THE PREBENDAL SCHOOL

B14_STATEMENT OF BOARDING PRINCIPLES

Aims of Boarding at Prebendal

Our Boarding Policy aims to provide

• A safe, caring, homely atmosphere in which children can grow in confidence and develop an independence and interdependence that will prepare them for their future lives.

• A happy and stable environment in which children can relax and feel secure.

• A considerate and caring staff who have the best interests of the children as their prime consideration and are prepared to give their time and energy to ensure that the boarders feel safe and happy.

• A range of activities and clubs that will assist in the personal, social and cultural development of each child.

• A boarding area that is clean, comfortable and well decorated, that is safe and free from physical hazards and danger.

• A nourishing, varied and well balanced diet to ensure the healthy well being and physical growth of the children.

• Access to qualified medical assistance in the event of illness or accident.

• Assistance with and oversight of academic work to ensure that children keep up with work and progress is made.

• A discipline that is firm and fair, based on the expectation of good manners and a high standard of behaviour that shows consideration for others in the community.

• A system that establishes and maintains links with parents so that they are aware of what is happening and they are kept in touch with their child’s development.