



## ARNOLD HILL ACADEMY: HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT



Arnold Hill Academy recognises that the successful development of its students depends on an effective partnership between Academy, students and parents. All three parties share responsibility for the development and achievement of every learner. **Together**, we commit ourselves to the following:

The Academy will:	As parent/carer, I/we will:	As a student, I will:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure every student is safe, prioritising health and safety and safeguarding</li> <li>• Promote a culture of respect for others, for learning, for the Academy and for yourself</li> <li>• Provide a learning environment that is stimulating, inspiring and caring</li> <li>• Ensure that each student has the opportunities, support and guidance to achieve his/her full potential</li> <li>• Report regularly on each student’s progress. Expect high standards, promote mutual respect and develop a sense of responsibility</li> <li>• Keep parents informed about Academy matters, be welcoming to enquiries and respond to concerns</li> <li>• Keep in regular contact regarding achievements rewards and any sanctions</li> <li>• Respond to all parental enquires within 48 hours, including email</li> <li>• Ensure all communications with parents/carers are timely, professional and considerate</li> <li>• Record and reward positive attitudes and high levels of effort that lead to good progress</li> <li>• Recognise achievement in The Academy through celebration assemblies and wider achievement through the Arnold Hill <b>Pledge</b> Award</li> <li>• Offer extra-curricular and enrichment activities that will develop broader skills to prepare for life beyond Arnold Hill and the world of work</li> <li>• provide high quality careers information, advice and guidance that leads to sustained post-16 pathways</li> <li>• Detain your child until 4:05 pm if necessary</li> <li>• Inform you if your child has a detention or any other sanction if they fail to meet the Academy’s expectations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support a culture of showing respect for others, for learning, for the Academy and self-respect</li> <li>• Make sure my/our child attends school in correct uniform, and wears it properly</li> <li>• Ensure my/our child is punctual at the start of the Academy day and for lessons and is properly equipped for learning</li> <li>• Encourage my/our child to work hard and support them with homework by checking and monitoring its completion as set on Show My Homework</li> <li>• Attend consultation evenings and discussions about my/our child’s progress</li> <li>• Attend any other meetings requested by the Academy at mutually convenient times</li> <li>• Support the academy’s policies and guidelines as outlined on the Academy website</li> <li>• Allow my/our child to attend off-site visits as appropriate</li> <li>• Agree to the behaviour policy of the academy including supporting all rewards and sanctions</li> <li>• Agree to the biometrics policy of the academy to allow effective provision of food and drinks</li> <li>• Make sure that time is not taken out of school unless it is an emergency or unavoidable</li> <li>• Complete and update the annual consent form to authorise/disallow the Academy to use relevant data, including photographs/video to support learning in line with data protection and GDPR guidelines</li> <li>• Encourage my/our child to participate in the extracurricular/enrichment opportunities offered by the Academy</li> <li>• Ensure my SCOPAY account has funds to cover my child’s dietary needs and the cost of any visits/trips</li> <li>• Ensure all communications with staff (especially those via e-mail) are appropriately worded and are not offensive or accusatory in nature or tone. We always want our parents to communicate any concerns, but in the correct manner; as professionals, our staff have the right to be respected</li> <li>• Ensure my child is an ambassador for The Academy by ensuring their behaviour in the community when travelling to and from the site is appropriate and demonstrates a high level of respect for residents and the community itself</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Show respect for others, for learning, for the Academy and for myself</li> <li>• Be an ambassador for Arnold Hill Academy</li> <li>• Work hard in class and at home, so that I can achieve my full potential</li> <li>• In classrooms- show respect for learning- work hard, allow others to work hard and do not disrupt learning</li> <li>• Treat others as I would wish to be treated i.e. with respect</li> <li>• Put the needs of others before my own; being kind always</li> <li>• Be proud of my Academy</li> <li>• Attend the Academy in correct uniform, worn properly</li> <li>• Ensure I attend on time, every day and show good punctuality to all my lessons</li> <li>• Ensure I am properly equipped for all Academy activities</li> <li>• Check Show My Homework daily and ensure my homework is completed to the best standard I can and submitted on time</li> <li>• Engage in the <b>AH Pledge</b> and record my achievements in all areas, working towards the next Award</li> <li>• behave responsibly and safely and be polite to all others, showing respect</li> <li>• Understand that any misbehaviour whilst wearing Academy uniform, in the community will be dealt with as if the incident occurred at school</li> <li>• Take part in extra-curricular/enrichment activities offered by the school</li> <li>• Care for the environment – in and out of school. Do not drop litter</li> <li>• Attend detentions if required to do so</li> <li>• Be someone others can be proud of; a positive role model</li> </ul>
Signed by Tutor: Name: Date.....	Signed by parent/carer: Name (printed):	Signed by student Name (printed):