

Bus Driver

Zero Drug and Alcohol Policy



1. BASIC BELIEFS

Yaapeet Primary School is committed to a zero tolerance alcohol and illicit drugs working environment. It will take all practicable steps to endeavour that all persons performing bus safety work have **a zero level for alcohol and illicit drugs and are not impaired by other drugs.**

Yaapeet Primary School recognises the detrimental effects that drugs and alcohol may have on the safety of bus operations and the general health and wellbeing of individuals.

2. PROCEDURES

The bus driver must not have alcohol or drugs present in his or her blood or breath immediately before or while driving a bus.

Whenever bus safety work is undertaken, as defined under section 3 of the Bus Safety Act 2009 (Vic):

- The bus safety worker will have no drugs or alcohol present in his/her blood or breath immediately before or while undertaking bus safety work
- The bus safety worker will not be impaired by drugs or medication/s

This policy will be communicated to persons, or companies, who perform bus safety work for or on behalf of Yaapeet Primary School. All persons driving the Yaapeet Bus must sign a declaration of compliance with the zero drug and alcohol policy.

3. EVALUATION

This policy will be reviewed annually or more often if necessary due to changes in regulations or circumstances.

Last ratified by School
Council 27th February 2019

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Zero Drug and Alcohol Compliance Form



Declaration Form

I _____ hereby declare that I have no alcohol or drugs present in my blood or breath and will adhere to this policy immediately before or whilst driving the Yaapeet School Bus

Signature of Driver

Date