



James Nash State High School

Good Standing Policy

The major focus at school is on student learning.

We focus on developing positive relationships around learning. To this extent, students access to privileges is aligned to our "Good Standing" policy.

To be of 'Good Standing' student must:

- Attend each school day for the whole day unless absent due to a medical or other reasonable circumstance verified by a parent or medical practitioner and approved by the Principal
- Maintain an attendance rate of 90% or greater
- participate in the learning process
- show self respect for students and teachers by not disrupting the learning of others
- have fulfilled their Student Resource Hire Scheme agreement requirements

Employers want young workers who display:

- a positive work ethic
- punctuality
- commitment

Maintaining 'Good Standing' requires:

- satisfactory attendance
- punctuality
- attendance at classes and participation in learning
- completion of all tests and assessment, as per policy in school diary
- satisfactory standard of behaviour and cooperation
- compliance with school procedures and policies
- attaining satisfactory "Working at Learning Audit" scores

'Good Standing' is lost when:

- attendance is irregular and absences are unexplained
- punctuality is poor
- students fail to attend classes and to participate in learning
- tests and assignments are not completed
- behaviour and cooperation are unsatisfactory
- there is noncompliance with school procedures and policies
- Student Resource Hire Scheme agreements are not being met
- "Working at Learning Audit" scores are unsatisfactory

Positive outcomes of 'Good Standing' include:

- recognition of success with student awards
- academic success
- a school reference
- access to privileges
- school formal (year 12 only)

Loss of 'Good Standing' could result in:

- removal of access to privileges
- formal warning
- parental notification and/or interviews
- suspension
- cancellation of enrolment