



e-Communication Policy

This policy should be read in conjunction with BCE Code of Conduct; BCE Digital Communication, Staff Conduct and Student Safety; BCE Conditions of Use of ICT Resources; St Patrick's College Mission Statement; St Patrick's College Dispute Resolution Policy; Department of Education and Training Code of Conduct; QIEU advice; and relevant Commonwealth and State Legislation.

Policy | All members of the St Patrick's College community – staff, students and parents – required to use digital communication in an ethical manner.

Rationale

All community members need to be responsible and accountable in their use of the different media and respectful in all forms of communication

Values:

Respect, Responsibility, Accountability

Guidelines:

Community members are expected to adhere to the key principles of digital citizenship – Access, Commerce, Communication, Literacy, Etiquette, Law, Rights and Responsibilities, Health and Wellness and Security.

The College will respond to with issues regarding inappropriate use of digital media.

Illegal use of digital media (e.g. placing offensive, menacing or harassing material via social media) will be referred to the appropriate authorities.