

BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Our behaviour management system is built on Christian values and underpinned with the principles of GRACE, LOVE and FORGIVENESS.

The process of managing behaviour at Brisbane Christian College aims to be one of restoration and begins with efforts to help students to make good choices. Unfortunately, at times, children make poor choices and there is the need for a response. The Primary School uses a process of reflection to work through these choices with the children. Depending on the seriousness of the choices, different levels of reflection are implemented as per our Character Development document.

To help staff and students understand good behaviour, the concept of rights and responsibilities are outlined below. Students and staff have 'rights' which all members of the Brisbane Christian College community should respect. Equally, all students and staff have the 'responsibility' to respect the rights of others.

RIGHTS	RESPONSIBILITIES
I have the right to learn without disruption.	I have the responsibility to allow teachers to teach and students to learn without disruption and to keep up to date with required work. I have the responsibility to be punctual, to attend College and to participate in required activities.
I have the right to be safe.	I have a responsibility to contribute to College safety by not threatening, hitting or hurting anyone.
I have the right to work in an environment which encourages learning and activity.	I have the responsibility to promote learning by actively engaging in College life.
I have the right to be happy and to be treated with understanding.	I have the responsibility to treat others with understanding.
I have the right to be helped to learn self-discipline.	I have the responsibility to learn self-discipline and respect the rights of others.
I have the right to be treated with respect and politeness.	I have the responsibility to treat others with respect and politeness. I have the responsibility to respect the authority of teachers.
I have the right to express my opinion on matters of concern to me.	I have a responsibility to express my opinion in an appropriate manner, time and place.
I have the right to expect my property to be safe.	I have the responsibility not to steal, damage or destroy the property of others, and to take good care of my own property.
I have the right to have a pleasant, clean and well maintained school and grounds.	I have a responsibility to care for the College environment - to keep it neat and be prepared to remove litter.
I have the right to be able to use sound College buildings and equipment.	I have the responsibility to report defective equipment and damage in the College environment. I have the responsibility not to destroy College equipment.
I have the right to be respected by the local community and to receive their support.	I have the responsibility to behave in such a way that the community will respect the College.

At Brisbane Christian College we strive to establish a safe and nurturing environment which promotes our students' self-esteem and self-confidence. Bullying is not tolerated because it results in hurt, fear and loss of self-esteem.