



Good Standing Policy

Guidelines for Byford Secondary College

The Good Standing procedure provides a system that assists in ensuring that students maintain a satisfactory level of attendance, punctuality, course participation and behaviour at the college. It also aims to help our students take responsibility for their actions and to encourage them to reach their educational potential.

All students will be required to demonstrate positive behaviours and attitude to gain **Good Standing** at Byford Secondary College.

Gaining **Good Standing** requires:

- Acceptable behaviour and dress
- Satisfactory academic participation
- Satisfactory attendance and punctuality

Students will be awarded attendance points daily and points will be awarded for displaying positive behaviours, once students gain the required points they will gain their Good Standing at Byford Secondary College and will be able to access extra curricula activities at the College.

Merit Points will be awarded using the Academy Education System, students will be automatically credited for the following positive behaviours at the College.

- Punctual attendance to timetabled classes.
- Submission of assessment on or before due date.
- Prepared for class with required equipment.
- Letters of Commendation.

Teachers can award merit points for specific positive behaviours at the college.

- Respect/tolerance shown to others.
- Personal Excellence in and out of the class.
- College Representation (Sports, Drama etc)

Merit points will be used to identify students for rewards at the College. E.g. (Canteen Vouchers, Gift Cards, payment of Extra Curricula activities etc.)

Students from the College will be automatically excluded from gaining Good Standing for a period of ten weeks or duration determine by College Leadership Team:

- Suspended from the college.
- Less than 90% compliance with the College Uniform Policy
- Repeated class withdrawals.

Students will be required to gain a minimum of 225 attendance merit points to be eligible to gain Good Standing in a ten-week period.

