

# SCHOOL RULES

*Adherence to these rules will help the School to run more efficiently and enable it to serve you better.*

## PHILOSOPHY

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## Hair

- Hair must be neat, tidy, natural in colour, consistent in length, no shorter than a number 3 cut, and worn in a style that enables the school hat to be worn as designed.

### Female students

- Hair is to be worn away from the eyes, tied fully back if touching the collar using a band, tie or ribbon in school colours (navy blue, brown or white).

### Male students

- Hairstyles must be above the collar, ears and eyebrows.

## Casual Dress Day Guidelines

This is a normal school day and appropriate dress standards are expected.

- No thongs are to be worn.
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## Footwear

- Students must wear appropriate footwear at all times.
- Leather school shoes are required for Science, Food & Textiles and Design & Technology.
- There are to be no thongs, even on wet weather days or casual dress days.

## Jewellery

- Students may wear a plain watch without wifi and one plain, thin linked metal chain necklace (no more than 2mm across), with or without a small plain cross. Necklaces must hang lower than and under the collar opening of the uniform.
- No visible body piercings or tattoos are permitted.

### Female Students

- One pair of small earrings, located in the middle of the earlobe is permitted. These may be plain gold/silver studs of no more than 5mm in diameter (with or without a stone or pearl), or plain sleepers, no larger than 15mm in outer diameter.
- One plain and unadorned (no stone) ring may be worn.

### Male Students

- No earrings or rings may be worn.

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## CARE OF PROPERTY

Students should care for their own property and show respect for the property of others and of the school community as a whole.

- Books and tote trays (Junior School) must be kept clean and tidy. Lockers (Middle and Senior School) must be kept locked except when being accessed. Lockers must be emptied and locks removed at the end of each term.
- Money or valuables should be securely stored or left with staff for safe-keeping. The School will not be held responsible for any money or valuables lost or stolen from the school property.
- School property must not be damaged, disfigured or removed. Any damage to school property must be reported immediately to the relevant Head of School.
- Students may not interfere in any way with property belonging to others.
- Bicycles must be locked in the racks provided.
- Electronic equipment may be brought to school at own risk.
- Chewing gum is banned from the school grounds.

## RESTRICTED AREAS

In the interests of safety and hygiene and to prevent damage to the building or interference with the rights of others, certain areas of the School have a restricted use.

- Students must not remain in a classroom unless a teacher is present.
- Students may not eat food or consume drinks in the Library, IRC, Lecture Theatre, Technology Centre, Rock Centre, on stairs, on walkways, in classrooms, in the Green Hall, in the Music area or in the swimming pool. The only exception is water in clear plastic drink bottles in classes.
- There is no smoking in any of the school buildings.