Waikerie Primary School has school values that the school community abides by – respect, responsibility, care, confidence, honesty and persistence. All students, parents, teachers and staff have the right to feel and be safe in their school community. This code of conduct is intended to provide guidelines for the effective development of positive and constructive relationships between all members of the school community.

All members of the School Community are expected to:

- Conduct themselves in a respectful and responsible manner that recognises and respects the rights of others and promotes a climate of mutual respect
- Respect differences in people, their ideas and opinions
- Follow school policies and procedures
- Value school activities and support and promote events
- Not display behaviours that may be considered antisocial

In the event of a school community member not adhering to the School Community Code of Conduct the following may occur at the Principal’s discretion

- The Principal or their delegate may direct a community member who is acting in an offensive manner to leave the school grounds (in the case of a person failing to leave the premises SAPOL will be called)
- Where circumstances warrant, the Principal may direct that the community member may only communicate or interact through a nominated school representative
- In serious breaches the school may pursue documentation to deny the community member from entering the school premises or attending school events

Concerns

Parents with a concern or complaint relating to their child are encouraged to

- Contact the class teacher and arrange a mutually convenient time to meet and discuss the concern. Phone 85412733, email dl.0456.info@schools.sa.edu.au or write a note in your child’s diary / communication book to make an appointment with the class teacher
- If the issue is not resolved contact the Deputy principal or School Counsellor
- If the matter is still unresolved contact the principal

The Waikerie Primary School Parent Complaint Management Procedure is available from the office or from www.waikerieps.sa.edu.au.