

**GLENFIELD
COLLEGE**

A group of five students, three boys and two girls, are smiling and posing for a photo. They are wearing Glenfield College uniforms, which include dark blazers with red pinstripes and white shirts. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with greenery and a building.

STARTING AT GLENFIELD COLLEGE 2021



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Welcome to Glenfield College

This booklet is designed to introduce you to Glenfield College and the way we do things.

Students at Glenfield College are expected to work hard and to always do their very best academically. In addition, we encourage all students to participate in the hugely valuable co-curricular opportunities available through the school.

Glenfield College is into its fifth decade of meeting the educational needs of its local community exceptionally well. We are very proud of the fact that many second generation students are in our school as we value that strong sense of community and support from home.

We work hard to provide a supportive, positive learning environment in the school so that all students can realise their full potential in their time with us. Our modest size enables us to know each of our students well and build excellent working relationships with them. We care about each student and their development into capable, well-rounded citizens.

I look forward to getting to know you and encourage you to be involved in your child's progress during their time at Glenfield College.

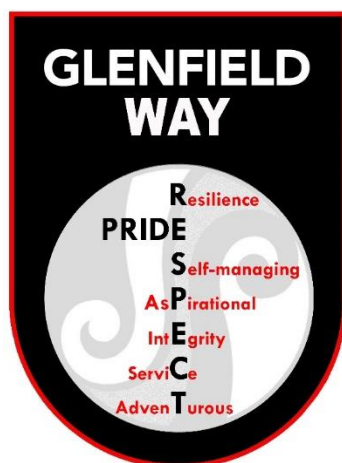
Mr Paul McKinley
Principal

2020





The Glenfield Way



Guiding Principles:

The Glenfield Way encompasses all individuals in the school community.

The Glenfield Way **must** guide all daily relationships between staff and students.

The Glenfield Way is based on respect for others and the dignity of the individual.

All individuals in the school have both rights and responsibilities as part of the Glenfield Way.

Staff:

- Model the values of the Glenfield Way at Glenfield College
- Respect all students as individuals
- Demonstrate the value of education by offering a learning programme that meets the needs of all students
- Make sure that students experience success in meeting expected outcomes
- Make sure that all consequences are fair and is given in a positive manner

Students:

- Conduct themselves according to the Glenfield Way at Glenfield College
- Attempt all classwork and homework to the best of their ability
- Respect their own, the School's and other people's property
- Respect all staff by following all instructions that are given to them
- Have respect for others, which includes no use of violence, either verbal or physical, towards other students or staff



School Rules

The school rules reflect the school community's expectations of acceptable standards of behaviour, dress and personal presentation in the widest sense. Students are expected to abide by the school rules at school, when in uniform or when engaged in activities that are associated with the school. At these times, a student is deemed to be under the jurisdiction of the school for the purpose of these rules.

1. Disciplinary Jurisdiction

Students are subject to school discipline from the time they leave home in school uniform, until they return home, and are expected to meet a high standard of behaviour, both inside and outside the school grounds.

2. Prohibited Items

The following items are **not** to be brought onto the school grounds.

- Alcohol
- Drugs
- Any device associated with the use of drugs
- Synthetic cannabis
- Chemicals
- Cigarettes or tobacco or vape pens
- Knives or other weapons
- Chewing gum
- Lighters/Matches
- Explosive or dangerous materials (fireworks)
- Marker pens
- Skateboards
- Gang-associated clothing/accessories
- Portable speakers

3. Electronic Devices

are permitted at school, but students are discouraged from bringing these unnecessarily.

Classroom use of electronic devices, such as cameras, iPods, iPads, laptops and tablets, as tools for learning is increasing. However, use of these in the classroom is at the discretion of the teacher and must be appropriate to purpose.

Cellphones: While cellphones are permitted at school, use of cellphones at school must be appropriate. It is not acceptable or appropriate for students to send/receive text messages or phone calls in class. If appropriate, permission may be given by teachers for cellphones to be used as a tool for learning, eg to take a photo, to video record an experiment, or to access information. When not used for these purposes, during class time, at assemblies, and between classes, cellphones are to be switched off and in bags, packed away or out of sight.

