YEPPON STATE SCHOOL CODE OF CONDUCT

The code of conduct is a set of rules and expectations divided into four focus areas: self, others, school and learning. All students should follow this code. Deliberate breaking of the code is treated very seriously. The code is based on the democratic values of respect, equality and concern for the welfare, rights and dignity of all members of the school community.

RESPECT FOR YOURSELF
1. Be responsible at all times.
2. Wear suitable clothing. The Uniform Code has been endorsed by the Yeppoon SS P&C.
3. Wear only the following jewellery items: studs, sleepers, a watch and or signet ring.
4. Wear shoes and a sunsmart hat in the playground.
5. Mark all possessions and check lost property regularly.
6. Remain in the school grounds at all times unless you have permission to leave from parents, teacher or principal.
7. Play away from toilets.
8. Walk on all concrete and bitumen paths, stairs and enclosed areas.
9. Eat your own lunch.
10. Care for your own property, school property and that of others.
11. Share school equipment.
12. Climb only on the adventure playground equipment.
13. Leave toys or other expensive items at home so they are not lost, broken or stolen.
14. Avoid graffiti on clothes, books, bags and body

RESPECT FOR OTHERS
1. Speak respectfully and courteously to your peers, staff, parents and community, calling them by name.
2. Respect the rights of others to learn and your teacher to teach.
3. Use appropriate language and manners at all times. Avoid using racist, sexist, uncouth and obscene language.
4. Always tell the truth.
5. Play co-operatively and safely with others, respecting their feelings.
6. Ask permission before borrowing something.
7. Care for the property of others students, adults and the school.
8. Encourage others.
9. Avoid ‘out of bounds’ areas eg. Staff car park, bike racks, environmental area.
10. Walk bicycles on school property.
11. Play in the designated areas: Year 4/5/6/7 under TLC, Doc Noon Oval; Year 1/2/3 Cricket Oval, Under F block, and in the adventure playground. Year 4 may also play on the cricket oval.

RESPECT FOR YOUR SCHOOL
1. Be a proud ambassador for your school at all times.
2. Walk to all activities in a quiet and orderly manner.
3. Place all rubbish in the bins.
4. Report to Under F block before 8.30am and wait until the whistle sounds for dismissal to classrooms.
5. Play only with tennis balls before school under F block or the TLC after 8:30am.
6. Remain at school after 3.00pm only if involved in scheduled after school activities.
7. Enter a classroom only when a teacher is present.
8. Eat your lunch in the designated area and remain there until released: Year 1, 2, 3 E & F block; Year 4, 5, 6 & 7 Under TLC

RESPECT FOR YOUR LEARNING
1. Move promptly at bell times and to activities/lessons.
2. Act responsibly at all times.
3. Come prepared with the items needed for school.
4. Encourage others and avoid ‘put downs’.
5. Complete homework to the best of your ability and hand in on time.
6. Keep your work area, classroom and surrounds tidy.
7. Observe classroom rules and procedures.
8. Leave the classroom only with your teacher’s permission.
9. Respect all visiting teachers, parents or other adults who may have charge of you.
10. Take pride in your work and strive for excellence.
11. When the stop play signal sounds, return all equipment, go to the toilet, get a drink and prepare for class.