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St Barnabas Independent School CODE OF CONDUCT: 2016



BEHAVIOUR		CONSEQUENCE
1.	Homework not done	Demerit Stay in at break or after school to complete homework
2.	Homework book, textbooks, notes etc. not available during lesson/self-study	1 Demerit Repeated offence – 2 demerits thereafter
3.	Late for school (unless late for a good reason and parent has called)	1 Demerit
4.	Disobeying an instruction from staff	1 – 3 Demerits Loss of break privilege (Grade 11-12)
5.	Leaving school without permission	Detention Loss of break privilege (Grade 11-12)
		(A second offence will result in a warning letter)
6.	Vandalising school property or equipment (including desks)	1-2 detentions and/or warning letter Replacement/repair of damaged property
		Continuous offences may result in expulsion and/or criminal charges.
7.	Disruptive behaviour/misbehaving in classroom	1 – 3 Demerits
	(Including shouting out, walking around, eating/drinking, forgetting to bring books to class etc.)	(Continued problematic behaviour may lead to Detention and Warning Letters)
8.	Tardiness/Lack of work ethic during self-studies	1 – 3 Demerits
		(Continued problematic behaviour may lead to Detention and Warning Letters)
9.	Littering	Immediate clean-up 2 Demerits
10.	Late for lessons without acceptable reason	2 Demerits
11.	Negatively affecting other learners with distracting behaviour	2 Demerits and/or removal from class and/or Detention
		(Continued problematic behaviour may lead to Warning Letters)
12.	Recurring negative attitude towards school, classwork and homework	2 Demerits Daily report Warning letter
		(Continued negative attitude may lead to suspension/expulsion)
13.	Rudeness to staff, visitors and other people at 19 Ennisdale Drive	3 – 6 Demerits And/or Warning Letter
14.	Swearing, including use of crude, suggestive language and behaviour	3 Demerits or 1 Detention or Warning Letter

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15.	Smoking cigarettes on the school property or in the vicinity of the school (approximately within a 1km radius) including possession of cigarettes, lighters, matches and any other combustible material.	2 Detentions Warning Letter		
16.	Failure to follow Dress Code or wear School Shirt Grades 8-11 are to wear school shirt everyday All Grades to wear school shirt for PE and any excursion/function outside of school	First offence – 1 Demerit and/or coveralls 2 nd offence – 2 Demerits and/or coveralls and/or learner may be sent home		
17.	No visible tattoos or piercings (including tongue rings) except for earrings.	Detention and a warning letter to remove/conceal said item Failure to comply will result in parents being called in and may result in may result in suspension or expulsion		
18.	No cellphones	Refer to School Cell Phone Policy		
19.	Electronic devices such as laptops, tablets and other related devices are not allowed unless approved by Principal	Confiscation (as per terms in School Cell Phone Policy)		
20.	Mp3 players with internet, video and/or camera functionality are not permitted. Regular Mp3 players which do not have the above internet/camera/video functionality are permitted but only with the permission of the relevant teacher. If the Mp3 player becomes a distraction then it may be	Confiscation of device (as per terms in School Cell Phone Policy)		
	disallowed.			
21.	Possession and/or consumption of alcohol or narcotic drugs on the school premises	IMMEDIATE EXPULSION		
22.	Testing positive in a Drug Test	Refer to School Drug Testing Policy		
23.	Use of school computers or Internet without permission or for non-school related purposes	3 Demerits		
24.	Eating/Drinking in Computer Room	2 Demerits		
25.	Leaving the classroom without permission (unless in an acceptable emergency)	3 Demerits		
26.	Bullying (Verbal, Emotional, Physical)	Refer to School Bullying Policy		
27.	Grade 11 and 12 may be in their homeroom during breaks – all other grades in Room 6 area unless it's raining. No class should be in another's homeroom	2 Demerits		
28.	Cheating in assessments (tests and exams)	Refer to school policy on the Integrity of Academic Work		
29.	Copying of homework and classwork	3 Demerits		
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