Governing Council Member Code of Conduct

Members of the Child Side School Governing Council are expected to:

- Accept and comply with the Governing Council Code of Conduct Agreement.

- Act with honesty, integrity and diligence in making decisions in the best interests of the school.

- Ensure that policies, procedures and guidelines of the school are administered appropriately and fairly.

- Respect and maintain confidentiality in respect to information discussed in confidence in Child Side School Governing Council meetings, or that they may be given in the course of their work as Child Side School Council members. Ensure that any record of this information is secured appropriately.

Breach of this Code

If an individual or group breaches this code for the first time, they will be reminded of their agreement to this code. If the breach continues, occurs again or is of a serious nature, they will be informed in writing by the Child Side School Governing Council Chair that it has been determined that a breach has occurred and of the consequences that will be applied for breaching the code. Further action may be taken and if the breach is not resolved a request or requirement to leave the school community or premises may be made. The Child Side School Governing Council (minus the member who has breached the code) will have the final say on whether a breach has occurred.

Version Management

VERSION	DATE REVIEWED	DATE RATIFIED	CHANGES MADE	AUTHOR OF CHANGES	NEXT REVIEW DATE
1	Oct 2011	26/10/2011	Policy formulated	KM	
2	March 2013	20/3/2013	Name changes - GC	KM	
3.	May 2016	29/6/2016	Remove reference to FLA	KM	
4.	March 2017	29/3/2017	Include reference to Child Side School Staff Code of Conduct	KM	
5.	September 2018	28/11/2018	Reviewed and Re-formatted for consistency, Enrolment process added, more specific detail in child code	KM	
6.	Feb 2019	27/2/2019	Code of conduct for each school group separated from overarching policy	KM	Term 1 - 2022
7.	October 2022	09/11/2022	GC Code of conduct reviewed, no content change	KM	Term 3 - 2024