



# Marian College Ararat

## Wellbeing and School Community Policy

<b>Policy</b>	Wellbeing and School Community	<b>Date for Review</b>	2023
<b>Version</b>	2	Policy Officer	Matthew Summers
<b>Date Ratified</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> September 2021	Chair Signature	

<b>Context</b>	The mental, physical, social and emotional wellbeing of students and school community are essential pre-conditions for successful learning										
<b>Policy Statement</b>	Marian College is committed to developing confident in a safe, inclusive and caring environment. Our vision is that relationships and interactions between students, staff and parents/carers are underpinned by Gospel values and that they are lived out communally with authenticity and impartiality.										
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<b>Implications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ All members of the community should be treated with respect.</li> <li>○ Wellbeing extends to all in the Marian College community which comprises students, families and staff.</li> <li>○ Marian College commits itself to enhancing positive and successful learning experiences for all students.</li> <li>○ Marian College has a responsibility to foster behaviours and a climate that will enable optimal learning and personal growth for each person.</li> <li>○ Each student is unique and should be treated accordingly.</li> <li>○ Wellbeing is based in restorative practices which are conducted in a timely manner.</li> <li>○ Marian College is committed to the promotion of wellbeing through building resilience and respectful relationships in a safe and inclusive learning community.</li> <li>○ Marian College aims to encourage, nurture, foster and empower students.</li> </ul>										

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Marina College must ensure a whole school approach to education throughout the school about bullying and harassment, in line with current legislation (NB Brodie’s Law).</li> <li>○ There is an established structure for dealing with student management issues</li> <li>○ Corporal punishment is not permitted at Marian College</li> </ul>
<p><b>Related Policies, Procedures and Legislative Documents</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Child Protection Policy</li> <li>○ Student Management Policy</li> <li>○ Learning and Teaching Policy</li> <li>○ Camps and Excursions Policy</li> <li>○ Marian College SunSmart Policy</li> <li>○ VCE Policy and Procedures</li> <li>○ Assessment and Reporting Policy</li> <li>○ Marian College Anaphylaxis Policy</li> <li>○ Student Medication Policy</li> <li>○ Marian College Emergency Management Plan</li> <li>○ Critical Incidents procedures</li> <li>○ First Aid Policy</li> <li>○ Mandatory Reporting (CECV)</li> <li>○ Integration Policy (CECV Catholic Schools Operational Guide)</li> <li>○ Serious Offences (CECV Catholic Schools Operational Guide)</li> <li>○ Brigidine Guidelines for Drug Education</li> <li>○ Brigidine Pastoral Practices.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Resources</b></p>	