

NO SMOKING POLICY

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1. Policy Statement

This school is committed to providing a safe, healthy, and smoke-free environment for all pupils, staff, visitors, and contractors. Smoking and the use of tobacco or related products is not permitted on school premises or during school-related activities.

2. Scope

This policy applies to pupils, staff, visitors, contractors, parents/carers, and covers all school buildings, grounds, vehicles, and off-site activities.

3. Definition of Smoking

Smoking includes cigarettes, cigars, pipes, e-cigarettes (vapes), and any related devices.

4. Policy Principles

The school site is 100% smoke-free. Smoking is not permitted at any time. Staff act as role models. Pupils are supported through education and prevention.

5. Roles and Responsibilities

Headteacher: Ensure implementation. Staff: Enforce policy. Pupils: Comply. Visitors: Follow rules.

6. Prohibited Areas

Smoking is prohibited in all buildings, grounds, entrances, vehicles, and during off-site activities.

7. Managing Breaches

Pupils: sanctions and parental contact. Staff: disciplinary procedures. Visitors: asked to stop or leave.

8. Support

The school will signpost to NHS stop smoking services and provide appropriate support.

9. Monitoring and Review

This policy will be reviewed annually and incidents monitored.