

# **Student Drivers Policy**

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#### Location

All Coburg High School policies are located under the 'Community' tab on Compass, sub-section 'School Documentation' and then 'Policies'.

# **Language Opportunities**



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## **Purpose**

This policy sets out our school's approach to students driving to and from school and school events. Coburg High School recognises the need for the whole community to make efforts to minimise the risks associated with young drivers and to encourage responsible driving behaviours for all students.

### Scope

This policy applies to all students at Coburg High School who have a valid driver's licence.

# **Policy**

Our school recognises that some students will turn 18 and obtain a driver's licence while they are still attending school. Some of these students will want to drive to and from school. Coburg High School expects that all student drivers will adhere to the conditions of their licence and the road rules and will drive in a safe and responsible manner. If the school becomes aware that a student driver has driven in an unsafe or irresponsible manner, police will be notified.

Students are not permitted to drive themselves to and from camps, excursions or other school activities unless previously arranged and agreed to in consultation with the school principal, and only in exceptional circumstances. Consistent with Victoria's Graduated Licensing System conditions, students are permitted to drive only siblings of the driver.

Students are not permitted to use their car during the school day unless it is for an approved reason such as unavoidable medical appointment. A certificate of attendance at the appointment is required. Coburg High School expects that a parent/carer also confirms that the student will be attending such an appointment.

If students act in breach of this policy, parents/carers will be notified and appropriate student sanctions will apply.

Coburg High School takes no responsibility for damage to vehicles parked in the school car park and parking is at the vehicle owner's own risk.

#### **Further Information and Resources**

The Department's teaching and learning resource:

Traffic Safety

# **Policy Review and Approval**

Policy last reviewed	2024
Approved by	Principal
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