

Abbey College <=> Home School Agreement

Together (families, students and staff) will:

- Provide a safe and secure environment where young people can enjoy learning, achieving their full potential.
- Encourage all our young people to value, respect and tolerate people's differences.
- Celebrate success.
- Establish open and respectful communication to enhance young people's learning and well-being.

Abbey College will:

- Plan and deliver effective lessons in accordance with the National Curriculum and good practice.
- Use data and knowledge about the individual to set appropriate targets for students.
- Help students organise their studies to alleviate stress and worry.
- Not tolerate bullying or disruption of learning.
- Maintain and develop an atmosphere of caring with good relationships, promoting hard work.
- Reward students for their successes.
- Liaise with families regularly.
- Promote a Healthy lifestyle for all students and staff.
- Encourage students to take part in a variety of activities outside the school day.
- Provide learning opportunities outside the school day.

Families will:

- Ensure their child attends College punctually, only being absent when they are genuinely ill.
- Support all policies, particularly the Attendance, Safeguarding, Uniform, Learning and Behaviour policies.
- Work with staff to celebrate successes, addressing and overcoming any difficulties in a positive way.
- Notify the College if there are any changes in your child's circumstances which may affect learning and relationships.
- Support your child to complete homework.
- Make the school aware if any contact details change, such as address, phone number, emergency contact information.

Students will:

- Ensure they attend every lesson, every day unless they are genuinely ill, wearing the College uniform correctly.
- Respect others and their environment, being polite and courteous to everyone they meet and work with.
- Make the best possible use of the opportunities offered to them, both in and out of lessons.
- Accept responsibility for their actions.
- Share and celebrate their successes, learning and rectifying any mistakes made.
- Choose work that challenges them to extend their learning.
- Demonstrate active listening in every lesson and form time.
- Complete homework to the best of their ability and ask for help when needed.

Signed Parent:

Student:

College: