

Walters Residential Community

## **Code of Conduct**

At Christ Church Grammar School, you have a fundamental right to feel and be safe. If this is not the case, you should talk to a staff member in the school who you feel comfortable with. It does not matter how big or small the problem is. You can approach any teacher, your tutor, Head of House or Year Group Coordinator. You can also talk to a more senior member of staff, for example the Deputy Principal, Director of Boarding or even the Principal.

As a member of the Walters Residential Community at Christ Church Grammar School, I understand that:

- I have a right to feel safe and secure at all times therefore I have the responsibility to promote positive relationships and avoid actions that may threaten the safety of myself or others.
- I have a right to expect my belongings to be safe therefore I have the responsibility to respect others' belongings, to label my property and to appropriately secure my valuable.
- I have the right to personal privacy therefore I have the responsibility to seek permission to enter another person's room and to respect their personal space at all times.
- I have the right to well-maintained, clean accommodation therefore I have the responsibility to keep my room and boarding house clean, neat and tidy.
- I have the right to an education therefore I have a responsibility to work quietly and effectively during prep time, to follow all rules in place and not hinder my own or others' pursuit of academic success.
- I have the right to health and wellbeing therefore I have the responsibility to report illness or infection or any mental health concerns and to abstain from smoking, alcohol or drug use.
- I have the right to access approved leave from the boarding community therefore I have the responsibility to apply for leave, inform staff when departing and arriving and to contact staff immediately should there be an issue with maintaining the timings and conditions of the approved leave.
- I have the right to just and fair treatment therefore I have the responsibility to treat all staff, students and the rules with honesty and respect.
- I have the right to be a proud member of Christ Church Grammar School community therefore I have the responsibility to follow School rules, meet all presentation guidelines, attend all compulsory classes, sport, co-curricular activities, meetings and Chapel services and uphold the values of our community at all times.

I agree to abide by the Walters Residential Community Code of Conduct and any rules as specified in the Boarding Handbook. Should I breach the Code of Conduct, I will accept any appropriate disciplinary actions implemented by Residential Staff.