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College Mission:

We are an independent, K-12, co-educational school community of the Uniting Church in Australia, located in Baldivis, Western Australia.

Our **purpose** is to be an accessible and inclusive community in which student wellbeing and learning are the responsibilities of all members of our school community.

The values that guide our practices are: Personal mastery; Breadth and depth of learning; Respect: Integrity and Service.

COLLEGE COLOURS IN THE TRANBY COLLEGE SENIOR SCHOOL

POLICY

"Colours" are a way of recognising significant participation, achievement, commitment and leadership by a student in the Senior School to the life of the College.

1. Beliefs

At Tranby we believe that:

1.1 it is important to recognise significant participation, achievement, commitment and leadership across the full range of College activities i.e. Arts, Curriculum, House, Service and Sport.

1.2 recognising participation, achievement, commitment and leadership will demonstrate that it is valued in the life of the College and will encourage all students to strive to achieve.

2. Principles

Tranby will:

2.1 develop a system of College Colours that recognise significant participation, achievement, commitment and leadership across the full range of College activities i.e. Arts, Curriculum, House, Service and Sport.

2.2 develop a system that has clear standards and processes so that all students know what they have to achieve to be awarded colours.

2.3 continually review the colours system so that it continues to reflect College activities and student participation.

3. Practices

3.1 There will be two levels of colours:

- Colours: symbols and year embroidered on top pocket of blazer (see Appendix 1)
- Honours: symbol embroidered on top pocket of blazer.

3.2 To be eligible for colours at any level, students must be a good role model within the College.

3.3

3.3.1 Participation

- Actively participated in a wide range of College activities in the selected area for a minimum of two years.
- Has participated as a committed team member for a minimum of two years.
- Has participated in a manner which is a positive role model for younger students.

3.3.2 Achievement

- Consistently maintains a standard of personal excellence within the opportunities provided to them appropriate to their year level.
- Has achieved their highest, or close to their highest level within the College system for a minimum of two years.

3.3.3 Leadership

- Has demonstrated commitment and leadership to the area through their positive influence upon others.
- Is a role model to other students.
- Willingness to help beyond their own participation.

NB: Once a student receives College Colours, they can continue to be acknowledged each year thereafter if they continue to fulfil the criteria. In such instances, students will receive the additional year of attainment under the symbol.

3.4 Honours

3.4.1 Students will be eligible for **Honours** in Year 12 once they have achieved colours in three or more areas for more than two years in each area.

3.5 Colours Committee

3.5.1 Membership of the Colours Committee is:

- Principal/Associate Principal
- Heads of House, Deans of Curriculum
- All other staff members who are directly responsible for a nominated area of application.

3.5.2 The Committee meets towards the end of Term One to process applications ready for presentation at the beginning of Term Two.

3.6 Process

The Heads of House will brief the students on the process that takes place in Term One.

1. Applications are completed by the nominating student and handed in to the Senior School Administration desk.

2. Students may apply in Year 10 – reflecting on their involvement in Years 7, 8 and 9
   Students may apply in Year 11 – reflecting on their involvement in Year 10
   Students may apply in Year 12 – reflecting on their involvement in Year 11

3. Applications are reviewed by the Colours Committee.

4. Students will be informed of the outcome towards the end of Term One by the Heads of House.

5. Blazers are collected before the conclusion of Term One. The College will arrange for the embroidering of the symbols onto the blazer.

6. The presentation of the blazer will be made at the commencement of Term Two.

Appendix 1 – SYMBOLS

The Arts

Curriculum

Service

Sport

House Symbols