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## **CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS/VISITORS**

A code of conduct for parents and visitors ensures that everyone who visits the school site is able to do so in a safe and harmonious manner and to ensure that learners, staff, parents and other visitors are not subject to aggressive, hostile or violent behaviours.

Parents and visitors are expected to;

* Treat all persons associated with the school with respect and courtesy
* Ensure their child/children are punctual to class.
* Make appointments in advance of expecting to obtain an interview.
* Allow staff to supervise, investigate and manage learners without interference.
* Discuss issues or concerns about the school, staff or learnrers through the correct procedures.
* Follow school procedures governing entry and behaviour on school grounds, including any restrictions that may be imposed.

Any person contravening this code of conduct is advised that the provisions of the Enclosed Lands Protection Act (1901) and its amendments will be followed if any of the following occur:

* Actual physical assaults or threatened physical assaults on children, staff, parents or community members at the school or during the course of school activities.
* Behaviour in the presence of children, staff, parents or other visitors to the school that causes alarm or concern to the children, staff, parents or other visitors.
* Use of offensive language (ie swearing) in the presence of children, staff or other visitors to the school.
* Any interruption to the learning environment of the school such as entering classrooms without permission.

**Confidentiality is of prime concern. Parents and volunteers are not to discuss any information they obtain at school with anybody, other than the classroom teacher or Principal.**

Your co-operation is sought and appreciated in maintaining a safe and happy school. For together we make a great school even better.