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# The Boarding Standard (and other key things)



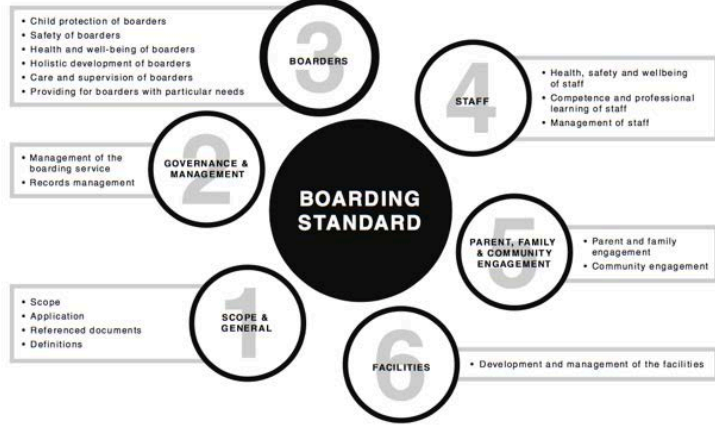
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# The Boarding Standard



- 1 SCOPE & GENERAL**
  - Scope
  - Application
  - Referenced documents
  - Definitions
- 2 GOVERNANCE & MANAGEMENT**
  - Management of the boarding service
  - Records management
- 3 BOARDERS**
  - Child protection of boarders
  - Safety of boarders
  - Health and well-being of boarders
  - Holistic development of boarders
  - Care and supervision of boarders
  - Providing for boarders with particular needs
- 4 STAFF**
  - Health, safety and wellbeing of staff
  - Competence and professional learning of staff
  - Management of staff
- 5 PARENT, FAMILY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**
  - Parent and family engagement
  - Community engagement
- 6 FACILITIES**
  - Development and management of the facilities

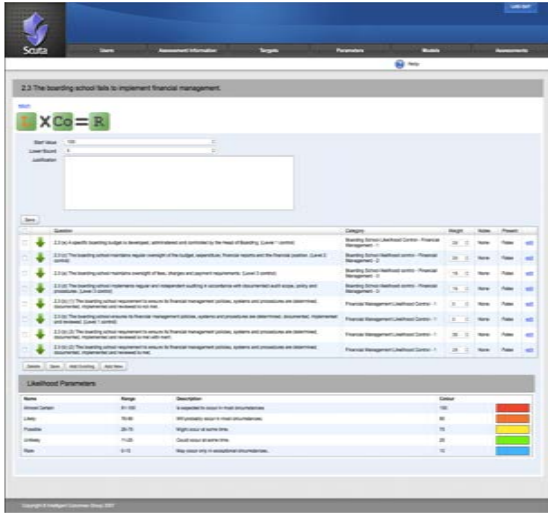
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## Certification

SECTION 2 – GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT

### 2.1 – GENERAL

Section number	Requirement	Sight the document	Sight records	Check whether actioned
2.1(a)	Identify and implement the service objectives, organisational structure, policies, processes, and resources needed to deliver a quality, appropriate and accountable boarding service.			
	service objectives	✔		
	organisational structure	✔		
	policies	✔		
	processes	✔		
	resources	✔		
2.1(b)	Ensure that a written agreement is in place for the enrolment of each boarder.	✔	✔	
2.1(c)	Ensure that parents and boarders are provided with documented service objectives and relevant policies and processes at the time of enrolment and when updates occur.	✔		✔
2.1(d)	Manage staff as detailed in Section 4.			
2.1(e)	Provide copies of the relevant documents to all boarding service staff and students and their families at induction.	✔		✔
2.1(f)	Ensure that all boarding staff meet child protection and other screening requirements. Covered under 3.2(b)			

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- Professional Learning

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## Activities

- Conferences
  - Taking the Reins
  - International Conference
- State Activities
  - YMHFA
  - Symposiums and Networking
- Duty of Care Workshops



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## Support from ABSA

- ABSA Office
- Phone Support
- State Chairs/Committees
- Website
- Mentoring Opportunities



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## Information

- Census
- Surveys
- Warts and All
- Parent Brochure (looking for a boarding school)
- Head of Boarding 360 Review
- National Boarding Week



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## Partnership Program

- Support
- Advise
- Who? What? Why?

 **2020** Date Stamps

Dates: Saturday 29th February and Sunday 1st March 2020

Venue: Bond University, 14 University Drive, Robina, QLD.

 Taking the Reins

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 Taking the Reins


A conference for those taking on leadership roles in boarding communities

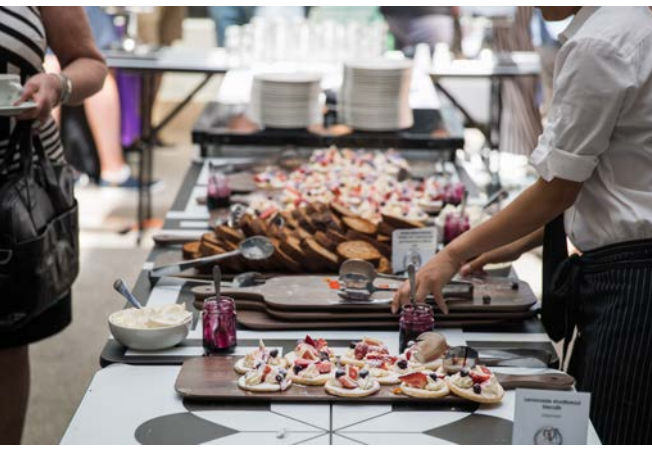
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## Good luck and thanks for coming!



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