
- Provide a variety of options to encourage positive behaviours
- For example:- co-operative learning activities, cross age tutoring, shared decision making

Bonbeach Primary School has very clear guidelines and expectations for all students and staff. Appropriate reward structures and logical consequences have been established and implemented throughout the school to deal with a variety of behaviours.

The well-being structure at Bonbeach Primary School is designed to encourage the ongoing development of positive relationships and co-operative behaviours amongst our whole school community.