

SATIT PRASARNMIT INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME

Behaviour Policy

At Satit Prasarnmit International Programme (SPIP), we believe that in order to enable teaching and learning to take place, desired behaviour in all aspects of school life is necessary. Students must be accountable for their actions and must be responsible for conducting themselves properly in a manner that upholds the ethos of the school. As they mature into young adults they must learn to follow the guidelines contained within this document and will be asked to explain any deviations within their behaviour. Consultations with the tutor teacher or the subject teachers will first be undertaken. At any time the school feels it appropriate, parents will be called in to be informed of the misdemeanours. Throughout this policy, the main goal of SPIP is to create an inclusive caring, learning environment to be enjoyed by all. Ensuring our students feel secure and in which staff and parents feel at ease.

We hope to achieve the desired behaviour outcomes by:

- Promoting desired behaviour and discipline
- Promoting self-esteem, self-discipline, proper regard for authority and positive relationships based on mutual respect.
- Creating an environment that encourages and reinforces good behaviour.
- Ensuring equality and fairness of treatment of all
- Encouraging consistency of response to both positive and negative behaviour.
- To ensure that the school's expectations and strategies are widely known and understood.
- Promoting early intervention
- To encourage all parties involved in behavioural management to be key players in the process. This includes staff, management and parents.

Every student is unique and we need to not only acknowledge this but also celebrate it at SPIP. They bring with them a variety of behaviour patterns based on differences in home values, culture, religion and parenting skills. We must, therefore, work towards standards based on the basic principles of honesty, respect, consideration as well as responsibility.



Roles of all stakeholders at SPIP:

It is not only students who have to be responsible, but responsibility also needs to be held within the key adults. These influences need to be nurtured and positively encouraged. Their roles can be outlined as follows:

- Create a positive climate with realistic expectations.
- Emphasise the importance of being valued as an individual within the group.
- Promote, through example, honesty and courtesy
- Provide a caring and effective learning environment.
- Encourage relationships based on kindness, respect and understanding of the needs of others.
- Ensure fair treatment for all regardless of age, gender, race, religion, ability or disability.
- Show appreciation of the efforts and contributions of all.

In order to achieve the above, there are certain roles and responsibilities that are placed on adults. These include:

- The Head of Student Support and Wellbeing, Key Stage Leaders, subject teachers and class tutors will be responsible for the behavioural policy implementation.
- All school staff members academic or administrative are responsible for ensuring that the policy is consistently applied and its procedures are followed.
- Mutual support amongst all staff in the implementation of the policy is essential.
 Staff members have a key role to play in advising Senior and Middle Management on the effectiveness of the policy and procedures and thus will help to review the policy from time to time.
- All teachers have the responsibility for creating a high quality learning environment, teaching positive behaviour for learning and implementing the agreed policy and procedures consistently.
- Parents or guardians will be expected, encouraged and supported to take responsibility for the behaviour of the student both inside and outside the school.
- The school will encourage parents to work in partnership with the school to assist in maintaining high standards of the desired behaviour and will be actively encouraged to rise with the school and matters/issues arising from the operation of the policy document.



 Finally, students are also expected to take responsibility for their own behaviour and will be made fully aware of the school's policy, procedures and expectations.
 Students will also be encouraged to take responsibility for their social and learning environment making it both safe and enjoyable by reporting all undesirable behaviour.

Application of the Policy

The procedures arising from this policy will be developed by the Student Support and Wellbeing Team in consultation with the staff. The procedures will make clear to students what the expectations are of them at school, and how acceptable behaviour can be achieved. The procedures will be monitored by the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing and Key Stage Leaders to ensure they are consistently and fairly applied. As a school we will endeavour to impress upon the students the importance of personal responsibility and that every member of the school has a responsibility towards the greater community.

Guidelines:

Rules and expectations are worded positively to remind students what is expected of them. Where necessary, reasons are given especially when Health and Safety need to be understood.

