



SCHEDULE OF SERIOUS MISCONDUCT

SCHEDULE 1

(SERIOUS MISCONDUCT THAT MAY LEAD TO SUSPENSION)

A learner will be guilty of serious misconduct if she, intentionally and without just excuse –

- (a) seriously threatens, disrupts or frustrates teaching or learning in a class;
- (b) engages in a conspiracy to disrupt the proper functioning of the school through collective action;
- (c) insults the dignity of or defames any learner or any other person, which includes racist remarks;
- (d) distributes, or is in the possession of any test or examination material that may enable another person to gain an unfair advantage in a test or examination;
- (e) cheats in a test or examination or any other form of assessment such as assignments;
- (f) engages in any act of public indecency;
- (g) sexually harasses another person;
- (h) is found in possession of or distributes pornographic material;
- (i) posts any image, text, copy or any material relating to St Catherine's Convent, their parents, peers or teachers onto the internet without the express permission of the person concerned.

SCHEDULE 2

(SERIOUS MISCONDUCT THAT MAY LEAD TO EXPULSION)

A learner will be guilty of serious misconduct if he or she-

- (a) is found guilty of misconduct as contemplated in Schedule 1 after having been found guilty of the same or similar misconduct on a previous occasion;
- (b) fails to comply with a punishment of suspension as a correctional measure; or
- (c) intentionally and without just excuse-
 - (i) forges any document or signature to the potential or actual prejudice of the school;
 - (ii) trades in any test or examination question paper or in any test or examination material;
 - (iii) attempts to bribe or bribes any person in respect of any test or examination to enable herself or another person to gain an unfair advantage therein;
 - (iv) engages in fraud;
 - (v) engages in theft, or otherwise acts dishonestly to the prejudice of another person;
 - (vi) is in possession, of, consumes or deals in any illegal substance or other harmful substance (including cigarettes and alcohol);
 - (vii) is in possession of, uses or transmits narcotic or unauthorised drugs or on visible evidence of such possession, use or transmission;
 - (viii) is in possession of any dangerous weapon;
 - (ix) assaults or threatens to assault another person;
 - (x) holds any person hostage;
 - (xi) murders any person;
 - (xii) engages in any sexual activity which amounts to an offence in law; or
 - (xiii) maliciously damages property.
 - (xiv) posts any image, copy or text to the internet that may be deemed to be proprietary, copyrighted defamatory, libellous or obscene.