

Wakari School Board of Trustees
CODE OF CONDUCT (STAFF) POLICY
Revised: April 2010



PURPOSE

To develop and maintain a positive, respectful and safe school environment.

CODE OF CONDUCT – STAFF

A staff member of this school in carrying out their duties will:

- Focus on the needs of the children and their learning is paramount
- Demonstrate a commitment to the belief that each student is of equal value and is entitled to an education, which respects each student's dignity, rights and individuality.
- Demonstrate a commitment to the belief that students are entitled to an education, which challenges them to achieve personal standards of excellence and to reach their full potential.
- Abide by any statutory obligations.
- Act in accordance with the School's Charter.
- Respect the integrity of other staff, Boards of Trustees, parents and students.
- Demonstrate a commitment to continuing personal and professional growth and development.
- Work co-operatively with other school staff.
- Ensures that students are in a safe physical environment free from physical / psychological and sexual abuse.
- Resolve conflict in a collaborative / non-confrontational manner.
- Respect confidentiality of information gained from participation in the school community.
- Work actively to uphold the image of the school in the wider community.
- Teachers must abide by any code of ethics / practice that governs the profession.

EFFECTIVENESS REVIEW

- 1 This policy will be reviewed by the board in accordance with its triennial programme of self-review.
- 2 The board will make its review report available to parents and staff.

Board Chairperson

Date