Student Code of Conduct

Students at The English School of Kyrenia contract to honour the following Code of Conduct.

- ✓ I will act with consideration for others, respect their privacy, do nothing that may damage their property, threaten their safety, or hurt their feelings.
- ✓ I will follow all ESK policies, including, but not limited to, the Uniform and Dress Code and the Anti-bullying policy.
- ✓ I will not use foul or abusive language. Swearing in any language is regarded as a serious offence.
- ✓ I will arrive prepared and ready for my lessons, with a positive attitude to learn actively. I will take responsibility for my learning, carefully carry out instructions, work very hard to complete tasks, respond to teacher instructions first time, and not disrupt the lesson in any way, showing respect and consideration for all those around me.
- ✓ I will complete my homework assignments on time and to the best of my ability.
- ✓ I will act with academic integrity in all my schoolwork, homework, and examinations.
- ✓ I will speak to my teachers if I am having problems with my classwork or homework.
- ✓ I will be punctual to homeroom, assemblies, lessons, activities and any other meetings.
- ✓ In the flag ceremony and assemblies, I will line up promptly and in silence. I will show respect when singing the national anthem and listening to the leaders of the assembly. I will applaud students receiving awards. I will not bring any bags, books, papers, food or drink into the assemblies and ceremonies.
- ✓ I will respect my own and others' property and I will not mark or write on any book unless instructed by a teacher. I will look after any surface, display board, smartboard, whiteboard, desk, and all other furniture.
- ✓ I will respect my school surroundings and place my bags and belongings in my locker; I will not leave them in walkways or doorways where they can cause an obstruction.
- ✓ I will avoid creating litter by following the 3 Rs (3 rules of conservation): Reduce, Re-use, and Recycle. If I do find or generate litter, I will clear it up.
- ✓ I will take sole responsibility for my possessions and will not bring valuables such as cameras, electronic gadgets, or jewellery into the school, unless with the previously agreed permission of the teacher.
- ✓ I understand that mobile phone use is not allowed on school premises, except as noted in the ESK IT Acceptable Use Policy.
- ✓ I will not consume, use, or bring any of the following onto school premises: chewing or bubble gum, tobacco products, vapes, electronic cigarettes or similar, alcohol, any other harmful or illegal substances, matches, lighters, fireworks, explosives, laser devices, knives or other sharp objects, weapons of any kind, including items which could be used as, or considered as, weapons. The foregoing applies to imitation items.
- ✓ I will abide by all safety procedures and not interfere with first aid bags/stations, fire alarms, fire-fighting equipment.
- ✓ I will not climb on buildings or objects or wilfully endanger myself or others in any way.
- ✓ I will respect and take care of any living thing, whether bird, animal, or plant.
- ✓ I will try to be an active member of the ESK community by taking part in the various aspects of school life such as activities, productions, charity, and sporting events.