

## **BUS DRUG AND ALCOHOL MANAGEMENT POLICY**

### **RATIONALE:**

The Bus Safety Act states that we provide safe operation of our bus service which includes driver responsibility to alcohol and drug use. The focus of this policy is to eliminate the risks associated with drug and alcohol use within our bus operations.

### **DEFINITION:**

Bus Safety Act 2009 (Vic) and Guidelines by the Director, Transport Safety Victoria defines the content of this policy.

### **GOALS:**

The goal of the Drug and Alcohol Management Policy is:

To provide directions as to the expectations of drug and alcohol use before or while driving the bus.

### **GUIDELINES:**

- Baden Powell College has a zero drug and alcohol blood or breath expectation and as such bus drivers must not have drugs or alcohol present in his or her blood or breath immediately before or while driving a bus.
- This policy applies to bus drivers when they are driving on official school business.

### **IMPLEMENTATION:**

Drivers will be advised of the policy and given a copy at induction.