

The School

We aim to:

- Develop the diversity of each individual student's talents, through both a broad and balanced curriculum and a rich programme of extra-curricular activities.
- Create a secure and caring environment, through firm and supportive discipline, and an emphasis on praise for doing the right thing.
- Teach effectively, expecting always the highest standards of classwork and regular homework, marking work promptly and setting appropriate and realistic targets.
- Encourage and help students to take responsibility for their own learning, to co-operate with others, and to learn the necessary study, organisational and interpersonal skills.
- Reward good attendance, progress and conduct.
- Help students to leave school able and determined to make the best possible contribution to the community at large.
- Keep you informed of your child's progress through review meetings and reports and other opportunities for discussion with staff.
- Keep you informed about all aspects of school life.
- Be open and welcoming, sharing both concerns and success.

Signed:

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The Parents/Guardians

We aim to:

- Support the school in setting the highest standards in all it tries to do.
- Make sure that our son/daughter comes to school regularly, on time, refreshed, alert, in uniform, fully equipped and ready to work.
- Take an active interest in work and progress at school, checking planners, supporting homework, and attending meetings and reviews of progress.
- Encourage our son/daughter to take responsibility for his/her own learning.
- Encourage and support participation in the range of activities within school.
- Support the authority and discipline of the school, helping our young people to achieve maturity, self-discipline and self-control.
- Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect work or behaviour.
- Inform the school of successes and achievements.

Signed:

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The Student

I aim to abide by the school's rules and expectations. This means that I will:

- Attend school regularly and on time.
- Arrive on time to lessons.
- Bring all the equipment I need every day.
- Wear the school uniform appropriately, follow the dress code, and be tidy in appearance.
- Do all my classwork, and complete homework tasks on time to the best of my ability.
- Respect and care for the school environment.
- Be polite and considerate to all fellow students and staff.
- Co-operate with and support other members of the school community.
- Take responsibility for my own actions and learning, ask for help if needed and report problems to a member of staff.
- Set myself challenging targets.

Signed:

As parents and students we understand that the school will do its best to take care of students' property, but cannot be held responsible for the loss of items, particularly if confiscated. Students bring valuable items (phones, electronic devices, jewellery etc) into school entirely at their own risk. The school recommends that such items are covered by 'household' insurance.