The inappropriate use of any electronic device for the following is also prohibited and may result in serious consequences:





- a) The unauthorised taking of any still or moving images
- b) The unauthorised sharing or posting (electronic or otherwise) of any still or moving images

The school will not be held responsible for any loss of stolen devices

4. Forbidden Behaviours

The following behaviours are strictly forbidden, both on the school grounds and when students are away from the school grounds but under school jurisdiction. These behaviours may constitute gross misconduct, which is a dangerous and harmful example to other students, and may result in a detention, stand down, or suspension. This list is not exhaustive:

- Being in the possession of, distributing, or consuming alcohol, illegal drugs, synthetic cannabis, or cigarettes/vaping.
- Distributing printed or electronic literature of any description without the permission of the principal, including material which is obscene, offensive, or inappropriate for a school setting
- Stealing
- Bullying, intimidating, or harassing another person in any way, including by cyber or text and includes physical, sexual, or mental (emotional) harassment
- Assaulting or using violence of any kind against another student, staff member, or member of the public, or threatening to use violence
- Using obscene or inappropriate language, or engaging in obscene and inappropriate behaviours
- Behaving in a rude or disrespectful way towards other members of the school, or wider community, such behaviour reflecting badly on the school and the Glenfield Way
- Causing loss or damage to school property, or the property of another member of the school, or wider community
- Cheating or otherwise misleading the school, including during the course of an investigation by the Principal or one of the Deputy Principals
- Failing or refusing to comply with instructions regarding attending detentions
- Accessing inappropriate websites on the school computer systems or while under school jurisdiction, or distributing material from such sites
- Failing to comply with instructions or directions from a staff member
- Otherwise behaving in a way that brings the school into disrepute

5. Attendance

Students are required to attend all classes and remain in the school grounds during the school day.

- All requests for extended leave from school (three days or more) must be addressed in writing to the Principal in advance. Emailed requests should be sent to principal@gc.ac.nz.
- Students are required to be punctual at school and must attend Assembly from 8:45am on Tuesday, Form Class from 8:45am on Monday, Thursday, and Friday, and Period 1 at 9am on Wednesday.
- In case of absence, parents must notify the school by telephone, 09 441 9773 or by email – absences@gc.ac.nz on the morning of the absence. Students are to bring a note confirming the reason for their absence on the day they return to school. This should be given to their Form Teacher. The Attendance Officer may accept emails from a parents' work email address; however, notification from a home email address will still require a signed note.
- Trips to the airport, birthday celebrations, driving tests/licences, and interviews for part-time jobs are not justified or acceptable reasons for being absent from school.
- Students who are late to school must obtain a pass from the Student Wellbeing Centre in order to be admitted to class.



6. School Uniform

The school uniform is to be worn tidily and correctly, both at school and between home and school at all times. This includes the journey to and from school each day. Hair must be clean and tidy, with long hair, both for boys and girls, tied back off the face, primarily for health and safety reasons. Hair must not be extreme in either style or colour. All hair ties, clips and ribbons must be plain black, white, or red. Excesses of current fashions are not acceptable. Boys are to be clean-shaven. Boys and girls may also wear a small, plain gold or silver stud earring in the lobe of the ear. Non-regulation items, including jewellery, may be confiscated. Tattoos, cultural or otherwise, must not be visible. Make-up and nail polish must not be worn.

Uniform Passes – as a general rule, no mufti items are permitted. Students may not wear mufti unless a school-wide mufti day is declared.

- In exceptional cases, each of which is treated on its merits, students may be given a uniform pass from the Duty Dean. A letter from home is required explaining the situation with the incorrect uniform. On their arrival at school the student is to request such a pass from the Dean's Building and must carry the pass all day.
- Students who continue to wear incorrect uniform (medical reasons notwithstanding) will be sent home to rectify this before being allowed to return to school and parents will be notified.
- If a student has incorrect uniform and no uniform pass, they should not be allowed entry to class and will be sent to the Student Wellbeing Centre. They will also receive a detention.

Glenfield College is a school with high standards and values. There is an expectation that all students will wear their uniform with pride. This means wearing the uniform correctly at all times and taking personal presentation seriously. The school requires that correct uniform is worn in the correct manner when students are at school and travelling to and from school.

