



Whanganui Girls' College

Student Code of Conduct Contract

Whanganui Girls' College aims to provide quality education appropriate to the needs of each student. To achieve this aim we require each student to participate fully in the life of the school and to take advantage of the many educational opportunities offered. It also requires a degree of co-operation within the school community formalised through a code of conduct which is outlined below and is based on the four R's - rights, responsibilities, rules and routines.

We recognise some RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES which we all have	
Rights All students and teachers have a right : 1. to learn and teach without being disrupted 2. to be treated courteously 3. to work in a safe environment 4. to feel proud of their school	Responsibilities All students and teachers have a responsibility : 1. to listen to others without disrupting 2. to treat others courteously 3. not to endanger or bully such as swearing, verbal, physical threats or abuse 4. to act in ways that build good relationships 5. to not racially or sexually harass others

School Rules	
Standard of behaviour- I agree to: 1. behave with courtesy, consideration and social responsibility 2. not smoke while at school or travelling to or from school in school uniform, associate with smokers or use bad language 3. not to bring to school and/or consume while at school alcohol, illegal drugs or solvents 4. respect school property and that of others 5. pay for any wilful damage 6. not bully, intimidate, abuse verbally or physically 7. respect the environment by keeping it litter and graffiti free 8. not transport other students in my car if I am driving on a restricted licence 9. not post anything on any social media sites which will potentially disadvantage the reputation of Whanganui Girls' College	Classroom routines - I agree to: 1. be on time to classes 2. bring necessary books and equipment 3. obey staff instructions 4. complete set work and homework 5. not to be disruptive to others' learning 6. comply with all of the requirements of the College's Acceptable Use policy whenever I am using the school's Internet or email facilities.
Attendance - I agree to: 1. attend regularly 2. bring a dated note following an absence	Leave, during school hours I agree to: 1. leave the school only with a lunch pass or for dental, medical and other appointments 2. sign in and out at the Help Desk
Uniform - I agree to: 1. wear uniform as described in the current uniform code 2. bring a note and apply for a uniform permit if there is a problem with uniform	Jewellery & Make-up - I agree to abide by the rules which are: 1. sensible hair style and unobtrusive make-up are allowed, clear nail varnish only, no rings, bracelets, necklaces, other jewellery 2. a maximum of two pairs of ear studs (only 2 per ear) are permitted. No nose, eyebrow lip or other visible body piercing are allowed, nor are plasters that conceal them. 3. Taonga or a plain religious symbol are allowed if worn next to the skin and are not visible.

- I understand the above **rights** and **responsibilities** that I have as a student at this school.
- I agree to obey the **rules** of this school.
- I understand that I must follow the **routines** of the school in order to make the most of my learning opportunities here.
- I accept that there will be **consequences** if my behaviour does not meet the school's standards.

I, _____ have read and understood the Whanganui Girls' College code of conduct and agree to follow the rules during my years at the College. They apply to me when I am at school, in school uniform or on a school activity.

Student _____ (signed) Date _____

I agree to support _____ in her endeavour to follow these rules, to accept her responsibilities, to do her best to get on with the other students in the school and to fit in with the way things are done.

Parent/caregivers _____
(Signed)

Principal _____
(Signed)