

## POLICY TITLE: STUDENT PASTORAL CARE POLICY

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#### **REVIEW SUMMARY**

Pastoral care is a demonstration of profound respect for the human dignity of each person who is created in the image and likeness of God (Genesis 1: 26 27). This call to respect each person is inspired by the sacred Scriptures and brought to life by the person of Jesus Christ.

mission, approach our work and conduct our relationships with love, hope, dignity, compassion, and

Gospel (John 10: 1 18). Here the Good Shepherd is the one who looks after his sheep and who is prepared to lay down his life for them. Likewise in the parable of the lost sheep (Lulhe lost sheep (LulT0003Qq298.01G)

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- creating and maintaining safe, inclusive, and respectful learning environments that enable the unique potential, gifts, and innate qualities of each student to unfold and thrive
- understanding their professional duty of care and accountability regarding legislation and compliance
- using relationship-based approaches to establish consistent expectations for student behaviour
- working in partnership with parents/guardians/carers and families to build resilience and promote a positive sense of self.

#### Students

wellbeing by:

- treating all members of the College community with respect and courtesy
- following College policies, procedures, and guidelines
- taking responsibility for their actions
- reporting concerns about wellbeing and safety
- co-operating with teachers, College staff and their parents/guardians/carers.

Parents/guardians/carers contribute to developing positive pastoral learning environments for their own

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