



Sydney Lankarama Dhamma School

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The Chief Prelate of Australia for Malwatthe Chapter, Syamopali Nikaya Venerable Royal Pandit Meegahakumbure Dhammagavesi Thero:

- Chief incumbent of Sydney Lankarama Buddhist Vihara
- Advisor/Principle of the Sydney Lankarama Dhamma School

Rules and Regulations

Attendance

- Children are required to attend Dhamma School regularly.
- Children should be at the Temple at least 10 minutes before Dhamma School commences for the preparation of the Buddha Vandana.
- If your child is unable to attend 2 or more consecutive days, you need to inform the Administration office. If you fail to do so, your child's name will be removed from the register and opportunity will be given to another child. In such situations, you have to re-register your child as a new student by paying the admission fee.
- It is required to attend more than 50% of the Dhamma School days, including the examinations to obtain the Dhamma School Certificate at the end of the year.
- Attending to allocated Sil Program days (Vesak, Poson and Class Sil day) is compulsory.
- Children are required to participate in special events, such as Vesak Bhakthi Gee, Katina Perahera, Vas Season Programs and Special Dhamma Sermons organised for High School students.

Dress Code

- Children must wear white clothes to the Dhamma School.
- Preferred dress code for Boys is Sri Lankan National costume.
- Secondary level boys **must** wear long white trousers (no shorts allowed).
- Preferred dress for Girls is Lama Sari. If not, skirts or frocks. **Must not** wear shorts, short skirts or leggings to the Temple.
- All these dress codes apply to Sil Programs and other events conducted by Dhamma School.

Respect

- You and your child must respect Teachers.
- Respect other people who have dedicated their service voluntarily.
- If you need to take your child home early for a very important reason, as a respect, you should inform the teacher before class begins or let the Administration office know.
- Parents **must not** enter classrooms during the class time.

Items

- Parents are required to send writing books, text books, pens and pencils, etc.
- Vandana book **must** be sent to temple all the time.
- Mobile phones or any electronic items **must not** be sent.

Communications

- All communications must go through Administration. Teacher will not communicate with you directly. Therefore you should not directly contact teachers for Dhamma School matters.
- Dhamma School will contact you via Dhamma School email (lankaramadhammaschool@gmail.com) or dedicated mobile number. So please respond to only those mediums.

Class arrangement and other activities

- It is parents' duty to arrange their own child's class at the beginning and the end.
- Flowers should be brought for the Buddha Vandana when allocated to your child's class and for the Sil Program.
- As parents you need to help with other activities allocated to you.

Change to Information provided

- It is important to let the Administration Office know any changes to the information given at the time of registration.

Emergencies

- Parents must be able to be contacted immediately in any emergency.
- It is expected parents to be at the Temple during Dhamma School time.
- Medicare number will be used for an emergency where required by emergency services.