1.0 IN THE CLASSROOM

Across Years 7 – 12 three clear but simple rules apply in all classrooms. These are rules that you are expected to follow at all times:

1.0.1 Follow directions
1.0.2 Be on time and be prepared for class
1.0.3 One person speaks at a time

1.1 Rewards

When you choose to follow these rules, you will be rewarded in three main ways:

1.1.1 Praise
1.1.2 Positive notes and phone calls home
1.1.3 Certificates and awards

1.2 Consequences*

When you choose not to follow these rules, the following consequences may apply:

1.2.1 Warning
1.2.2 Brief detention (at the next break immediately following the lesson)
   Removal from class
   A one-hour after school detention

1.3 Removal from Class

Once: Note in diary
Twice: Phone call to parents from subject teacher
Third Time: Meeting with Head of Faculty, Head of School, subject teacher and parent

Severe Clause: Removal from class.
In cases of severe misbehaviour or disruption, such as fighting, vandalism, defying a teacher, or stopping the entire class from functioning, students will be automatically removed from class, losing the right to proceed through the hierarchy of consequences. A senior member of staff will make contact with parents.

*Corporal punishment – Please see statement at the end of this document.

2.0 IN THE PLAYGROUND
2.1 **Rules**

2.1.1 Wear your hat when not in full shade of a building eg Canteen area or verandah
2.1.2 Put rubbish in the bins
2.1.3 Follow direction
2.1.4 No chewing gum
2.1.5 No Running on concrete

2.2 **Consequences**

2.2.1 Reminder / warning about rules
2.2.2 Sent to the Lunch Detention room (C1)
2.2.3 Given a bag to clean up rubbish until the recess or lunch session finishes.

Severe Clause: Serious infringements, e.g. fighting, violence, abuse, harassment – student removed immediately from playground and sent to Student Administration where the matter will be addressed by a senior member of staff.

3.0 **HOW YOU LOOK**

3.1 **Rules**

3.1.1 Wear uniform correctly - please note the difference between this and “wear correct uniform”. (PE uniform is not to be worn to and from school except on Thursdays).
3.1.2 Jewellery - students may wear a wristwatch; earrings (girls only) – only one plain gold or silver stud to be worn in each ear lobe. A thin chain with a small cross or crucifix can also be worn.
3.1.3 Hair - must be kept clear of the face and always clean and tidy in appearance. Only conventional cuts are allowed. There are to be no extremes of colour, style or length; Girls with shoulder length hair must tie it back with a navy blue ribbon, navy blue headband, navy blue scrunchie or a school tartan scrunchie. Girls in Years 9-12 may substitute red for the navy blue.
3.1.4 Boys must be clean shaven.
3.1.5 The length of a girls skirt is to be no shorter than the top of the knee. (The skirt at its shortest must be touching the knee-cap)

3.2 **Consequences**

Minor

3.2.1 Reminder warning about rules
3.2.2 Issued with a C1 lunch time detention

Severe

3.2.3 Issued with an after school detention
3.2.4 Parents informed by letter of infringement and the expectation as per the enrolment agreement that their child will abide by uniform expectations
3.2.5 Suspension from class / school until the infringement has been corrected

*Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School expressly forbids the use of corporal punishment for the enforcement of discipline of the students by staff of the School. Lindisfarne Anglican Grammar School does not explicitly or implicitly sanction the administering of corporal punishment by non-school persons, including parents, to enforce discipline at the School.*

Education Act 1990 No: 8 – Definition of Corporal Punishment
Corporal punishment of a student means the application of physical force in order to punish or correct the student, but does not include the application of force only to prevent personal injury to, or damage to or the destruction of property of, any person (including the student).

**POLICY ADMINISTRATION**

This Policy will be reviewed periodically, or in the event of any information or incident that indicates the need for a review, or following relevant legislative or organisational change.

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