School Rules	Class Rules
 We are caring and thoughtful towards one another, ready to listen carefully and speak politely. We walk about the school looking where we are going and being mindful of others. We use quiet voices inside the school building. We take care of the building, shared areas, equipment and each other's work. We do not use inappropriate language when we are at school. We make sure that we are always wearing the correct uniform. 	 English Only Listen and Respect Others Be Prepared to Start Complete all work to the best of your ability Keep the room safe, tidy and pleasant

Sanctions:

Sanctions are needed to respond to undesirable behaviour. The person delivering the sanction needs to be sure that the sanction chosen will be able to redefine the undesired behaviour. The purpose of a sanction is not solely punitive but also to facilitate behavioural change.



When applying sanctions the school needs to take into account such factors as past history of the misbehaviour, circumstances under which the behaviour occurred, the age and year group of the students as well as other factors which could be perceived as being relevant. Misbehaviour which represents breaches of the Code of Conduct is classified according to the levels of severity and those listed are examples of misbehaviour at each level.

Sanctions can be divided into both positive and negative. SPIP runs a house-point system whereby students are rewarded for positive behaviour. This may include, but not only, any special academic, sporting or personal achievements that go beyond the normal expectations of the students.

Positive reinforcement is used for:

- Praising students when they see good behaviour
- To tell students clearly what is expected of them
- Students will remember what is being asked of them
- Rules are consistent, fair and will be kept
- Rules will be regularly reviewed with staff and students
- Responsibilities and expectations will be matched to individuals and their development
- Staff will regularly inform students' parents of exemplary behaviour as well as achievements
- When students have worked hard to support others, in or out of school, they will be commended. This can be done either on a report or at an assembly.

Contrary to the positive sanctions, students can also receive demerits on their House Points. These may be issued for minor infractions for specifically related incidences.

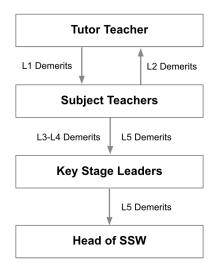
Discipline Procedures

All unwarranted behaviour by students will be logged as demerits on Schoolbase under the student's name. These will be checked regularly by the Key Stage Leaders.

Teachers will be required to mark it on Schoolbase indicating a cause and effect; with the opportunity to provide more information in the notes box for clarity. Furthermore, they must follow the reporting procedures as follows.



Figure 1.1 Reporting Behaviour



Level 1: (Accumulative)

 Tutor teacher will monitor uniform policy each day and ensure student is off of their devices and prepared to learn. Subject teachers need not notify tutors of L1 demerits.

Level 2: Notify Tutor through SchoolBase

 Subject teacher will notify tutors of any L2 infractions and keep student for short detention in their free time. Tutor will talk with student about behaviour the following day.

Level 3: Notify SSW through SchoolBase

 KSL will speak with the student and SSW will keep them for a 30-minute detention on Fridays.

Level 4: Notify SSW & Message Key Stage Leader directly

 KSL will pull student from classes when available - instant 45-minute detention.

Level 5 (and L4 emergencies): Notify SSW Team immediately

 Available SSW team member will come remove student from class. Parents will be called into school and appropriate action will be applied.

As illustrated in Figure 1.1 all Level 1 and 2 demerits are the responsibility of the subject teacher and tutors unless it is consistently repeated. Tutors will monitor uniform policy for subject teachers and subject teachers will notify tutors of Level 2 demerits occurring in the classroom. Student Support and Wellbeing will monitor these accumulated sanctions on a weekly basis. Key Stage Leaders can develop a holistic view of whether the behaviour is isolated to one subject or across each Department. Consistent bad behaviour may lead to Key Stage Leaders contacting the parents via school email system and Schoolbase to request support from home.

Figure 1.1 illustrates how a staff member should report repeated misbehaviour in class, but in the case of a Level 3 demerit you must notify Student Support and Wellbeing when reporting the incident on Schoolbase. Tutors should also be notified about these infractions as it will aid in redirecting behaviours.

In the case of a Level 4 and Level 5 demerits, you must make immediate contact with the Student Support and Wellbeing Team; and Key Stage Leaders so that the incident can be addressed immediately.



Figure 1.1 illustrates that in the case of a Level 5 demerit, the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing will call the parents into school and have a discussion about behaviour plans to be implemented.

All staff members at SPIP are responsible for the fair running of the Behavioural Policy. This system will regularly be monitored. Staff members not abiding by the policy will be subject to the Staff Code of Conduct.