All items of uniform must be purchased from NZ Uniforms.

- No clothing may be worn over the uniform
- No visible T-Shirts are permitted
- Beanies may not be worn
- Nail polish and make-up must not be worn
- It is expected that all items of clothing will be clearly named, with the student's name and form class.
- No adjustments are to be made to the shape of the uniform

7. School Bags

Every student must have their own school bag. The bag must be suitable for the purpose of carrying school books and equipment. It must be sufficient size, be sturdy, waterproof, and comfortable to carry. Bags must be free of graffiti and slogans.





8. Lost Property

All articles of clothing, shoes, books, bags and other personal property, including digital devices must be clearly marked with the owner's name. No responsibility can be accepted for unmarked property. Students who lose (or find) items of personal property should, in the first instance, report it to the Student Wellbeing Centre.

9. **Bicycles/Scooters** are to be stored in the bike racks. They should be securely locked to the racks. Basic road safety rules must be obeyed on the way to and from school. Bicycles may not be ridden in the school grounds. It is compulsory for all students riding bicycles to wear a helmet.

10. Vehicles

Students who bring a vehicle to school must not use or access the vehicle during the school day without the permission of a Deputy Principal. Students must not park in the staff carpark. Student parking is on the street, or the left-hand side of the top school driveway (beside the rugby fields). The Road Rules must be adhered to at all times.



General Information

Form Classes

Each Year 9 student will be placed in a form class to study the core subjects: English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Physical Education, Health, Te Reo Maori and Digital Citizenship. Option classes are made up of students from a variety of Year 9 classes. The form class meets at the beginning of each day (8.45am until 9am – except on Wednesdays) and any time there is a “Pastoral Period”. The Form Teacher is involved with the daily pastoral care of group members; checking on absences, monitoring progress, and following up on classroom behaviour. It is also where a number of administrative tasks are carried out. Students remain in the same form class for their five years at high school.

The Timetable

Glenfield College runs a six day timetable. There are five, one hour periods per day. The timetable is based on the days of the six day cycle, not the days of the week. The days of the cycle are shown on the Year Planner published in the Student Diary. Full school assembly is at 8.45am on Tuesday morning. A typical Year 9 timetable looks like this:

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
Period 1	English	PE	Maths	Option 2	Science	Option 1
Period 2	Option 1	English	Soc. Studies	Maths	Option 2	Science
Period 3	Science	Option 1	English	Soc. Studies	Maths	Option 2
Period 4	Option 2	Science	Option 1	PE	Soc. Studies	Maths
Period 5	Maths	Option 2	Science	Option 1	English	Soc. Studies

Class Times

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
First Bell 8:40	First Bell 8:40	First Bell 9:00	First Bell 8:40	First Bell 8:40
Form Class 8:45 - 9:00	Assembly 8:45 - 9:15		Form Class 8:45 - 9:00	Form Class 8:45 - 9:00
Period 1 9:15 - 10:00	Period 1 9:05 - 10:00	Period 1 9:05 - 9:55	Period 1 9:05 - 10:00	Period 1 9:05 - 10:00
Period 2 10:05 - 11:00	Period 2 10:05 - 11:00	Period 2 10:00 - 10:50	Period 2 10:05 - 11:00	Period 2 10:05 - 11:00
Interval 11:00 - 11:30	Interval 11:00 - 11:30	Interval 10:50 - 11:10	Interval 11:00 - 11:30	Interval 11:00 - 11:30
Period 3 11:35 - 12:30	Period 3 11:35 - 12:30	Period 3 11:15 - 12:05	Period 3 11:35 - 12:30	Period 3 11:35 - 12:30
Period 4 12:35 - 13:30	Period 4 12:35 - 13:30	Period 4 12:10 - 12:55	Period 4 12:35 - 13:30	Period 4 12:35 - 13:30
Lunch 13:30 - 14:10	Lunch 13:30 - 14:10	Lunch 12:55 - 13:35	Lunch 13:30 - 14:10	Lunch 13:30 - 14:10
Period 5 14:15 - 15:10	Period 5 14:15 - 15:10	Period 5 13:40 - 14:30	Period 5 14:15 - 15:10	Period 5 14:15 - 15:10





Buses

Information regarding buses can be found on the Auckland Transport website:

<https://at.govt.nz/bus-train-ferry/timetables/school-timetables>.

