



Code of Conduct

International students are expected to abide by the laws of New Zealand and to follow the Ōtūmoetai Primary School rules.

We inform students about the behaviour expectations at our school as part of our orientation processes. Staff are also made aware of any special requirements for international students. All school staff know who the international student support person is, and will contact them in the case of a serious issue with an international student's behaviour.

The Code requires schools to respond fairly and effectively to instances of inappropriate behaviour involving international students. Staff and students are made familiar with behaviour management policies and these are implemented effectively.

Our school follows the same behaviour management and disciplinary procedures for international students as for domestic students:

- We expect all students to be Actively Involved Learners
- We are a PB4L (Positive Behaviour for Learning) school and have clear guidelines around expected behaviours and have consistent consequences for non compliance. Please see Major/Minor Behaviour chart below

MINOR	MAJOR
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Playing in non-playing areas • Property misuse • Inappropriate language, gestures and comments • Defiance/non-compliance • Late/tardiness • Physical contact • Electronic violation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fighting/physical violence and aggression • Intentional, repeated non-compliance, overt defiance • Exiting the school grounds • Vandalism and theft • Serious electronic violation • Harassment/intimidation • Lying/cheating • Use/possession of weapons

- We teach and expect children to use the CARE values:

Confident - Students show confidence in themselves and their abilities and qualities

Adventurous - Students are willing to take risks and try out new ideas, or experiences, and display resilience

Respectful - Students respect themselves, others, and property

Encouraging - Students give kind feedback, and help others to do the right thing

- We teach and expect that students use digital technologies and online tools safely