



# Home School Agreement

This Home-School Agreement is produced to strengthen the bond between parents and the academy. We hope that in choosing Sir Christopher Hatton Academy you support our ethos and policies and will join us in *“Aiming for Excellence in all that we do”*.

The Academy's Responsibilities	The Parents' Responsibilities	The Students' Responsibilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To strive towards achieving the Academy and Trust vision, values and priorities</li> <li>• To ensure policies are clear and accessible</li> <li>• Ensure students and staff are effectively safeguarded</li> <li>• Ensure key information is communicated with all stakeholders in an accessible manner</li> <li>• Ensure student progress, achievements and concerns are regularly shared</li> <li>• To ensure that all stakeholders are treated with respect</li> <li>• To organise a range of events for parents including parents evenings, parent-tutor day and celebration events</li> <li>• To provide a broad and balanced curriculum to all students</li> <li>• Ensure teaching all students to achieve their greatest potential</li> <li>• Provide high quality pastoral care and support through the pastoral curriculum, pastoral team and personal development programmes</li> <li>• Ensure that Character Education and Cultural Capital are at the heart of our student development programmes</li> <li>• Prepare students for the world of work and develop students to be effective global citizens</li> <li>• Provide a range of extra-curricular activities</li> <li>• Reward excellent attitude to learning, behaviour and attendance</li> <li>• Work in partnership with all stakeholders to ensure that all at the Academy 'Aim for Excellence'</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure that your child attends school every day, arrives on time and is punctual to all lessons</li> <li>• Notify the academy daily before 08:30 if your child cannot attend for any reason</li> <li>• Work in partnership with the academy and EIPT service to resolve or alleviate any periods of absence</li> <li>• Ensure family holidays are not taken during term time</li> <li>• Support the academy's uniform policy and ensure that your child is 'Dressed for Excellence'</li> <li>• Ensure that your child is 'Ready for Excellence' to allow full participation in lessons</li> <li>• Regularly discuss learning, progress and extra-curricular participation with your child, including reviewing classwork and homework</li> <li>• Attend the academy's 'parents evenings', 'parent tutor days' and other events as appropriate to your child's phase of education</li> <li>• Communicate any concerns or difficulties, interests or aspirations, that are either specific to, or that are seriously affecting your child's education or behaviour to their Form Tutor, Head of Year or a Senior Leader</li> <li>• Work in partnership with the academy to support your child's behavior, attitude to learning and aspirations</li> <li>• Support and adhere to all academy policies</li> <li>• Treat all our staff with respect.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aim for Excellence in all that you do - Ensure that you are 'Ready', 'Dressed' and have an 'Attitude' for excellence at all times</li> <li>• Be an Upstander, not a Bystander, at all times</li> <li>• Treat staff and students with respect and empathy to create a caring community</li> <li>• Attend the academy every day, be on time at the start of the school day and arrive promptly to all lessons ready to learn</li> <li>• Bring all the equipment necessary for lessons.</li> <li>• Wear the academy uniform with pride</li> <li>• Complete all classwork and homework to the highest standard</li> <li>• Apply yourself fully in lessons and allow others to learn and teachers to teach in a disruption free environment</li> <li>• Check Edulink daily to ensure that you are aware of any messages shared and homework set</li> <li>• Report any unkind behaviour to staff</li> <li>• Abide by the academy's behavior policy and aim to exceed expectations</li> <li>• Take all the opportunities the academy provides to learn and develop beyond lessons e.g. by taking part in extra-curricular activities</li> <li>• Show respect for the work and property of others and for the academy environment.</li> </ul>
Signed by Co-Principals	Signed by parent/carer Name Date	Signed by student Name Date