Behaviour Expectations When Travelling on the Bus

1. When crossing the road, students must use the pedestrian crossings or traffic island where available.
2. In the morning upon arrival students are expected to enter the school grounds straight away and not linger in front of the school or in surrounding streets.
3. In the afternoon, students waiting to board their bus are to line up under the direction of duty staff.
4. While on the bus, students are expected to behave in a way which does not cause offence to other passengers or to the bus driver. All instructions of the bus driver are to be obeyed without question. Behaviour which does not comply with normal school rules may result in the students concerned being denied access to the bus service for a period of time.

ID Cards

The Student ID Card may also be necessary for some students to get student concessions on public transport. ID photos will be taken early in 2021. \$5 is payable to the Finance Office.

Student Diary

A student diary is issued to each Year 9 student by their Form Teacher at the beginning of each term. The diary is designed to help organise school time, schoolwork and homework. It is also a means of communication between home and school. Using the student diary is compulsory for Year 9 students who must have it with them in every class and take it home each night.

Lockers

Lockers are available to hire at a cost of \$40 per year. Students must provide their own lock and should make payment at the Finance Office where they will be assigned a number.

Personal Property

It is important to name all items a student wears or brings to school so that anything misplaced can quickly and easily be returned to the owner. If clothing items are lost the student should visit the Student Wellbeing Centre where found items are held. Students are responsible for their personal property. No responsibility is taken by the school for loss or damage. Electronic devices are permitted at school but must only be used in class when specific permission has been given by the teacher. Headphones are not to be visible during class times and school events unless specifically allowed by the teacher of that lesson or responsible for the event.



Stationery

Stationery may be purchased from any stationery outlet. If you choose to shop at Warehouse Stationery quote the school code **BYS2LBZ**. This gives support points to Glenfield College. A stationery list will be provided towards end of the year, in preparation for the following year.

School Donation

Parents are not required to pay any donation as the school has opted into the Government Donation Scheme.

Contribution to Subject Expenses

Where there is a take-home component for student work such as in Technology (where students keep what they have made), we ask for a contribution to the costs for the materials used. Some subjects have a highly recommended workbook and these are not compulsory to purchase. Students who choose to purchase these workbooks tend to gain more understanding of their chosen subject.

Payments

Payments may be made in the following ways:

- At the school Finance Office between 8.30am and 4.00pm, by
 - Eftpos
 - Cash
 - Credit Card (excl. Amex and Diners)
 - Cheque made payable to Glenfield College
- **Internet Banking**
(You will need to be registered at your Bank for this):
Our Bank Account is: **12-3072-0723500-00**
Please ensure that the student's **full name** and/or ID Number and reason for payment are used as the reference to appear on our statement.
- **Automatic Payments**
(Payment of fees in instalments throughout the year)
Forms are available from the Finance Office. Please ensure that the Students **full name** and/or ID Number are used as the reference to appear on our statement.

If you have any queries or need to discuss student fees, please contact the Finance Office on 444 9066 ext 612 or email j.kilroy@gc.ac.nz anytime during the year.





SchoolTV

Glenfield College has subscribed to SchoolTV to help you support your child's wellbeing.

"Because parenting doesn't come with instructions"

"The wellbeing of today's youth has never been more challenging" Dr Michael Carr-Gregg



