

Bishop Walsh Catholic School Code of Conduct



'Whatever it takes' commitment by students of Bishop Walsh Catholic School

I will uphold the Gospel Values and teachings of Jesus Christ

- I will be polite and respectful to staff and peers at all times
- I will show kindness to others
- I will be a model student upholding the school's outstanding reputation in our community (in and out of school)
- I will participate with reverence in religious services, mass and retreat days. I will receive a blessing in mass even if I am not a Catholic.

I will do WHATEVER IT TAKES to learn:

- I will always work, think, and behave in the best way I know how, and I will do whatever it takes for my Bishop Walsh peers and me to learn.
- I will aim for the best possible standards in my studies, both at home and in school.
- I will punctually attend all intervention or revision classes identified for me.
- I will arrive at school on time every day.
- I will seek help from my teacher in class or out of class if I do not understand something.
- I will complete all my home learning and I will contact my teachers if I have a problem with the home learning.
- I am responsible for my school username and passwords to access my emails and google classroom work.
- I will remain after school for a Home Learning Detention on any day that my home learning is not complete, not up to the required standard, or if I hand in my home learning late.
- I will remain after school for a Behaviour Detention on any day that my conduct contravenes the behaviour policy and school code of conduct.
- I will discuss any problems I am having at school with my parents and teachers.

I will do WHATEVER IT TAKES to build a respectful community:

- I am responsible for my own behaviour. I will develop care and respect for myself and others through the character education programme I complete during form time.
- I agree to abide by the Behaviour Policy and understand there will be consequences if I fail to do so.
- I will always treat everyone at school with respect. I will always listen to and care for my school peers.
- I will be honest and truthful if I have done something wrong. I understand that this goes a long way in accepting responsibility for my actions.
- I will wear my school uniform smartly every day.
- I understand that I am an ambassador for the school every time I wear my uniform. This includes outside of school.
- I will make my way to and from school safely, respecting the environment as I travel.
- I will only use social media platforms that are appropriate for my age. If my parents/guardian allows me to use these I will show other people respect and kindness.

I will remain SAFE in and out of school.

The designated safeguarding leads are

Mr Hamill (lead DSL), Miss Doyle, Mrs Chilwan, Mr Killworth, Miss Mannion, Miss Kemp, Ms Rogers, Miss Fraser and Mrs Cooney

If you are concerned about your own safety or wellbeing or that of another pupil you can approach any member of staff. You can also email any of the above staff, your form tutor or your Head of Year.

You should be aware that the issues raised will need to be passed onto the appropriate people but please rest assured that the sensitivity of any issue will be taken extremely seriously.