

Rules on Smoking, Alcohol, Drugs & Weapons

- The school finds it unacceptable for any member of the community to be in possession of, use or supply any illegal or unauthorised drugs.
- Pupils may not have in their possession any drugs or medicines without the knowledge and approval of the Health Centre Nurse. The school reserves the right to test for drug abuse.
- Pupils may not smoke or have smoking materials, matches or lighters in their possession.
- Alcohol is not allowed on school premises and the laws of the land are to be observed by all pupils when out of school. The only exception to this will be the Sixth Form Dinners when a different policy will operate. No pupil should return to school under the influence of alcohol.
- Pupils may not have in their possession weapons such as knives, air guns or pistols, laser pens, fireworks or dangerous substances. The ignition of any sort of unsupervised fire by pupils on school property is not allowed.
- Pupils are not permitted to remove equipment from laboratories or any other area of school.

Failure to comply with any of the above may result in a pupil forfeiting their right to be at Abbotsholme.

For more information, refer to the relevant school policy:

- Alcohol Policy
- Anti-Drugs Policy

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