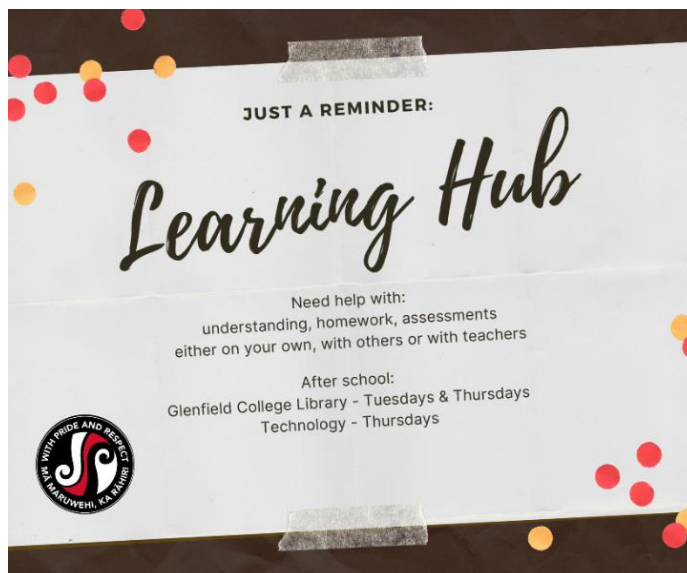
There is no doubt that parenting can be tough. As a parent, helping teens navigate their way through the issues they face is not easy. SchoolTV is a wellbeing platform that addresses the modern day realities faced by schools and parents in raising safe, happy and resilient young people. While there is a great deal of information already out there, this can often be confusing and overwhelming for parents. SchoolTV simplifies access to credible, sound information with realistic and practical strategies. SchoolTV gives us 24/7 access to information developed by leading experts on topics that include anxiety, depression, self-harm, drug and alcohol use, cybersafety and bullying.

This resource can be found on the front page of the school website. Each topic features videos, fact sheets, articles, quizzes and a host of related resources. As you explore the site you'll see the content has been created in Australia, though the topics discussed and support offered are just as relevant and valuable here. Specific New Zealand content, topics and interviews, with a strong line-up of New Zealand contributors, will be added over the coming months.

As issues emerge, new material will be added and there will be a new report each month. When appropriate, the school newsletter, or separate communication will come out highlighting a specific area relevant for your children.

<https://gc.nz.schooltv.me>

Help with Homework



Junior Camp

Each year, Year 9 and 10 students have the chance to attend Junior Camp. The location of this changes each year.

Everything we do at Glenfield College is about trying to extend our students to help them become well-rounded individuals as they grow through the teenage years. The camp experience embraces all the values of the Glenfield Way and we encourage children to attend. The cost of this is approximately \$270.



Communication and Reporting

The Glenfield College website www.glenfieldcollege.school.nz is a valuable source of information.

Communication with Students During School Time

If you wish to communicate with your child during school hours, please be mindful of whether it is class time or not. Students are expected to have their cellphones switched off during class. If you require urgent communication, please phone the school office on 441 9776 (option 2) and we will contact your child.

If you wish to collect your child during the school day, or drop items off for them, please do so at the Student Wellbeing Centre.

Parent Portal/Devices

Parents are able to access current attendance, pastoral and achievement information through the Parent Portal on the school website. A unique login and password will be provided for each family. Please familiarise yourself with this portal so that you can be fully informed of your child's progress at any time.

We are increasingly using email and the school website/Facebook page to communicate with parents. Please ensure that the school has your current contact details, including mobile phone numbers and email addresses.

At Glenfield College we are encouraging students to bring personal devices to help with their learning. While having a device is not compulsory, students report that it does make access to information, organisation and collaboration on tasks more manageable.

We do not specify a particular type of device. Families and students can choose the device that best meets the needs of the individual student.

For a portable device to be useful at school it needs to be able to use our wireless internet and run Google applications. Our school-wide integration of Google Apps allows our students to access their work and email on any device that supports Google Chrome.

School Newsletter

School newsletters are emailed home to parents/caregivers fortnightly. If you require a paper copy of the newsletter, please let our office know.

Fortnightly Reports

Fortnightly reports are emailed to parents/caregivers and give an indication of how students are progressing during a two-week time frame, their commitment to their studies, and their effort and attitude.





School App

DOWNLOAD THE APP FOR FREE FROM YOUR APP STORE

and stay informed

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anApp mobile



schoolappsnz.co.nz

Download the Glenfield College School App from your device's App Store for notices, events and other important school messages. Use the app to notify us of your child's absence, contact a teacher, access the parental portal and find links to maps and key websites. Receive alert messages and notices instantly from your chosen groups, such as your child's sports team.



Cybersafety Use Agreement Information

Students and parents*/caregivers/legal guardians please read and discuss all sections carefully. Please keep this document for future reference. If you have any questions about this agreement please contact Mr Bonneywell – j.bonneywell@gc.ac.nz.

