

## Hayes School (Part of the Impact Multi Academy Trust)

# **Policy Document**

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# **Home-School Agreement**

## HOME-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP FOR THE SUCCESS OF .....

There is a clear link between a student's achievement at school and the wholehearted commitment of students, parents/carers and the school to this end. Furthermore, it is essential that we form a strong partnership to ensure this success.



To achieve this, we all have responsibilities to which we must commit ourselves.

### As a Student I commit myself to:

- 1. Working hard and allowing others to learn
- 2. Attending school regularly and aspiring to have 100% attendance
- 3. Coming to school and lessons on time, in uniform and with the necessary equipment and homework
- 4. Respecting the school environment and the local community
- 5. Being polite and well-mannered and showing consideration and respect for others at all times
- 6. Behaving in an appropriate manner at all times, following adult instructions first time, accepting support to improve my behaviour and attending detentions, in accordance with the school's behaviour policy
- 7. Participating actively in school life and enrichment activities and opportunities
- 8. Actively engaging with feedback to improve on my previous best in all areas; taking responsibility for my own progress in every lesson and accepting challenge and support from staff and parents/carers in respect of my academic performance
- 9. Being a positive ambassador for my school at all times, and a role model as a Hayes Learner whilst in Hayes uniform and in the wider community
- 10. Ensuring my on-line and social media presence and interactions cause no harm or offence to others

### As a Parent/Carer I commit myself to:

- 1. Taking an active interest in my child's school and homework; supporting my child with homework and independent study, and encouraging them to take responsibility for their progress in lessons
- 2. Ensuring my child comes to school in correct uniform with the necessary equipment
- 3. Ensuring my child attends school regularly and on time every day except when unavoidable and avoiding taking holidays during term time; informing the school by email (<u>attendance@hayes.bromley.sch.uk</u>) or via the Study Bugs app on the first day of absence and following this up with a note on the day of return (all absence from school has a detrimental effect on a students' learning)
- 4. Attending Parents' Evenings, responding to reports and letters and keeping the school informed of matters relating to the education, health and safety and the welfare of my child
- 5. Informing the school of any successes that should be celebrated
- 6. Fully supporting the school and its rules, policies and procedures, with specific reference to behaviour and discipline, and ensuring my child attends detentions
- 7. Ensuring my child's on-line and social media presence is appropriate at all times
- 8. Contributing to making Hayes School a better school for all students, staff and parents
- 9. Encouraging my child to participate in wider opportunities including attendance at intervention and revision sessions that he/she may be invited to attend



10. Raising concerns and responding to concerns in a constructive and mutually supportive way with members of school staff; (Our staff have the right to work in a safe environment without fear of intimidation, assault or verbal abuse from anyone with whom they come into contact)

#### Hayes School commits the school to:

- 1. Upholding its commitment to its ethos;
- 2. Providing the best learning environment possible and ensuring high quality teaching throughout the curriculum;
- 3. Providing a safe, caring and happy environment;
- 4. Celebrating successes across all aspects of school life;
- 5. Listening to and responding to the needs and concerns of students and parents/carers;
- 6. Informing and involving parents/carers regarding achievements or concerns that affect your child's education and welfare
- 7. Keeping parents/carers informed about school activities through reports/reviews, letters, newsletters, email and via the school website
- 8. Supporting students in developing local, national and global citizenship and lifelong learning skills;
- 9. Providing the opportunity, tools and skills required to enable students to take responsibility for their own learning and progress in lessons.
- 10. Providing an extensive range of wider opportunities across and beyond the curriculum;
- 11. Raising and responding to concerns in a constructive and mutually supportive way with students and parents/carers.

We believe that by fulfilling the above we will help to ensure the success and happiness of all students at Hayes School.

Signed:	(Student)	Date
	(Parent/Carer)	Date
	(Principal)	Date