

## Code of Conduct for Parents, Guardians and Visitors at LBPSB Schools, Centers and School Sanctioned Events

### Rationale:

At Beacon Hill Elementary and LBPSB we believe that students, staff, parents and guardians are entitled to a safe and caring environment in which to learn and work.

Central to the Code of Conduct for parents, guardians and visitors is the understanding by each member of the school of the behavioral expectations established by LBPSB and Beacon Hill. A willingness to accept responsibility for one's actions and conduct is fundamental to the Code of Conduct.

The intention of the Code of Conduct is to clearly define the expected conduct for all parents, guardians and visitors when they are at LBPSB schools, centers or at school-sanctioned events.

This will enable us to continue to flourish and succeed in an atmosphere of mutual respect.

### Aim:

That all members of the school community treat each other with respect.

### Expectations:

In order to support a safe and caring environment, the school will not tolerate:

- Disruptive behavior that interferes or threatens to interfere with the operation of a school or school-sanctioned event.
- Use of loud or offensive language, swearing, cursing or using profane language, in person or over the phone.
- Threatening harm or the use of physical aggression towards another adult or child.
- Harassment or intimidation of any kind.
- Abusive or threatening emails or text, voicemail, phone messages or other written communications.
- Defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments regarding the school or the students, staff or parents at the school on Social Media websites.

The above behaviours will be dealt with by the school and / or school board administration.

The school, center or school board reserves the right to take any necessary actions to ensure that members of the school community are not subjected to abuse.

School premises are private property and parents, guardians or visitors have been granted permission from the school to be on their premises. However, in the case of unacceptable behavior the school may ban the parents(s), guardian(s) or visitor(s) from entering the school or school board premises.

Unacceptable behavior may result in the Police being informed.