






"Strive for the Heights"

Student Code of Conduct

At Watsonia Heights Primary School the school values form the base of the Student Code of Conduct.

The school values are:

-  Respect, Tolerance and Cooperation
-  Honestly, Integrity and Equality
-  Good Manners and Work Habits

Values	What this means to us	This is evident when
Respect Tolerance Cooperation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being respectful of others regardless of culture, gender, race or religion • Thinking first before acting • Listening to and valuing other people's opinions • The right to be treated and valued as an individual and the responsibility to value others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I am considerate of the feelings, rights and opinions of others regardless of gender, culture, race and religion • I treat all people fairly • I use people's names and look at them when addressing them • I ask before taking or using property • I speak politely to others • I don't use put downs • I will endeavor to solve my own problems and conflict in a calm, rational manner • I will wear the school uniform • I will move about the school in an orderly manner, both quietly and carefully
Honesty Integrity Equality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being independent • Taking responsibility for your own actions • Accepting myself • Being truthful and trustworthy • Acting responsibly so that others can trust and count on us • Being able to say what we feel, taking care not to hurt the feelings of others • Playing by the rules • To be treated and treat others in a fair and equal manner • Being able to participate and join in classroom and playground activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I tell the truth about a situation. • I own up when I do the wrong thing • I don't tell gossip about others • I think for myself and encourage others to do the same • I ask before borrowing equipment • I hand in property when it is found • I treat others the way I would like to be treated • I invite others into my games and activities • I will treat my own and others property with respect

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The right to use the same school equipment and resources as other students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I share materials and resources with others and use them responsibly • I abide by the school rules and expectations when playing games with my friends • I am a role model for other children
Good Manners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social courtesies • Recognise we have a social responsibility to be courteous and thoughtful • The right to work and play in a safe, secure environment without interference or disturbance • Appreciating the things we do at school, having fun and being positive and enthusiastic • To be treated in a fair and compassionate manner 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I treat and support others in a fair and compassionate way • I am polite, courteous and well mannered to others • I acknowledge the efforts and achievements of others • I actively participate in all school activities • I know the people who are able to help and support me • I play safely in the yard • I help others achieve their goals as well as my own • I allow other people to work without interruption
Work Habits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Setting goals • Being organized • Developing persistence • Developing the 'I can do it' approach • Accepting challenges • Doing the very best we can in all situations • Not giving up when faced with tasks that are difficult • Displaying confidence • Utilise my time effectively 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I believe in my ability to do well • I am prepared to have a go even though I may not succeed • I persist with tasks even when things are hard • I keep trying to practice skills in order to improve my learning • I accept that I may find some things difficult • I accept that I may not always be the best at something • I will keep my parents informed of school activities