

CODE OF CONDUCT

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Our Code of Conduct acts as an overarching guide for behaviour in the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School. It is designed to give students an understanding of the community expectations in relation to behaviour. The Code of Conduct is summarised in the "5C's":

- **Courtesy**
- **Consideration**
- **Commitment**
- **Care**
- **Commonsense**

This Code of Conduct applies to all students while they are attending Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School and/or school-related activities. At any time students are wearing the school uniform, be it before, during or after school hours, they are expected to uphold this code. Failure to do this will result in the consequences outlined in the policy. The following table provides examples of Positive Behaviours and sample practices which support our Code of Conduct.

APPLICATION OF THE CODE

Code – Explanation	Positive Behaviours and Sample Practices
Courtesy – At all times, members of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School community will strive to show courtesy and respect toward each other.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Speak with others in a positive and friendly manner – treat others with understanding, respect and politeness.• Avoid aggressive and/or threatening language/behaviour towards others.• Arrive at class prepared and on time.• Contribute to a pleasant classroom and Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School environment.• Avoid inappropriate physical contact.
Consideration – Members of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School community will work with each other to provide a supportive and safe school environment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use appropriate language, tone and gestures when communicating with others.• Keep classroom rules.• Follow directions the first time they are given.• Allow others the chance to speak and express opinions.• Use language that encourages others – no 'put-downs'.• Allow everyone to learn by refraining from distracting others.• Cooperate with others

<p>Commitment – All members of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School community will be committed to a school environment where learning and service are valued.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrive at all activities on time. • Attempt all classwork to the best of ability. • Make sure lessons proceed smoothly. • Keep up-to-date with work. • Complete and hand-in homework, projects, etc by the due date. • Bring all necessary equipment to class. • Take responsibility for own actions. • Celebrate the achievements of oneself and others. • Look for opportunities to serve Faith Lutheran College, Redlands.
<p>Care – All members of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School community should care about their school and others.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Behave and dress in a manner which will bring credit to the individual and the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School. • Care about the school environment - keep the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School grounds clean, serviceable and attractive. • Look after the property of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School and students by not damaging, destroying or stealing others belongings. • Treat others as one would like to be treated.
<p>Commonsense – All members of the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School community should exercise commonsense to provide a safe school environment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remember to STOP and THINK before DOING. • Move around the school buildings in a quiet and orderly manner – walk, don't run. • Resolve conflicts in a fair and peaceful (non-violent) way – "Hands off other people and their property". • Implement the FAITH HIGH FIVE • Observe the safe working requirements which apply during practical lessons eg visual art, physical education, science. • Make the Faith Lutheran College, Redlands Junior School safe by not threatening or hurting anyone in any way.