

## Governors' Behaviour Code

**At Stanley Park High we have high expectations for the behaviour of all our students and this will be achieved through developing positive attitudes based on mutual respect.**

**The following rules must be followed in order to create a positive community**

<b>ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR</b>		
	<b>Rule</b>	<b>Sanction</b>
<b>Chewing Gum</b>	Chewing gum is banned from the school site.	Students caught bringing or chewing gum on the school site will be given a community service involving the picking up of litter.
<b>Swearing</b>	Use of foul language is unacceptable in school, either from student to teacher or from student to student.	Students who are heard swearing can expect serious action to be taken. This will almost certainly result in a fixed term exclusion.
<b>Smoking</b>	Smoking to, from and during school and bringing cigarettes and lighters/matches to school are all infringements of the school rules. Those associating themselves with smokers will be treated in the same manner.	Cigarettes and lighters will be confiscated and offered back to parents if they wish to come to school to collect. The first offence will result in a school detention and a clear warning that any repetition will be treated as defiance. 1 day's internal exclusion will be the punishment for any further incidents.
<b>Eating food inappropriately</b>	At lunch time all food must be consumed sitting down in the Canteen. Food must never be eaten during lesson times. Students bringing packed lunches must consume these in the Canteen.	Students will be asked to pick up litter if they disobey this rule.
<b>Theft from Canteen</b>	Theft from the Canteen will not be tolerated.	Anyone found to be stealing from the canteen will be reported to the police and will be prosecuted.
<b>Alcohol and illegal substances</b>	Bringing alcohol or illegal substances onto the school site is forbidden. It presents a risk to other students and staff. Any student suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol on the school site will be sent home immediately while further investigations take place.	Any infringements of this rule will be treated extremely seriously, and exclusion from school is very likely. Parents will always be informed immediately if anything of this nature takes place.
<b>Graffiti</b>	Students are not allowed to graffiti on or in school property. This includes exercise books and folders.	Students who graffiti can expect serious action to be taken. In some cases this will certainly result in a fixed term exclusion.
<b>Bullying</b>	No form of bullying is tolerated in school.	Students who bully others can expect serious action to be taken. A range of sanctions are available up to permanent exclusion.
<b>Racism</b>	No form of racism is tolerated in school.	Students who are racist to others can expect serious action to be taken. A range of sanctions are available up to permanent exclusion.
<b>Fighting</b>	Students are not allowed to engage in any form of physical violence.	Students who engage in physical violence can expect serious action to be taken. This will almost certainly result in a fixed term exclusion.
<b>Knives/Offensive weapons</b>	Students are not allowed to bring knives or other offensive weapons to school.	Students who bring knives or other offensive weapons to school will be permanently excluded. In all cases the police will be informed.
<b>Spitting</b>	Spitting is not acceptable in school. It is unhygienic, disgusting and presents a health risk.	Students should not spit at any time on school premises. Students will be asked to pick up litter if they disobey this rule.

<b>PERSONAL ITEMS</b>		
<b>Mobile Phones and other personal electrical items</b>	All personal electrical items, including mobile phones, CD players and iPods are banned from the school site and must not be transported to school.	Any personal electrical items brought onto the school site will be confiscated and placed in the school safe. These will be held for a period of a minimum of seven days. Parents must arrange to collect items by telephone after this minimum time limit.  If any of these items are stolen whilst on school premises, please be aware that we will not investigate but will pass the details to our attached Police Officer.
<b>Wearing of jewellery</b>	The only jewellery permitted is a wrist watch and one small plain round gold or silver stud in the lobe of each ear.	Any additional items brought onto the school site will be confiscated and placed in the school safe. These will be held for a period of a minimum of seven days. Parents must arrange to collect items by telephone after this minimum time limit.
<b>Body Piercing</b>	The only piercing permitted is a single small plain round gold or silver stud in the lobe of each ear.	Students who have any other piercing are NOT permitted to have a plaster over them while they heal up. Students who disobey this rule will be asked to remain at home until the piercing is removed.
<b>Make Up including coloured nail varnish</b>	The wearing of make up, false nails or coloured nail varnish is not allowed.	Students wearing make up, false nails or coloured nail varnish will be asked to remove it.
<b>TRAVELLING TO AND FROM SCHOOL</b>		
<b>Travelling to and from school</b>	All of the above rules apply when travelling to and from school.	
<b>Cycles</b>	Students may cycle to school and use the cycle racks to store their bikes. Students must bring a cycle helmet. They must also ensure the bike is in a roadworthy condition.	If any of the conditions are breached the right to ride a bicycle to school will be withdrawn.
<b>Use of Public Transport</b>	Students are expected to behave appropriately and with consideration for other members of the public whilst travelling to and from school including the use of public transport.	Students who bring the school into disrepute through inappropriate behaviour whilst travelling to and from school will be subject to the same sanctions that exist in school. This will include fixed term and permanent exclusions.

We expect all students to work hard, achieve their best and enjoy learning

All students must:

- Be on time to learn
- Be correctly dressed for work
- Be prepared for learning
- Be safe
- Be respectful

If a student disrupts the learning of others they will receive a sanction and may be removed from the lesson.

If a student is removed because of poor behaviour they will be given a one hour detention at the end of the school day and must positively resolve the issue with the teacher.