The Bedford College Group - Student Code of Conduct



The Student Code of Conduct applies to all students at The Bedford College Group.

It applies to:

- Any activities you take part in while a student at the College, this includes college trips, work experience and enrichment clubs
- Services or facilities you use while a student at college
- Your presence on any premises owned, leased or managed by The Bedford College Group.

As a member of The Bedford College Group community, you agree to:

- Show commitment to your learning
- Attend all timetabled sessions
- Come to college prepared (stationery and uniform if applicable)
- Consistently uphold our values as above.

Positive behaviour:

Course:

Behaviours we will promote:

- Good punctuality and attendance
- Respect for yourself and others
- Respect for the college environment
- High aspirations for yourself

Behaviours we will challenge:

- Not wearing your College ID badge
- Disrespect for College property
- Smoking or vaping outside of designated areas
- Being under the influence and/or possession of drugs or alcohol
- Disrespect for others
- Poor punctuality and attendance
- Swearing and use of abusive or derogatory language
- Bullying and discrimination in college, out of college or online
- Lack of commitment to your studies
- Not wearing the correct uniform or PPE

Our approach to positive behaviour recognises that positive working relationships are key to success. Where members of our College community get things wrong, we aim to support them to get it right. One of the ways we do this could be through restorative practice. This way of working together focuses on repairing the harm that some behaviour may have caused and aims to resolve conflict so that students can continue to learn and tutors can continue to teach.

At times it may be necessary to issue disciplinary warnings when your conduct does not meet the high expectations, we have of you. Our Positive Behaviour Policy gives guidance on how we use warnings. You will always be offered support to meet and exceed our expectations. By signing this form, you are agreeing that you understand your responsibilities, will follow and uphold them.

Name: Signature:

Date:

