

Vision:

Our Vision at Upper Swan Primary School is to enrich students' learning in a safe and supportive environment with skilled mentors to develop in students the values of kindness, fairness, safety and honesty so they can be responsible, confident and valued members of our community.

Our Mission

Our mission is to nurture individuality, social responsibility and a positive attitude towards learning and life.

We do this by:

- *Encouraging students to fulfil their potential and contribute positively towards society.
- *Providing highly effective teachers focused on improving student outcomes.
- *Providing innovative, enriching and engaging learning programs.
- *Providing for parents and community to engage in learning and decision making partnerships.

Aims

Upper Swan Primary School aims to:

1. Create and maintain a positive, learning and social environment within the school and classroom so that the entire school can work together effectively.
2. Create a caring school environment where the responsibilities and rights of the individual are recognised and respected.
3. Recognise those members of the school community whose exemplary behaviour promotes a positive and caring school environment.
4. Establish a set of expectations and routines that respect the rights of all individuals.
5. Promote our expectations through explicit teaching and a common approach throughout the school.
6. Establish a clear set of consequences for individuals who do not accept their responsibilities, in order to encourage them to recognise and respect the right of others.
7. Establish procedures so that conflict can be resolved in a positive manner.

GOOD STANDING POLICY

2019

Upper Swan Primary School's Good Standing

Policy is underpinned by our Positive Behaviour in Schools philosophy, Behaviour Management Policy and the State Government's, 'Let's Take a Stand Together' – Minister's Statement on School Violence.



'The plan focuses on the intentional physical aggression and intent to harm others. Policy changes will not apply to students with a diagnosed disability who either cannot control their behaviour or do not intend to harm others.'

(Let's Take a Stand Together - Minister's Statement on School Violence, 2018)

Code of Conduct

Participants in the Upper Swan Primary School community are **RESPECTFUL**.

We show **RESPECT** by being:

- **SAFE**
- **FAIR**
- **KIND**
- **HONEST**

All students, staff, parents and community members at Upper Swan Primary have the **right** to be in an environment that is safe, fair, kind and honest.

All students, staff, parents and community members at Upper Swan Primary have the **responsibility** to behave in ways that are, safe, fair, kind and honest.

Good Standing

Students with Good Standing have the opportunity to participate in school rewards, excursions, camps, interschool events and other school privileges.

Students who maintain **good standing** are eligible for **School-wide Rewards**

Behaviour Support Plan - Card System:

Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum rewards.

Legends – Lunch with the principal

Honour Certificates

Incursions / excursions

Loss of Good Standing

Students who lose their good standing will have non curriculum benefits removed by the Leadership Team.

The student will be required to comply with a negotiated behaviour agreement. This agreement is monitored by a tracking sheet requiring 10 consecutive days of compliance.

Student leaders who lose good standing will also forfeit their badge for the 10-day compliance period.

The student will participate in a restorative process facilitated by the Leadership Team.

Reasons for Loss of Good Standing

- Suspension (**SIS / Leadership Team**)
- Reflection Room x 3 / term (**SIS / Leadership Team**)