

Personal Space Policy

In order to uphold the dignity, well being and safety of the students, unnecessary physical contact between students is to be avoided at all times. Playful physical contact between students can escalate into unintended harm of students.

Unnecessary contact between students is inclusive of:

- Playful wrestling, pushing or grabbing;
- Physical fights or altercations;
- Contact of a physical or sexual nature;
- Extended displays of affection, such as holding hands, embracing or kissing.

In the event of unnecessary contact between students, all members of the College Staff have the responsibility and authority to say 'hands off' to the student(s) involved.

At this instruction, the student(s) involved will cease contact immediately and unquestioningly because it is the accepted rule. No discussion or explanation is required.

Those students who do not immediately respond to this instruction must be referred to the House Coordinator or 7-10 Coordinator of Pastoral Care, without delay.