



## Pupil Behaviour Policy



At St Marys we strive to be a safe and happy place for all. Respect is extremely important and as a school we celebrate that we are all unique and made in the image of God. We expect everyone to behave in a friendly way and we have a zero-tolerance towards bullying. We all strive to 'let our lights shine' and to achieve our true potential.

**"Good behaviour is essential for great learning"**

### How we should behave and why?

- Be respectful to others
- Be polite and well mannered
- Be friendly and kind to others
- Create a positive learning environment to progress
- Make the right choices
- Follow all instructions immediately
- Look after each other and our school environment
- Wear the school uniform with pride



### Reasons to behave appropriately.

We get rewarded.....



- Merits
- Breakfast with the Headteacher
- Celebration certificates
- Teachers praise
- Easter bingo
- Christmas reward Trip
- End of year trip
- Progress and success



### What happens if we do not behave appropriately?

**On the corridor:** - lost merits, detentions and social interventions

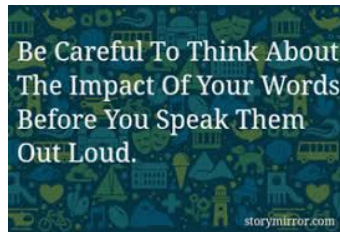
**Incorrect uniform:** - girls to wear trousers, any pupil wearing trainers to wear school shoes. Lost merits and detentions

In the classroom: -



St Marys does not accept any of these behaviours at all.

- Defiance
- Violence
- Abuse
- Racist
- Homophobic
- Vandalism
- Stealing
- Bullying



**These behaviours may result in a suspension from school**

Repeating negative behaviours.



Time will be spent in PGU or IE so that restorative practices can happen and support put in place. It is important you open up, so that we can listen and help you not to repeat such behaviours continuously.

Mobile phones and Smart Watches.

These are banned from being used in school between 8.40am and 3pm. You must NOT use your phone until you are outside the school building. Safeguarding everyone is paramount. Inappropriate use may result in a suspension.



“You are always responsible for how you act, no matter how you feel!”

