

## BETHLEHEM COLLEGE

### PRIMARY SCHOOL EXPECTED BEHAVIOUR PRINCIPLES 2021

Eph 5:1 Therefore be imitators of God

*These principles are meant to help you learn to live like Jesus and to be the person he has made you to be. The principles give you an example of what right behaviour looks like, and they help keep you and other people safe while you're a Bethlehem College student.*

#### 1. Be Respectful

**Matt 7:12** So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you

- Treat other people with love, respect, kindness, and patience.
- Think before you speak and choose words that are true, helpful, inspiring, necessary, and kind.
- Listen to and follow teachers' instructions.
- Follow rules in sports, games and activities.
- Take care of school property.
- Leave other people's things alone.

#### 2. Be Helpful

**Gal 5:13b** ...serve one another humbly in love.

- Seek ways to help others in need making sure no one is left out.
- Act in ways that set a good example to others.
- Put your rubbish in the bin.
- Keep our school grounds and classroom areas clean by picking up rubbish and left behind belongings.

#### 3. Be Responsible

**1 Cor 10:31** So ... whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God

- Always do the best you can even when no one is watching you.
- Be on time to class and work hard.
- Be reliable and dependable.
- Only use electronic devices (like iPads and phones) as directed by a teacher.
- Wear your uniform correctly.
- Look after all your personal things.
- Leave dangerous things (like matches, lighters and sharp things) and expensive or precious things at home.
- Return sports equipment at playtimes to the correct place.

#### 4. Be Safe

**Prov 22:3a** The wise see danger ahead and avoid it

- Play inside the school boundaries and set play areas.
- Keep off the road and always use the crossing to cross the road.
- Play safely with each other, no tag games on equipment, don't climb trees.
- Bus riders stay seated on their bus once boarded in the morning & afternoon.