

Anti-Smoking Policy

Smoking on school premises is prohibited. The NSW Department of Education Drugs in School Policy states:

“Smoking on school premises, including school buildings, gardens, sports fields and car parks, is prohibited. This includes students, employees, visitors and other people who use school premises, including community groups. In the case of cross-sectoral sites (e.g. joint school/TAFE sites), a decision regarding the extent of ‘school premises’ will need to be made in the local context.”

Smoking is banned at Killara High School. The definition of smoking as it applies in this policy includes tobacco, e-cigarettes (vapes), and the misuse of inhalants/solvents. Students smoking while in school uniform on their way to and from school or in public areas such as shopping centres, public streets and transport interchanges will be considered in breach of the school's Discipline Policy and Code of Conduct and will incur consequences consistent with the school's Discipline Policy. This also applies to students on school excursions, camps or any other school-sanctioned activity.

Students in possession of cigarettes or smoking related products or in the company of students smoking may also be considered in breach of the school's Discipline Policy and Code of Conduct and will also incur consequences consistent with the school's Discipline Policy.

Repeated breaches of the school's Code of Conduct and Discipline Policy may incur consequences consistent with the 'continued disobedience' provision in the NSW DoE *Procedures for the Suspension and Expulsion of School Students*.

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