School Sanctions & Behaviour Monitoring

Tutor Behaviour Meeting (verbal only):

Subject Teachers must notify Class Tutors when distributing Level 2 demerits. Class Tutors will be required to verbally address the infraction with the student in an attempt to redirect behaviour and move toward re-teaching the desired behaviour. The discussion is to occur no later than the following day. This will be done as a preventative measure against holding the student for detention periods.

In-School Detention (ISD):

Only members of the Student Support and Wellbeing Team or Senior Management Team are allowed to issue ISDs. This will only be done under extreme circumstances and must reflect the behaviour found in Level 4 & Level 5 demerits.

After School Detention (ASD):

ASDs will run out of school time and will be an extension of the school day. There will be several levels to the demerits accumulated by students, and the level will dictate the degree of punishment. There are five stages:

- Stage 1: 5 Demerits Tutor Behaviour Meeting.
- Stage 2: 10 Demerits 45-minute detention on a Friday + a counselling session.
- Stage 3: 15 Demerits 1-hour detention on a Friday + a Daily Behaviour Report.
- Stage 4: 20 Demerits 1-hour detention and a meeting with the Head of SSW.
- Stage 5: 25 Demerits 1-hour detention and a parent consultation to discuss strategies for the student's behaviour.

Detentions will be entered into the student's file on the Schoolbase and their parents will be contacted. Key Stage Leaders will use the Schoolbase email system to inform their parents at least 24 hours in advance. If a student is non-cooperative during detention, the detention



will be repeated and moved onto the stage above. If a student skips detention, they will be issued an additional Level 3 demerit for not attending, and automatically moved onto the stage above regardless of their current tally.

Tutor Behaviour Meeting (written form):

Stage 1 is reached when a student attains multiple Level 1 and Level 2 infractions, totalling 5 demerits within a fixed period of time. Under this first stage, students will be required to sit down with their tutor in a formal setting to discuss their behaviour. Their tutor will fill out a Tutor Behaviour Meeting Form outlining goals and targets for the student, as well as the student's concerns, to assess if a counselling session is appropriate. Tutors must return this documented meeting to their Key Stage Leader for review.

Counsellor Meeting:

Stage 2, the attainment of 10 demerits within a fixed period, will result in a 45-minute ASD as well as a referral to the School Guidance Counsellor. If there was a counselling session as a result of the Stage 1 Tutor Behaviour Meeting, this will be taken into consideration. Counsellor Meetings are mandatory after having reached Stage 2.

Daily Behaviour Report:

Where it is felt necessary to monitor a student's performance or behaviour over a period of time and during every lesson an daily report will be issued. Students will be expected to report to a member of staff at the beginning of each day to monitor their behaviour and ensure the report is complete from the previous day. Behaviour Report is a way in which the school can monitor a student's behaviour for a fixed period of time.

Behaviour Reports will be issued upon the following actions:

- Stage 3: attain 15 demerits within a fixed period of time
- Stage 4: attain 20 demerits within a fixed period of time

Students will be assigned targets that they must meet during all lessons. At the beginning of each lesson, the student must remind teachers that they are on Behaviour Report. The teacher will then have to comment on the student's academic contribution and behaviour whilst in class and note whether the goals set for the student have been achieved. The teacher must do this at the end of each lesson with the student present. It must be a consultation between teacher and student. The following should be discussed;



- Student's targets and if they were achieved.
- In the cases where targets have not been achieved the teacher should explain what improvements need to be made in the next lesson.
- Comment on a report completed in the presence of the student

Students will discuss their reports with their Class Tutor, Key Stage Leaders and the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing. This process will be monitored and the student will only be removed from the report if it is felt that their behaviour and/or academic progress has been satisfactory.

It must be noted that the daily report is not a negative sanction, but merely a way to monitor progress and the achievement of specific academic and/or behavioural targets, working towards a positive outcome.

Behaviour Report Procedures:

- Stage 1: Report to the Class Tutor who will be responsible for monitoring the student's behaviour.
- Stage 2: Report to the Key Stage Leaders who will be responsible for monitoring the student's behaviour.
- Stage 3: Report to the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing who will be responsible for monitoring the student's behaviour.

