

Code of Conduct for BISP Parents and Community

We ask all community members to behave with **Respect, Compassion and Integrity**.

For security purposes, CCTV is in operation at all times on the school campus in certain locations.

To avoid disruption, Community Members are asked to obtain consent from relevant staff or the Principal, for all visits to classrooms or interactions with students (even your own children) during the school day. (8 am until the end of formal lessons)

Everyone, particularly in a school, has a duty to protect children from harm and respond to child abuse under the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child. Our policies and practices are aligned with our mission, vision, values and guiding statements. We believe that every child, regardless of age, has the right to be protected from any risk of harm and that well-being should be nurtured across the whole school community.

General Expectations:

Community members should:

- Treat everyone with respect, compassion and integrity
- Dress respectfully and avoid wearing any revealing or inappropriate clothing while on campus
- Limit your presence to public areas such as the Primary Foyer, MTB Foyer, and Bake, unless you have specific business elsewhere (e.g., picking up or dropping a student, attending an appointment, or participating in an event/activity)
- Refrain from initiating interactions with students during a standard school day, unless authorised by a teacher
- Abide by the [BISP Responsible Use Policy](#), when using technology
- Follow directions of staff and security in the event of an emergency
- Report any information related to Child Protection matters that you may come across to the Headmaster or our Designated Safeguarding Leads (Primary and Secondary Principals)

Security and Safety Expectations:

- Keep your BISP identification visible whilst in school
- Please ensure that your personal belongings are either with you or stored in a designated and secure location
- Only use toilets and changing rooms identified for adult use
- Avoid situations that could potentially lead to allegations of inappropriate or offensive conduct, such as unnecessary physical contact, using student facilities, or engaging in perceived private conversations with students

Photography and Filming:

Community members are welcome to take photographs of (and where appropriate, film) their own children taking part in school events subject to the following guidelines:

- Community members are asked not to take photographs of other students without the prior agreement of that student's parents, except incidentally as part of a group shot
- Only use the images for personal use and avoid sharing or publishing them on the internet, social media or in any public way
- Refrain from filming or taking photographs in restrooms, changing rooms, or any settings that are deemed inappropriate
- Use cameras and filming devices thoughtfully and respectfully towards others
- The school reserves the right to refuse or withdraw permission to film or take photographs

Feel free to reach out to a staff member for assistance or if you have any questions.