

**Dallas Brooks
Community P.S**

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PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT



Rationale:

Dallas Brooks Community Primary School (DBCPS) fosters an environment that is respectful and safe for our community. It aims to build a healthy, safe and respectful community. The community code ensures the values; vision and mission of DBCPS are respected as well as the DET values.

DBCPS recognises and values all members of the school community and acknowledges the value of the home-school partnership as very important in supporting every child's education.

Aims:

This code outlines the responsibilities of parents/guardians to promote appropriate and positive conduct and to prevent or minimise negative behaviours. This code recognises that parents/guardians/carers have a right to be treated with courtesy and dignity in a safe, secure and supportive environment free from bullying, harassment and discrimination.

Implementation:

Members of the school are expected to:

- work in partnership with the school to enhance the learning outcomes, wellbeing and conduct of their child/children
- support the school's values of (1) Everyone has the right to do as much work as possible and (2) Everyone has the right to feel safe and comfortable
- support staff in maintaining a safe , secure and respectful environment
- act appropriately on the grounds and premises of DBCPS and model high standards of appropriate behaviour for our children to observe
- not harass or threaten any staff , parents or students
- respect and comply with reasonable requests or directions of the principal, assistant principals or other staff members
- never confront another person's child about any issue

- maintain a friendly and courteous manner at all times
- recognise and support matters of confidentiality
- Seek advice about conflict resolution.

Sanctions available if the parent behaviour *is* threatening or abusive and disrupts the good order of the school or the safety of school community members may include:

- an oral warning or
- a written warning or
- the issue of a trespass warning notice, under Section 9 of the *Summary Offences Act, 1966*.

Evaluation:

This policy is to be read in conjunction with the complaints and grievances policy.

This policy was ratified on **Wednesday 19th June 2019**.