

# ST JAMES SCHOOL 5Cs

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## As a Community we will accept and support the 5 Cs.

<b>Care</b>	We care for ourselves, others, environment and property.
<b>Courtesy</b>	We are courteous towards others.
<b>Co-operation</b>	We share space, equipment and facilities equally.
<b>Communication</b>	We respect and follow instructions.
<b>Consideration</b>	We play and behave in a way that will not upset, harm or hurt ourselves or others.

### CARE

We act in a caring and thoughtful manner, feeling or showing care and compassion::

- we care for ourselves
  - keep ourselves healthy (food, drink, sleep, exercise)
  - do our best work
  - care about our appearance and wear our uniform with pride
  - act with integrity
  
- we are for others
  - sharing what we have
  - helping someone in need
  
- we care for our world (animals, environment, property)
  - walking around gardens
  - placing litter in the bin
  - keeping corridors, classrooms and work areas neat and tidy
  - turn off the taps after using them, switch off lights when leaving the room
  - recycle and reuse
  - use the toilets appropriately
  - we look after and return equipment
  - respect creation

### COURTESY

We are courteous, showing politeness in our behaviour and attitude towards others towards others:

- greeting and welcoming others
- using manners
- showing interest in others
- including others
- playing fairly
- having a positive attitude

## **COOPERATION**

We cooperate with each other in our work and play

- we share our ideas
- we value other people's ideas and opinions
- we share space, equipment and facilities equally
- we take turns

## **COMMUNICATION**

We communicate respectfully with each other:

- follow instructions
- speak respectfully to others
- listen actively to others
- use communication technologies appropriately (follow cyber safety rules)

## **CONSIDERATION**

We are respectful and thoughtful, considering the needs and feelings of others:

- make choices that do not upset, harm or endanger ourselves or others
- use initiative and see things that need to be done and do them
- do not throw sticks, stones or any objects
- do not swear, spit, fight, tease, harass or bully others

## **THROUGH UNDERSTANDING, ACCEPTING AND SUPPORTING THE 5CS STUDENTS:**

- play and behave in a way that promotes harmony, builds friendships and protects others, and us from harm / Hands off others
- give everyone a "fair go" at using the spaces and equipment; and use the facilities for their designed purposes
- follow the instructions of staff members co-operatively
- take care in those areas which could cause us, or others harm
- keep all areas, both inside and out, clean and tidy
- protect our natural environment from harm or interference
- remain within the bounds for safety and supervision
- create a learning community free from harassment and bullying (supported by the Bullying and Harassment Policy)
- encourage students to follow the S.A.F.E. grievance procedures:

## **GENERAL SAFETY**

**We stay away from the following Out of Bounds Areas:**

- staff room and offices (*permission required to enter*)
- all car parks
- other people's bags
- areas beyond school boundaries/fences
- inside buildings (recess and lunch)
- any roads
- all gardens
- behind the Hall, Church and Learning Centre