



## MAGDALENE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

*"Because I have seen the Lord"*

# Smoking Policy

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## Rationale

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At Magdalene Catholic High School we abide by the recent legal decisions about smoking in public places. Our belief is in accordance with generally acknowledged health concerns and general community expectations.

## Guidelines

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1. There is to be no smoking within the school buildings at any time.
2. There is to be no smoking on school premises or within the school grounds.
3. When staff are on excursions they should not smoke within sight or potentially within sight of students.
4. Visitors are expected to follow the same regulations as staff members.
5. Students are not permitted to smoke on school grounds, at any school function, school camp, retreat or excursion, or whilst on their way to and from school.
6. Students are not to have cigarettes, lighters or matches at any time.
7. Students caught smoking or in possession of cigarettes are to be referred to the Assistant Principal.

## Basis of Discretion

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There is no basis for discretion in this policy

## Supporting Documents

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Quit Kit – NSW Quit Campaign

## Evaluation

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The policy will be reviewed in 2015.