



Lasalle Elementary Junior School is dedicated to promoting a safe and caring learning environment. To this end, the school expects that all adults and children conduct themselves in a respectful manner.

The guiding principles behind the school's code of conduct are:

1. **Respect:**
  - Show respect for self and others
  - Respect one another's feelings and ideas
  - Respect personal space
  - Respect school property, equipment, and educational materials
  
2. **Safety:**
  - Work and play safely.
  - Follow instructions given by adults
  - Make good choices to keep ourselves safe
  - Be responsible for our bodies and our actions
  
3. **Kindness:**
  - Use caring words and actions
  - Listen to the adults of the school
  - Support and encourage others
  - Offer a helping hand whenever possible

Examples of unacceptable behaviour include, but are not limited to:

- **Hurtful words** such as swearing, name-calling, mocking, negative comments, offensive jokes, threats, yelling
- **Aggression** such as kicking, hitting, punching, biting, hair-pulling, throwing materials, etc.
- **Actions that put the person at risk** such as self-harm, climbing furniture, leaving the environment without permission, using school materials in ways other than their intended use
- **Inappropriate use of technology** including e-mail, the internet, and social media platforms

The above-mentioned behaviours will not be tolerated. School administration will analyze each incident, taking into account the developmental capabilities of each child, the frequency of the behaviour, and the impact of the behaviour. The school principal will communicate with parents to advise them of the situation, the consequences, and the follow-up plan.

(Please review the child friendly code of conduct (see over) infographic with your children included with this letter. Indicate that this has been done by initialing and returning it to the school. Thank you for your ongoing support and collaboration.)



# Code of Conduct

Staff and families work together to make Lasalle Junior a safe and caring learning environment. Students should be reminded to:



Listen when someone is talking.

Play safely to keep ourselves and others from getting hurt.



Be respectful of the school and its materials.

Always be kind to each other.



Show caring words and actions towards adults.