

# **Jarrahdale Primary School**

#### **GOOD STANDING POLICY**

#### **RATIONALE**

The Good Standing Policy is a supporting document to the 'Positive Management of Student Behaviour Policy'. Good Standing provides a positive system that assists students to maintain a satisfactory level of attendance, behaviour and engagement. This policy aims to assist students to 'strive for success' by maintaining a focus on the key factors of success and encouraging the development of responsibility in students, for their actions and educational outcomes.

## **GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

- 1. 'Good Standing' monitoring period is termly and is reset at the start of each term.
- 2. Students who lose their 'Good Standing' status do not get to participate in extra-curricular activities until they regain 'Good Standing'. These activities include PBS Celebrations, camps, social functions and Interschool events.
- 3. Parents/Caregivers are contacted if their child is not eligible to participate in a school activity due their 'Good Standing'.
- 4. If a Student Councillor or Faction Captain loses their 'Good Standing', they will lose their badge and their right to represent the school for a five-week period.
- 5. 'Good Standing' does not apply to participation in the school Faction Athletics & Cross Country which are mandatory for all students.

#### TO MAINTAIN GOOD STANDING STUDENTS MUST:

- Comply with Jarrahdale Primary School's Positive Management of Student Behaviour Policy;
- Adhere to the Jarrahdale Primary School *Attendance Policy*;
- Adhere to the Jarrahdale Primary School *Dress Code Policy*.

# LOSING 'GOOD STANDING'

There are multiple ways a student can lose their 'Good Standing', which can be a combination of consequences below:

- 1. Suspension (immediate loss of 'Good Standing')
- 2. Detention (x 5)
- 3. Withdrawal to Reflection Class (x 10)
- 4. Students who do not wear the correct school uniform (x 5)
- 5. Students will immediately lose the privilege to participate in activities where the safety of other students is a concern
- 6. At staff discretion.

## **REGAINING 'GOOD STANDING'**

'Good Standing' is reset at the start of each term.

It is important to note that these are guidelines and if:-

- there are extenuating circumstances that have resulted in the negative behaviours
- a student has specials needs
- a significant period of positive behaviour since the previous negative behaviour

then, these factors may be taken into account and any decision to withdraw or maintain 'Good Standing' will be at the discretion of the Principal.

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