



## **St Joseph's College Echuca 'Honouring the Learning Environment'**

The St Joseph's College Echuca, 'Honouring the Learning Environment' document encompasses the goals of the College's Identity and Mission Statements. In conjunction with these statements the Shared Expectations, challenge all members of its community to be creative and critical learners who act with strength and kindness.

This document is bound in the ideal that mutual respect for and by both teachers and students will foster relationships that will have a positive impact on teaching and learning.

### **We believe students and staff have the right to:**

- Experience success
- Learn in a cooperative environment
- Be respected by staff and other students
- Develop their potential
- Be listened to and cared for as individuals
- Feel safe
- Have access to the best possible learning outcomes
- Experience a sense of belonging in our College community

### **Students will be expected to:**

- Wear the College uniform
- Be on time and attend all classes
- Be prepared for class
- Respect the rights of others to learn
- Listen to and follow instructions
- Care for the school environment and property
- Act in a safe and orderly manner
- Accept difference
- Be polite and considerate
- Complete allocated tasks to the best possible standard
- Remain on school grounds unless permission to leave has been granted
- Not eat and/or drink in the classroom (water only)
- Not carry items which could cause harm to people or property
- Not smoke at school or be under the influence of illicit drugs or alcohol at school or in school uniform
- Not bully, fight, excessively tease or put down other people
- Behave in a manner that brings credit to his/herself at all times
- Use technology only in the intended manner for the learning outcome
- Contribute to a positive school culture by participating in all College co-curricular activities, such as Retreat and Reflection Days, Aspire Days, Sports Days and the like
- Be responsible for actions and accept consequences for unacceptable behaviour
- Observe the College's OH&S rules and procedures.