Your signature on the enrolment form, signals that you agree to the terms of this agreement.

*** The term 'parent' used throughout this document also refers to legal guardians and caregivers.**

Important terms used in this document:

- (a) The abbreviation '**ICT**' in this document refers to the term 'Information and Communication Technologies'
- (b) '**Cybersafety**' refers to the safe use of the Internet and ICT equipment/devices, including mobile phones
- (c) '**School ICT**' refers to the school's computer network, Internet access facilities, computers, and other school ICT equipment/devices as outlined in (d) below
- (d) The term '**ICT equipment/devices**' used in this document, includes but is not limited to, computers (such as desktops, laptops, PDAs), storage devices (such as USB and flash memory devices, CDs, DVDs, iPods, MP3 players), cameras (such as video, digital, webcams), all types of mobile phones, gaming consoles, video and audio players/receivers (such as portable CD and DVD players), and any other, similar, technologies as they come into use
- (e) '**Objectionable**' in this agreement means material that deals with matters such as sex, cruelty, or violence in such a manner that it is likely to be injurious to the good of students or incompatible with a school environment. This is intended to be inclusive of the definition used in the Films, Videos and Publications Classification Act 1993.

SECTION A: Introduction

The measures to ensure the cybersafety of the Glenfield College community outlined in this document are based on our core values.

The school's computer network, Internet access facilities, computers and other school ICT equipment/devices bring great benefits to the teaching and learning programmes at Glenfield College, and to the effective operation of the school.

Our school has rigorous cybersafety practices in place, which include cybersafety use agreements for all school staff and students.

The overall goal of the school in this matter is to create and maintain a cybersafety culture which is in keeping with the values of the school, and legislative and professional obligations. This use agreement includes information about your obligations, responsibilities, and the nature of possible consequences associated with cybersafety breaches which undermine the safety of the school environment.

The school's computer network, Internet access facilities, computers and other school ICT equipment/devices are for educational purposes appropriate to the school environment. This applies whether the ICT equipment is owned or leased either partially or wholly by the school and used on or off the school site.





SECTION B: Rules to Help Keep Glenfield College Students Cybersafe

As a safe and responsible user of ICT, I will help keep myself and other people safe by following these rules:

I cannot use school ICT equipment until my parent and I have read and signed my use agreement form and returned it to school.

1. If I have my own user name, I will log on only with that user name. I will not allow anyone else to use my user name.
2. I will not tell anyone else my password.
3. While at school or a school-related activity, I will not have any involvement with any ICT material or activity which might put myself or anyone else at risk (e.g. bullying or harassing).
4. I understand that I must not at any time use ICT to upset, offend, harass, threaten or in any way harm anyone connected to the school or the school itself, even if it is meant as a joke.
5. I understand that the rules in this use agreement also apply to mobile phones and other digital devices. I will only use my mobile phone(s)/digital devices at the times that I am permitted to during the school day.
6. I understand that I can only use the Internet at school when a teacher gives permission and there is staff supervision.
7. While at school, I will not:
 - Access, or attempt to access, inappropriate, age-restricted, or objectionable material
 - Download, save or distribute such material by copying, storing, printing or showing it to other people
 - Make any attempt to get around or bypass security, monitoring and filtering that is in place at school
9. If I accidentally access inappropriate material, I will:
 1. Not show others;
 2. Turn off the screen or minimise the window; and
 3. Report the incident to a teacher immediately.
10. I understand that I must not download any files such as music, videos, games or programmes without the permission of a teacher. This makes sure the school complies with the Copyright Act 1994. I also understand that anyone who infringes copyright may be personally liable under this law.
11. I understand that these rules apply to any privately owned ICT equipment/device (such as a laptop, mobile phone, USB drive) I bring to school or a school-related activity. Any images or material on such equipment/devices must be appropriate to the school environment.
12. I will not connect any device (such as a USB drive, camera or phone) to, or attempt to run any software on, school ICT without a teacher's permission. This includes all wireless technologies.
13. I will ask a teacher's permission before giving out any personal information (including photos) online about myself or any other person. I will also get permission from any other person involved. Personal information includes name, address, email address, phone numbers, and photos.
14. I will respect all ICT systems in use at school and treat all ICT equipment/devices with care. This includes:
 - Not intentionally disrupting the smooth running of any school ICT systems.
 - Not attempting to hack or gain unauthorised access to any system.
 - Following all school cybersafety rules, and not joining in if other students choose to be irresponsible with ICT.
 - Reporting any breakages/damage to a staff member.
15. I understand that the school may monitor traffic and material sent and received using the school's ICT network. The school may use filtering and/or monitoring software to restrict access to certain sites and data, including email.
16. I understand that the school may audit its computer network, Internet access facilities, computers and other school ICT equipment/devices or commission an independent forensic audit. Auditing of the above items may include any stored content, and all aspects of their use, including email.
17. I understand that if I break these rules, the school may inform my parent(s). In serious cases the school may take disciplinary action against me. I also understand that my family may be charged for repair costs. If illegal material or activities are involved, it may be necessary for the school to inform the police.



