## REDE to LEARN



## At Kawana Waters State College we:

- Show **RESPECT** for ourselves, others and the environment,
- Strive for **EXCELLENCE** in all that we do,
- Encourage **DIVERSITY** throughout the College,
- Engage in **ENJOYMENT** and celebration.

The REDE to LEARN approach provides staff and students at Kawana Waters State College with a positive, proactive system for defining, teaching and supporting appropriate student behaviours.

Four core behavioural expectations are taught to all students through formal social skills instruction. These expectations are applied across all areas of the College. They are; **RESPECT, EXCELLENCE, DIVERSITY and ENJOYMENT**. In understanding what these expectations are, how they apply to all areas of the school, and the clear consequences of not following these 'rules', students are empowered to regulate their own behaviour. In order to promote positive behaviour, students are rewarded regularly through REDE Reward Cards and acknowledged through the school merit system and assemblies.

REDE to LEARN increases student engagement and learning by promoting 'on-task' behaviours and decreasing distractions in the learning environment. The result at Kawana Waters State College is an enhancement of our already positive school environment. Student academic and social outcomes are improved through increased teaching time and consistent expectations of behaviour.

REDE to LEARN at Kawana Waters State College assists our staff in the delivering high quality learning programs and maintaining high levels of behavioural and academic learning outcomes for all students.

## **REDE Lessons**

Communication, collaboration, creativity and critical thinking are the key factors of learning for 21<sup>st</sup> century students and a vital component in the delivery of these can be found in the REDE lessons. The REDE lessons are one of the many ways that we support the wellbeing of all students and ensure a holistic approach to the learning experience of every child.

Through our REDE Lessons, students will discuss and learn about issues that are relevant to their age, experience and level of development. They will have the opportunity to share their thoughts and ideas in an environment of trust and respect.

REDE Lessons promote a positive, supportive whole-school culture and is a pivotal element of a creative and stimulating learning environment where each student can feel connected and develop a sense of their own abilities, achievements and self-worth.

The REDE lessons underpin the broad educational environment at Kawana Waters State College and provides the essential foundation to our dynamic and healthy learning community.