



## Parents and Citizens Association

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Dear Parent/Carers,

School dances are run by the P&C. We have a duty of care to ensure every student is safe. The vast majority of students attending a school dance abide by the rules and have a great time. There are a very small number of students who break the rules and contribute to an unsafe environment.

In conjunction with the school, the P&C has drafted the following Behaviour Expectations and Consequences for students attending a School Dance.

### SOAR Behaviour Expectations at School Dance

<b>SAFE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>We stay in supervised areas at all times. If we are not in the hall, the toilets or entry areas, we are out of bounds.</li><li>We listen to and follow <u>all</u> instructions.</li><li>Running and sliding is not permitted.</li></ul>
<b>ORGANISED</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>We arrive and leave with our parent.</li><li>We ignore any inappropriate behaviour and encourage all others to do the right thing.</li></ul>
<b>ACTIVE LEARNER</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>We do not need to bring phones, cameras or any other valuable items.</li></ul>
<b>RESPONSIBLE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>We show parents, volunteers and teachers our best manners.</li><li>We recognise that every student who attends the dance deserves to be here and that they are here to enjoy themselves.</li><li>Kissing and other close contact is not appropriate for a CSS school dance.</li></ul>

### Consequence of failing to observe Behaviour Expectations

#### First Offence

Student will be moved to the "time out" zone and their name recorded. Student can re-join dance after 5 minutes.

#### Second Offence

Parent will be located and student asked to leave the school dance.

### Immediate exclusion from School Dance

A student will be asked to leave the school dance immediately if:

- Student uses their hands or feet to strike another student
- Student uses any inappropriate or harmful words
- Student intentionally damages school property

The name of any student excluded from the dance will be reported to the School Leadership team.

If you have any questions about behaviour expectations or consequences at the School Dance please email [pandc@coorpaross.eq.edu.au](mailto:pandc@coorpaross.eq.edu.au)