BURGESS HILL
— GIRLS —

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Responsible for Initiating Review of Policy	Senior Leadership Team
Committee to Review	Senior Leadership Team
Last Review Date	December 2017
Review Period	Three years
Approved by (Committee and Date)	Senior Leadership Team December 2017
Approved by Board of Governors	December 2017
Effective Date of Policy	December 2017
Next Review Date	December 2020
Related Policies	7 a Safeguarding 7 g Independent Listener 9 a to d Behaviour Policies

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To be a school where the well-being of everyone is the prime concern of each member of our community instilling confidence, self-esteem and a feeling of general overall wellbeing which comes from being valued as an individual within a community.

AIMS

- each girl is encouraged to develop her own individuality whilst learning also that personal freedom involves responsibility to others
- providing a safe, stimulating and enriching environment where everyone is able to enjoy her best possible health and well-being
- encouraging pupils to grow up to be responsible, active members of their community
- promoting emotional intelligence
- promoting a values-based PSHE/PALS curriculum which helps to give a firm moral basis in these times when so many attitudes, beliefs and ethics are questioned daily
- providing a family environment in our Boarding Houses, in which pupils can feel comfortable, safe and supported
- providing equal opportunities for all pupils regardless of ability, religion, race, culture or gender
- encouraging tolerance and understanding between all members of our community
- a clear understanding that effort, kindness and good manners will be valued
- developing an understanding of being responsible for oneself
- fostering the kind of community where everyone helps each other and looks after our environment
- a spirit of cooperation between school and home