Student's will remain on report or removed depending on their behaviour. However, students can also be moved onto the next stage of report at any time, or at the end of the fixed term. This will be implemented if the following occurs.

- An improvement in behaviour
- Targets are not achieved
- Still receiving a high amount of demerits whilst on report

Persistent inappropriate behaviour whilst on report could result in *further sanctions*.

Alternatively when necessary or when there is a concern for a student raised by several staff members, a Student Concern Report will be issued to determine if a Behaviour Report should be implemented immediately.

Each subject teacher, as well as the class tutor, will be asked to comment on the student's specific behaviour and academic progress. The comments will be analysed by Key Stage Leaders and/or the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing. If deemed necessary the students' parents will be called in for a meeting to discuss the issue. The student may be



present at this meeting, however, it is not mandatory. After consultation with the parents, a Daily Behaviour Report may be started regardless of the students accumulated demerits.

Subject Report:

Under necessary circumstances a student may also be placed on the Subject Report. This report is very similar to Daily Behaviour Report but shall only occur within a subject where the student's behaviour is having an impact on the teaching and learning of others in their class.

Students will have targets that are relevant to their personal behaviour whilst in that class. These targets will be agreed upon with the subject teacher, Head of Department and the Student Support and Wellbeing Team. The students must achieve those targets during that subject and failure to do so could result in further sanctions. Subject Report is a way to monitor appropriate behaviour and will be carried out by the Head of Department and subject teacher with guidance from the Student Support and Wellbeing Team.

Internal Isolation:

This Fourth Stage or a Level 5 Demerit is only to be taken into consideration in an extreme circumstance and reviewed by several staff to discuss whether the internal isolation is deemed as a necessary means of discipline by The Student Support and Wellbeing Team and Senior Management.

In this case a student is isolated under supervision for the entire school day, and provided with work to be completed for all subject teachers at the end of the day. They will accompany staff to lunch and will hand in all work to the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing by the end of the day. This level will only be carried out in extreme circumstances, and will be finalised and carried out by the Student Support and Wellbeing Team and Senior Management Team

Contact will be made with home in advance discussing the reason for such isolation. The isolation will be entered into the students file on the Schoolbase system and the relevant points will be deducted from the student's House in accordance with this policy.

Demerits:

Demerits are recorded throughout the whole academic year. However, here at SPIP it is believed that students need the opportunity to be able to start with a clean slate. So therefore a student's demerits do not follow them into the next term. All demerits will be set back to zero (0) at the beginning of a new term to give the student opportunity to start



with the knowledge that they will not be haunted by a previous infringement that took place several months ago.

Demerits can be issued by all members of staff at SPIP. Staff **must** administer their own detentions during lunch time and break time when the infringement falls into the Level 2 demerit category.

Parental support is important and, through Schoolbase and contact from Class Tutors, parents will be well informed of actions and relevant punishments taken whilst their child is at school.

More serious offences must be dealt with in a more formal way:

- Always inform the following staff members; the Student Support and Wellbeing Team, relevant Key Stage Leader and the student's Class Tutor.
- Log the incident using Schoolbase Daybook.
- Furthermore please identify the level of demerit.

All Demerits will be calculated and once a House has attained an accumulative set of 10 demerits, then that will be deducted from the House's overall points.

There are certain levels of inappropriate behaviour. These can be broken up into FIVE different levels ranging from minor offences to the more extreme cases.

The table below lists the levels and the required action thereof:

Level 1 – Strike three system: two warnings then a demerit (any three of these action can be accumulative to one Level 1 Demerit)

Inappropriate Behaviour	Recorded on	Action Taken	Sanction carried
	Schoolbase by		out by
Level 1 Demerits	Subject Teacher	Verbal warning (2)	Subject Teacher
	Class Teacher	Follow Figure 1.1	Class Tutor
	Head of Department		
	Members of SMT		
	Administration Staff		
Arrived late (less than 5 minutes)			
Unprepared for class			
Disrupting the class			
English speaking policy			
Uniform violation			
Off task in class			
Misuse of e-device			
Neglect of school property			



Level 2: Demerit, Tutor will have a brief meeting with the student to re-teach appropriate behaviour, Subject Teachers must inform Class Tutor via Schoolbase email system.

