

APPENDIX TO BEHAVIOUR POLICY SEPTEMBER 2020

In light of social distancing and other safety measures to prevent the transmission of coronavirus, temporary amendments to the behaviour system will be in place from September 2020 until further notice.

A summary of key changes

1. The following behaviours are now considered more serious and require intervention and sanction:
 - **Purposefully coughing or sneezing on someone.**
 - **Spitting.**
 - **Repeated failure to adhere to school routines designed to maintain bubbles and distancing.**
 - **Deliberate intimidation by standing too close and/or speaking to others inappropriately eg shouting or speaking too closely.**
2. The use of the BfL room as described in the pre-existing behaviour policy will be replaced by a short-term subject removal room in the boardroom.
3. Mixed year group Friday after-school detentions will cease and will be replaced by year group specific 30 minute after-school detentions twice weekly to reduce the number of students and allow for safer distancing.
4. Lunchtime detentions will no longer operate.
5. Students will no longer use an Exit Card to access SEN/Inclusion/the pastoral office. Should these students require support, they will alert the classroom teacher who will call for a senior member of staff.
6. There will be changes to the operation of SEN and Inclusion to minimise opportunities for cross-contamination of bubbles.
7. Staff will ensure that students on 'Exit' do not mix with students from other year groups whilst in the corridor. Re-entry conversations will be prompt.
8. School detention sanctions will not be issued for failure to complete homework or failure to bring in PE kit. Intervention will be managed by Faculties and if faculty detentions are used, these will not include students from different year groups.
9. Any student issued with a 'Late' mark without valid reason three times in a week - including lesson times - will be issued with an after-school detention.

A description of changes to the system

1. **Formal Warning** – issued by the class teacher and monitored by the Head of School. **NO CHANGE.**
2. **Exit** - issued by the class teacher. Any student receiving two Exits across any combination of subject in a week will receive an after-school detention at the next available opportunity and parents will be notified.
3. **Subject removal** – students refusing to comply after an Exit will be escorted to the subject removal room in the boardroom. Students will spend the remainder of the lesson in the room and return to their next lesson. The next available after-school detention will be issued and parents contacted by Heads of School.

Any student removed from a single subject twice per term requires parental contact, subject report and monitoring by the Head of Faculty.

Students causing concern for repeated subject removals or exits may receive internal isolation or a fixed term exclusion at the discretion of the Head of School and SLT.

After-school detention timetable.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7/8	9/10	11/7/8	9/10	11
NFB	SLC	GF/NFB	SLC	GF

Failure to attend ASD = ½ day internal isolation the following day in the Pastoral Office and re-issue of ASD.

After-school detention will take place in the Boardroom. Students will be divided across the room in year group areas and socially distanced.

Internal isolation will take place in the Pastoral Office, with HOS or SLT or in the Boardroom.