**Student Code of Conduct**

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**Student and Parent Declaration**

**2014**

**STUDENT**

I will follow the School Rules which include:

- Always acting in accordance with Student Code of Conduct, which is based on our school values of **Respect, Optimism, Compassion, Commitment & Honesty**
- Playing safely (walk in slow zones, don’t climb trees or buildings, don’t throw stones, sand or sticks and never fight)
- Staying in designated play areas
- Wearing school uniform
- Entering school buildings only with supervision or permission
- Walking bikes/scooters in and around school grounds, and being careful in high traffic areas around the school (footpaths, etc.)

I (student name) ____________________________________________

have read, understood and commit to abide by Buninyong Primary School’s Code of Conduct.

Signed: ________________________________________

**PARENT**

I (parent / guardian name) ________________________________________

have read and understood what is expected of my child. I also commit to working with the school to support and encourage my child to meet these expectations.

Signed: ________________________________________

The Code of Conduct is based on our school values of Respect, Optimism, Commitment, Compassion and Honesty. It outlines the behavioural expectations of students whilst at school. It aims to foster and maintain a culture of mutual respect in a positive and safe environment, where all members of the school community treat each other with dignity and respect.

We expect both parents and students to be familiar with the behavioural expectations of our school. Please read through this document together. Students and parents are then asked to sign this document to show they have read and understood what is expected of students at Buninyong Primary School, and return it to school.
I will always follow the School Values:

**Respect** – Treat yourself, others and your environment with care and respect

- Be willing to **co-operate and share**
- Show respect to others - **be kind** in my words and actions
- Care for my own, the school’s and others’ **property**

**Optimism** – Be confident, resilient and optimistic, always hoping for the best

- Be willing to **give things a try**
- Strive to be **confident and resilient**
- Strive to do **my best**

**Compassion** – Show care, understanding and compassion towards the feelings of others

- Help others to feel they belong
- Listen to others
- Be tolerant and considerate of others

**Commitment** – Be dedicated to do your best

- Make sure my **words match my actions**
- Attend school and be **on time** for class
- Take on responsibilities and follow through to the best of my ability

**Honesty** – Be truthful, sincere and honest in what you say

- Ask for and accept help when needed
- Be truthful, sincere and honest in what I say and do