Melaleuca Park Primary School

Our vision: that everyone will achieve their potential as learners.

Behaviour Code

Developed August 2015.

Rationale

Each member of the school community is responsible for the behaviour they choose. Often people respond in ways they have learnt. The adults within our school community have the responsibility to model appropriate behaviours and work together to support children in developing their learning of behaviour (their actions and responses) and social contexts.

An effective student behaviour learning and development program is not simply a matter of policing a set of rules. Rather it is developing a sense of mutual respect within all relationships; between students, staff and parents / care givers. Having children develop positive attitudes to relationships and learning is fundamental to a successful educational program.

Our school is committed to the core values of Respect and Hope; these underpin our code.

Rights and Responsibilities

All members of our school community are taught to take responsibility for themselves and their actions. They are expected to uphold the rights and responsibilities outlined below.

At Melaleuca Park Primary School:

**RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS**

We have the right to belong to a supportive and inclusive community and for our opinions and beliefs to be acknowledged.

It is my responsibility to value and respect others by modelling, interacting and treating others in a kind and fair manner.

**LEARNING**

We have the right to learn.

It is my responsibility to enable teaching and learning experiences that ensure everybody achieves their full potential.

**SAFETY**

We have the right to be and feel safe within the physical, emotional and mental spaces that form our community.

It is my responsibility to behave in a safe manner and to manage problems without abuse or violence.