

# Code of conduct

## GENERAL BEHAVIOUR

1. I am a student of the International School of Almere where all cultures and identities are respected and valued equally.
2. I listen to others and value other people's opinions.
3. I do not tolerate any form of bullying (including cyber bullying).
4. I do not litter. I am responsible for the cleanliness of the school building.
5. I know that if I regularly display undesirable behaviour, then my parents will be invited to discuss this.
6. I am expected to fully participate in all class activities meeting agreed deadlines and expectations of the teachers.
7. In class I may be given a "time-out" to reflect upon my behavior.
8. I respect the property of my fellow students and that of the school.
9. I respect the privacy of all members of the school community.
10. I maintain a drug, alcohol and smoke free environment on school grounds and on all school related activities and excursions. I understand that the school will take appropriate measures when this rule is violated.
11. I use my electronic devices in accordance to the school policy to support learning. I may use the phone with permission of the teacher during class. I may use the office phone to call my parents and my parents are requested to contact the office if they need to contact me. If a staff member observes me using the phone during the class, then the phone will be confiscated until 17.00 hours the same day. I will place my phone in the phone box at the teacher's desk at the beginning of every lesson. I can collect my phone back at the end of the lesson.
12. Food and drink are not allowed outside the break areas. I may use water fountains between lessons or during lessons with permission from the teacher.
13. I will dress appropriately on school premises and during school activities taking into consideration the multi-cultural background of our school community. I will take off my cap/hood/hat and coat when I am in the classroom. I will adhere to the dress code of the school.
14. I will be aware of the use of my language and avoid swearing and name-calling as this will not be tolerated.
15. I will refrain from speaking in a language other than English during breaks as this may stop other students from taking part in the conversation.
16. If I am in MYP1-MYP4 year group then I stay in school for the entire school day and do not leave the school building till the last lesson of the day.
17. Not behaving according to rules 1 to 16 will result in proportionate consequences which may include detention, in-house suspension, external suspension and – in extreme cases (such as the possession and/or dealing of drugs or alcohol, the possession of arms, sexual harassment and theft) – to expulsion.

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature: \_\_\_\_\_