



Appendix B

Letter to Parents/Guardians

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The College is aware that a number of senior students intend to drive to College either occasionally or on a regular basis.

Students and parents/guardians need to be aware that students cannot park in the College grounds and that they are not permitted to go to their car during the College day. It is also important that students and parents/guardians are aware that under no circumstances can students, once at College transport other students in their cars when travelling to and from any College program or function.

Other College expectations are detailed in the College policy on student drivers. Breaches of the College Policy will lead to appropriate disciplinary action.

The College is mindful of the fact that young drivers are at greater risk than older more experienced drivers and that travelling with teenage passengers considerably increases the risks for young drivers. Consequently, we are conscious of the need to ensure a duty of care for our students.

We are also committed to ensuring that the community maintains a positive perception of the College and that irresponsible and unsafe driving by students will inevitably have a negative effect on the College's image within the community. We therefore have an expectation that students will drive to and from school in a safe and responsible manner. If the College becomes aware that students are breaking road rules, the police will be notified.

Yours sincerely,

Rob Duncan

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