

## ALEXANDRA SECONDARY COLLEGE STUDENT DRIVER POLICY

### **Rationale:**

- Many students intend to drive to school either occasionally or on a regular basis. Duty of Care, student safety, positive community image and continuing positive reinforcement of driving skills are important to the Secondary College. For this reason the Student Driver Policy has been established.

### **Aims:**

- To promote driver and passenger safety and welfare.
- To maintain and enhance the positive image of the school in the community.
- To further develop trust between the school and its young student drivers.

### **Implementation:**

- Students are required to adhere to all road rules and drive in a safe and responsible manner.
- Students are only to use their car for travelling to and from school. They are not to access their cars during the school day.
- Student cars are to be parked in the bays outside the Music Portables, beside the basketball courts only.
- Under no circumstances may students transport other students in their cars when travelling to and from school or any school function. Siblings may be transported to and from school with parent's permission.
- Parent Permission and student agreement forms must be completed.

### **Sanctions to be Applied for Breaches of this Code:**

- Any unsafe driving practices will be reported to the police.
- Students will have their driving and parking rights revoked for a period of one day for the initial breach. In the event of another breach occurring, the student will be asked to attend a meeting with the Senior Advocate and School Principal where decisions as to further action would be made.
- Driving privileges may be revoked at the discretion of the Principal, Assistant Principal or Senior Advocate.

### **Evaluation:**

- This policy will be reviewed as part of the school's three year review cycle.

This policy was last ratified by School Council on