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RELIGION POLICY

1. PREAMBLE

Legislations listed below recognize various religions in our country. School Governing Bodies can determine the nature of religious celebrations and allow that they be observed provided they occur in a fair manner and attendance to them is voluntary and free for all.

In a country democratic as ours and in our school particularly, religious tolerance is encouraged so that nobody will feel insulted or belittled as a result of their religion.

2. LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

- Constitution of the Republic of South Africa Act 108 of 1996 1996 Chapter 2 (Bill of Rights)
- South African Schools Act 84 of 1996 Section 7

3. PURPOSE

To protect individuals against discrimination on the basis of religion.

4. VISION

• Every member of the school community respecting religions other than their own.

5. RULES REGARDING RELIGIONS

Our school is committed to ensuring that:

- 5.1 all religions and denominations, from which members of the school community are drawn, are included on a proportional basis.
- 5.2 religious principles of any one religion are not imposed on anyone else.
- 5.3 religious leaders will be invited to assemblies on a rotational and inclusive basis in line with representation within the school.
- 5.4 school functions may be opened and closed with a prayer.
- 5.5 religious tolerance reigns supreme.

Adopted by the SGB on the 22nd May 2021.

Secretary

Chairperson

Principal