Attendance

All students must arrive by 8.40am, be in Form Class by 8.45am (except Wednesdays, in class by 9.05am) and attend all timetabled classes while at school, unless otherwise directed by a staff member.

Lateness

If your child is late for school they are to bring a note giving the reason. If they arrive after 8.45am (or 9am on a Wednesday), they must report to the Student Wellbeing Centre for a late pass.

Absence

Absence Through Sickness

In the event that your child is unable to attend school due to illness, please contact the Attendance Officer on the morning of the absence on 441 9773, or 444 9776, or email absences@gc.ac.nz, leaving your child's name, year level and the reason for absence. A note is to be given to the Form Teacher on the day of the child's return to school. The note is to be written and signed by the caregiver. An email from the parents/caregivers work email address is sufficient; however, notification from a home email address still requires a signed, written note to be provided.

Appointments

If your child must be absent from school for a period of time during the day please send a note to request a leave pass, giving the reason, the time of departure and estimated time of return to school. The student must take this note to the Student Wellbeing Centre prior to leaving school to obtain a leave pass. The student must sign in again on his/her return.

*Trips to the airport, birthday celebrations, driving test/licences and interviews for part-time jobs are not justified or acceptable reasons for being absent from school.

Special Leave

Should time away from school be required for reasons other than sickness (for three days or longer), a formal letter of request should be addressed to the Principal, preferably four weeks in advance of the anticipated leave. Your child will need to complete a School Leave Compliance Form which will indicate the work they will miss during their absence. This will be sent to you in the Principal's response letter.





Student Support Centre

Sick Bay

Glenfield College has a trained First Aider on duty in the Health Centre between 8.30am and 3.30pm daily. For safety reasons students who become unwell at school must report to the Sick Bay and must not leave the school without permission. Caregivers will be contacted if the student requires further medical assistance or needs to be collected.

Physiotherapy

There is a physiotherapist available on site through PhysioAction. Bookings can be made before school with the school nurse.

Counsellor

A Counsellor is available in the Student Wellbeing Centre. Students may request appointment bookings at the Student Wellbeing Centre reception.

Term Dates 2021

Term 1		
2 February	Tuesday	Year 9 Orientation (8.45am start)
3 February	Wednesday	Whole School Timetable Day 1
8 February	Monday	Waitangi Day Observed
2 April	Friday	Good Friday
5 April	Monday	Easter Monday
6 April	Tuesday	Easter Tuesday
16 April	Friday	Term 1 Ends
Term 2		
3 May	Monday	Term 2 Commences
4 June	Friday	Mid Term Break
7 June	Monday	Queen's Birthday
9 July	Friday	Term 2 Ends
Term 3		
26 July	Monday	Term 3 Commences
3 September	Friday	Mid Term Break
1 October	Friday	Term 3 Ends
Term 4		
18 October	Monday	Term 4 Commences
25 October	Monday	Labour Day
14 December	Tuesday	Term 4 Ends



Key Contacts

School Automated Phone: 441 9776 (to reach the Student Wellbeing Centre, Attendance or to enter an extension number)

Senior Leadership Team 2021

Principal	Paul McKinley	principal@gc.ac.nz
Deputy Principal	Anne Kabalin Oversees Year 12 & 13	a.kabalin@gc.ac.nz
Deputy Principal	Michelle Cleaver Oversees Year 11	m.cleaver@gc.ac.nz
Deputy Principal	John Bonneywell Oversees Years 9 & 10	j.bonneywell@gc.ac.nz

Deans 2021

The Deans are your first point of contact for issues relating to a student's academic or pastoral needs.

