**THORNLIE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL**

**Late to School Policy**

Punctuality is an important facet of our personal makeup, and a facet we promote with TSHS students with a view to engage them appropriately with each subject and maximize their learning opportunities.

The **Late to School** Policy aims to:

* Promote punctuality as a worthwhile and valuable personal trait
* Maximise learning opportunities by minimising late arrivals and disruptions to lessons.

A **Late to School** offence refers to:

* Arriving to the first lesson of the day after the bell at 08:45am, more than once in a defined school week.
* The student does not have legitimate claim to a SMS, phone call or email, or produce a note that authorises the repeat Late Arrivals (absences) from their parent/guardian.

**Late To School Procedures**

Thornlie Senior High School has established the following procedures for students involved in **Late to School**

offences (as defined above.)

Student Name:

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| **FIRST Offence Date:** | repeat offences.   * Letter sent home regarding **Late to School** offences**.** |  |
| **SECOND Offence Date:** | * SS Staff interview student and administers **Lunch Detention** for th second offence * Letter sent home regarding **Late to School** offences | |
| **THIRD Offence**  **Date:** | * SS Staff interview student and administers **After School Detention**.    | |
| **SUBSEQUENT Offences Date:** | Student is allocated **‘Eco-Management Duties’** in the After School Detention timeslot **OR** complete identified tasks for **Catch-up** of  up the yard or cleaning up on missed lesson tasks) | |
| **Case by Case** | * Students lose their **‘Good Standing’** within the school, resulting in losing privileges related to reward excursions, school representation in sports and Arts events, and other non- timetabled events on the school roster. | |

Student Services Staff: Date: