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## College Bus Agreement

Disruptive actions of students on the bus can affect the ability of the driver to concentrate and compromises the safety of the journey.

By following the expectations listed below, students will be helping to ensure a comfortable, pleasant, and safe ride for all travelling on the bus.

Respect other people and property.

- Respect other people and their possessions.
- Follow the bus driver's directions without argument.
- Do not interfere with bus property, equipment, or signs by marking or damaging them. Parents will be asked to pay for any damage done by their child.

Wait for the bus in an orderly manner.

- Be punctual.
- Wait well back from the bus until it stops.
- Stand quietly without calling out or shouting.
- Be patient and avoid pushing.

While on the bus, students behave in an appropriate manner.

- Always follow instructions from the driver.
- Sit properly in the allocated seat.
- Wear a seatbelt at all times.
- Remain seated while the bus is moving (no moving around).
- Speak quietly to avoid unnecessary noise.
- Be courteous to other passengers.
- Store belongings under the seat or in an appropriate luggage area.

Students must not:

- Place feet on the seats.
- Throw any article around, in or from the bus.
- Consume food or drink on the bus.
- Allow any part of their body to protrude out of the bus windows.

When leaving the bus, do so in an orderly manner.

- Wait until the bus stops before standing to get off.
- Check for fallen loose items, i.e. purse/wallet, camera, litter/rubbish, etc.
- Leave the bus in a quiet and orderly manner.
- Follow teacher/staff member directions.
- Say "thank you" to the driver when leaving the bus.

**In case of an emergency or a breakdown, follow the driver's instructions.**

### Mobile Data Connectivity

Students are permitted to have one electronic device when travelling to and from the College. Prep to Year 4 students must not have data connectivity for their device and older students are not permitted to share their internet connection (Hotspot, WiFi, Bluetooth etc.) with other students' devices. All mobile phones and devices are to be handed in to Reception on arrival at the College, (if not handed to the bus driver when leaving the bus) and can be collected before boarding the bus to go home. The College accepts no responsibility for lost, damaged or stolen devices.

We agree to abide by the expectations set out in this document

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_