

# GOOD STANDING POLICY

The Good Standing Policy at Wongan Hills District High School links to our Wongan Way policy where all members of our school community are expected to value respect, safety, active learning and safety.

Students who comply with behaviour, attendance, code of dress and course requirements have Good Standing. All students have Good Standing to commence with. These students may participate fully in all curricula and extra-curricula activities of the school and are eligible to represent our school in sporting, social and cultural activities.

The intention of Good Standing at Wongan Hills District High School is to educate and reward our students who are supportive and cooperative in maintaining high standards of behaviour, dress, attendance and achievement.

Students who lose their Good Standing will have a fair process to earn back their privileges. Please be aware that further offences that occur whilst on probation will result in the requirements starting over e.g. if choosing to breach the dress code policy whilst already 5 days into regaining the Good Standing, the 10 days will recommence.

REASONS	LEVEL AT WHICH LOSS OF GOOD STANDING OCCURS	REQUIREMENTS TO REGAIN PRIVILEGES	ACTION
Dress Code Infringement	<b>Third and all</b> subsequent occasions	10 school days attended complying with school dress, with no offences since the last failure to wear uniform.	Letter of concern to parent/caregiver on second infringement.
<b>Lateness</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To school</li> <li>Between periods</li> <li>From breaks</li> </ul>	<b>Third and all</b> subsequent occasions	20 school days without unexplained or unacceptable lateness, with no offences since the last instance of lateness.	Letter of concern to parent/caregiver on second infringement.
Attendance	Absence not explained within a week after the absence	Good Standing reinstated after clearance of unexplained absences and this must be a minimum of 5 days prior to a Good Standing event.	SMS contact to parent/caregiver at point of concern.
Truantiing	<b>First and all</b> subsequent occasions	20 school days without truantiing, with no offences since the last act of truancy.	Letter of concern to parent/caregiver on first infringement. Parent interview/case conference for all subsequent offences.
Unacceptable behaviour	<b>Second</b> occurrence of an Admin Referral and all subsequent occurrences	10 days achieving Good Behaviour with no further incidents of unacceptable behaviour since the last incident.	Contact to parent/caregiver for first behaviour referral.
Suspension	<b>First and all</b> subsequent occasions	Attend panel interview. Automatic loss of Good Standing. Restoration dealt with on an individual basis under direction of school admin.	Parent interview/case conference on re-entry to school. Two week behaviour contract on return to school.

NOTE:

- Students **must have** Good Standing for at **least 60% of school days** over the current school year to be eligible to participate in any activity other than core curriculum.
- Students **must have** Good Standing to attend school incursions, excursions, camps, socials, interschool events, House Rewards and extra curricula activities. Students will have access to school based events that are part of the curriculum, regardless of good Standing status.
- To attend Cadet based events students who had Cadet Infringements will be required to attend a student, parent/carer, Unit Leader meeting