

WISE Parent Rights and Responsibilities

As a parent or guardian, you play a formative role in developing your child's sense of justice, equity, and worth. You also act as one of the most influential role models in your child's life. It is the expectation of the school that all adults model acceptable behaviour at all times within the school setting.

The WISE parent community is an essential element of our school's success. Strong, healthy relationships between the adult members of our community foster a social environment in which students learn to engage with others in a positive, constructive and respectful manner.

We believe these core values are a foundation in our relationships with others and inform the rights and responsibilities of our community, and how we communicate with others:

RESPECT for people and property,

RESPONSIBILITY for what we say and do,

HONESTY in all situations,

APPRECIATION for the good in one another,

KINDNESS to self and others, and

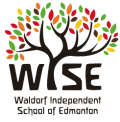
CELEBRATION of diversity.

Community members' rights:

- To be treated with respect and courtesy by staff, students and parent(s)/guardian(s)
- To be treated in a caring, polite and professional manner by staff.
- To be listened to and clearly communicated with, regarding your child's education.
- To have a timely response to concerns raised.
- To have their confidentiality respected by staff.

Community members' responsibilities:

- To treat staff, students and parent(s)/guardian(s) with respect and courtesy.
- To communicate respectfully with staff and community members.



- To hold all community members and students in the highest esteem.
- To protect the confidentiality of students and families.

Behaviour that will not be tolerated

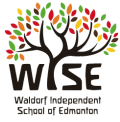
- Disrupting, or threatening to disrupt, school operations (including events on the school grounds and sporting events)
- Swearing, or using offensive language
- Shouting at members of staff, pupils or other parent(s)/guardian(s)
- Threatening staff or another member of the school community
- Sending abusive messages to another member of the school community, including via text, email or social media
- Posting defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments about the school, its staff or any member of its community, on social media platforms or in a public forum of any kind
- Any aggressive behaviour (including verbally or in writing) towards another child or adult
- Smoking or drinking alcohol on the school premises (unless alcohol has been allowed at a specific event)
- Possessing or taking drugs (including legal highs)
- Damaging school property

Breaching Conduct Expectations

If the school suspects, or becomes aware, that a parent/guardian has breached the Parent Rights and Responsibilities, the school will gather information from those involved and speak to the parent/guardian about the incident.

Depending on the nature of the incident, the school may then:

- Send a warning letter to the parent/guardian
- Invite the parent/guardian to school to meet with a senior member of staff or the Principal
- Contact the appropriate authorities (in cases of criminal behaviour)



- Seek advice from the school's legal team regarding further action (in cases of conduct that may be libellous or slanderous)
- Ban the parent/guardian from the school site

The school will always respond to an incident in a proportional way. The final decision for how to respond to breaches of the Rights and Responsibilities rests with the Principal. The Principal will consult the WESE Board President before taking action to ban a parent/guardian from the school site, revoke re-registration, or non-acceptance of re-registration.

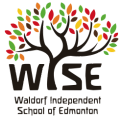
I acknowledge that as a parent/guardian I understand these rights and responsibilities and promise to follow them.

Parent/Guardian (1) Name : (Print and Sign)

Date : _____

Parent/Guardian (2) Name : (Print and Sign)

Date : _____



Parent/ Guardian Acknowledgement of the WISE Parent Handbook Expectations

Each family's respect for the WISE processes, guidelines, and policies has a far-reaching affect on the student's education and social experience. The collective efforts of staff and families at WISE reverberates through the community and can be seen in children's play, attitudes, language, and inner life.

I acknowledge that I will make my best efforts to adhere to and respect the processes as described in the Parent handbook.

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I acknowledgement that I have reviewed the Parent Handbook and agree to make their best efforts to adhere to and respect the processes as described within.

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