Inappropriate Behaviour	Recorded on	Action Taken	Sanction carried
	Schoolbase by		out by
Level 2 Demerits	Subject Teacher Class Tutor Head of Department Members of SMT Administration Staff	Follow Figure 1.1 Break-time Detention Lunch-time Detention	Subject Teacher Class Tutor Key Stage Coord'
Arriving late (more than 5 minutes)			
Disrespecting another person (verbal/written)			
Refusal to participate in group activities			
Not completing an activity (ample warning)			
Plagiarising classwork			
Not completing homework			
Damage to school property			
Littering/leaving items behind			
Eating in the corridor/classroom			
Taking belongings of others			
Roughhousing/horseplay			

Level 3: Instant After School Detention (ASD) 30 minutes, inform Student Support and Wellbeing Team and Class Tutor via Schoolbase email system.

Inappropriate Behaviour	Recorded on Schoolbase by	Action Taken	Sanction carried out by
Level 3 Demerits	Subject Teacher Class Tutor Head of Department Members of SMT Administration Staff	Follow Figure 1.1 ASD	Key Stage Coord' SLT
Unintentionally endangering self/others			
Offensive behaviour towards a classmate			
Offensive or inappropriate drawings/images			
Damage to school electronics Leaving class without permission			
Purposely missing a class Not attending detention			
Swearing in any language			



Level 4: Instant after School Detention (ASD) for 45 minutes, inform Student Support and Wellbeing Team via Schoolbase email system and relevant Key Stage Leader through direct contact.

(In severe cases, parents will be asked to come for a meeting and their child will be placed on a Behaviour Report)

Inappropriate Behaviour	Recorded on Schoolbase by	Action Taken	Sanction carried out by
Level 4 Demerits	Subject Teacher Class Tutor Head of Department Members of SMT Administration Staff	Follow Figure 1.1 ASD Contact Parents Behaviour Report	Key Stage Coord' SLT
Cheating in an assessment or examination			
Plagiarism in an assessment			
Malicious damage to school property			
Leaving campus without permission			
Offensive behaviour towards staff			
Striking/attacking a student			
Possession of pornography			
Racist remarks			

Level 5: Instant after School Detention (ASD) for 1 hour, inform Student Support and Wellbeing Team via Schoolbase email system and direct contact.

Parents will be immediately contacted by email and/or telephone.

Deduction of 10 House points

(In severe cases, parents will be asked to come pick up their child. One, two, or three full academic days of internal isolation and/or fixed-term exclusion will be enforced.)



Inappropriate Behaviour	Recorded on	Action Taken	Sanction carried
	Schoolbase by		out by
Level 5 Demerits	Subject Teacher	Follow Figure 1.1	Head of SSW
	Class Tutor	ASD	Key Stage Coord'
	Head of Department	Contact Parents	SLT
	Members of SMT	Internal Isolation /	
	Administration Staff	Fixed-term Exclusion	
Grievous bodily harm			
Possession of a dangerous item			
Theft of school property			
Possession of drugs/alcohol			
Physical, emotional, or cyberbullying			
Slander of school on social media			
Sexual harassment			
Act of racism			

Further Sanctions in extreme breaches of the schools code of conduct

In the case that a student has completed their sanction, but we still feel that they have not shown sufficient movement towards a more positive behavioural pattern, or there has been a new case of severe infringement of the school's code of conduct; all the below interventions will be investigated by a selected panel of management as a means of more serious intervention.

- 1) **Community Service.** The student undertakes a series of community tasks to be completed during the day. This is monitored by the Head of Student Support and Wellbeing, Head of Faculty or Head of Discipline.
- 2) **Temporary suspension from school.** This action will be undertaken when it seems as though the student has not been able to show any change in their behavioural development. This action could take place immediately after the infringement has occurred. Parental consultation will take place and the student will be removed from school for a defined period of time. This will be reviewed, decided and carried out by the Student Support and Wellbeing Team in guidance from the Head of SPIP.
- 3) In some cases where students need to reflect on their behaviour, the school will assign mandatory counselling sessions with the school Guidance Counselor.
- 4) In exceptional cases, the Director of SPIP may ask the parents to withdraw the student from the school.

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