Student Code of Cooperation

Guiding Principles

- To ensure that the rights of all individuals are protected whilst at Bogong, and while travelling to and from Bogong.
- To establish the best possible learning environment.
- To ensure that breaches of the code of cooperation are treated in a fair and consistent manner and within the expectations of staff and students.

Rights	Responsibilities & Expectations
All individuals and their property are to be valued and treated with respect.	All students should treat one another, staff and property with respect.
All individuals have the right to a safe, secure and cooperative working environment in which participation, risk taking and confronting challenges are encouraged.	All students should act and behave in a way which does not endanger, intimidate or interfere with the participation of others.
All individuals have the right to privacy.	All students should respect others rights to privacy.
Staff should be able to perform their duties in an atmosphere of order and cooperation.	Students should comply with instructions given by any members of staff and should willingly participate in the daily routine of the School.
Staff, students and the natural environment have the right to exist in a healthy and environmentally considerate atmosphere.	All students should conduct themselves in a healthy and environmentally friendly manner towards other students, staff and the natural environment.
Bogong expects support from all students, parents and staff in implementing this Code of Cooperation.	All students should behave according to this code and accept the consequences if it is breached. All staff should fairly, reasonably and consistently implement this code. Staff and parents of participating schools should support Bogong in implementing the Code of Cooperation.

Specific Rules at the School

To respect the rights and expectations of all individuals at the school the following forms of behaviour are considered a breach of the code and are therefore unacceptable:

- Bringing cigarettes, vapes, alcohol, non-prescribed drugs, offensive weapons, and pornographic material.
- Using language which is offensive, sexist, genderist or racist.
- Fighting, bullying (physical, verbal, indirect or cyber) or any other forms of aggressive behaviour.
- Being in the lodges/room/tent of the other gender.
- Being in another student's room without permission.
- Leaving Bogong Campus boundaries without permission.
- Behaving in a manner which damages or vandalises the property of others or the environment.
- Climbing of trees, buildings or other structures without teacher supervision.
- Students bringing deodorant sprays.
- Students are to wear modest sunsmart clothing that covers all sensitive areas including neck, chest shoulders etc

Personal ICT hardware such as phones, iPods, air pods and tablets are not to be brought to Bogong.
To maximise student learning we expect students to disconnect from all mobile devices for their time at Bogong. This allows students to engage with their peers, and the outdoor experience. Any mobile devices that are brought to Bogong, will be collected by Visiting Teachers upon arrival and stored in a secure place. If needing more information you may access a copy of our Personal Mobile ICT Devices Policy from our website via the following link http://www.outdoorschool.vic.edu.au/policies/3699/

Implementation Process

Any breach of the Code of Cooperation will initiate a restorative approach. The staff will decide the appropriate level of action.