Year 9	Rusty Anderson	r.anderson@gc.ac.nz
Year 10	Sinead O'Hara	s.ohara@gc.ac.nz
Year 11 & 12	Luke Gardner	l.gardner@gc.ac.nz
Year 13	Alastair Tod	a.tod@gc.ac.nz

Key Staff for 2021

Attendance Office	Lesley Elliott	444 9066 x 909 l.elliott@gc.ac.nz
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GLENFIELD COLLEGE

School Uniform

All new students to the school must wear the new uniform that was introduced in 2018. Junior uniform covers Years 9 to 10. Senior uniform covers Years 11 to 13.



Glenfield College Uniform

Available from 'New Zealand Uniforms'

Store: 19a Douglas Alexander Parade, Albany, Auckland, 0632

Phone: 09 4776 300

Email: albany@nzuniforms.com

Store Hours: Weekdays 9am – 5pm, Saturday 9am – 1pm

Web: www.nzuniforms.com

Payment Options:

NZ Uniforms accepts Cash, Eftpos, all major Credit Cards and WINZ payments. We also offer finance through Gilrose Finance and have a 'Uniform Club' which is a great way to save for your School Uniform purchases.

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It's easy, set up an account and make automatic payments (weekly, fortnightly or monthly) in advance and watch your balance grow.

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Junior Uniform All new Year 9 to 10 students from 2018	Boys	Gingham shirt Shorts or long pants with Glenfield logo Long, knee-length black socks Shoes – black leather lace-up with defined heel Black Roman sandals may be worn without socks, if shorts are worn Outer garment is jersey
	Girls	Gingham blouse Mid-length skirt or culottes with Glenfield logo White socks with black band Shoes – black leather lace-up with defined heel Black Roman sandals may be worn without socks Black tights may be worn with shoes in winter Outer garment is cardigan/jersey
Senior Uniform All new Year 11, 12 & 13 students from 2018	Boys	White Glenfield College shirt Long, knee-length black socks Shorts or long pants with Glenfield logo Shoes – black leather lace-up with defined heel School blazer and tie Soft-shell jacket may be worn on Mon, Wed, Thur
	Girls	White Glenfield College blouse Long skirt, mid-length skirt or culottes White socks with black band Shoes – black leather lace-up with defined heel Black tights may be worn with shoes in winter School blazer and tie Soft-shell jacket may be worn on Mon, Wed, Thur



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Physical Education/Dance

All Year 9 and 10 students, as well as those taking Physical Education, require the Glenfield College PE shirt and black sports shorts

Students taking Dance will require a suitable change of clothes for all practical lessons

Optional Items:

- **Soft-shell jacket:** this is not to be worn in summer or in classrooms
- **Scarf with Glenfield College logo:** this is the only scarf permitted
- **Cap with Glenfield College logo:** this is the only cap permitted

Please note:

- Hair must be tidy and excesses of extreme (colour/style) fashion, such as partly shaved heads, are not acceptable. Long hair, for both boys and girls, must be tied back for health and safety reasons.
- Boys and girls may wear one small, plain gold or silver stud earring in the lobe of the ear
- No other jewellery is permitted except a wristwatch
- Beanies/bucket caps may not be worn
- Tattoos, cultural or otherwise, are not to be visible
- Caps are to be the official Glenfield College cap which can be purchased at the NZ Uniform Shop
- Make-up or nail polish must not be worn

**All garments need to be clean and in good condition
reflecting our motto of "Pride and Respect"**

NO STUDENT MAY WEAR MUFTI TO SCHOOL EXCEPT ON DESIGNATED MUFTI DAYS.

We appreciate your support with the items listed above,
as we work towards the raising of standards and expectations of our students
as we prepare them for life outside of school.

IN ALL UNIFORM MATTERS THE PRINCIPAL'S JUDGMENT IS FINAL





School Map

