



HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT - SECONDARY

Ark Academy recognises that the successful development of its pupils depends on an effective partnership of Academy, students and parents. All three parties share responsibility for the development and achievement of each pupil. 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"> • Provide a learning environment that is stimulating, safe and caring • Treat everyone with respect • Ensure that each pupil has the opportunities, support and guidance to achieve his/her full potential • Report regularly on each pupil's progress • Expect high standards, set clear rules, promote mutual respect and develop a sense of responsibility • Keep parents informed about school matters, be welcoming to enquiries and responsive to concerns • Record and reward good progress and performance • Offer extra curricular activities that will develop broader skills to prepare for life and the world of work • Detain your child until 5.15 pm where necessary • Inform you if your child has detention rather than attending enrichment if he/she fails to meet the Academy's standards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure my/our child attends school in correct uniform, arrives on time and is properly equipped for school • Encourage my/our child to work hard and support them in homework by checking and signing the planner each week • Attend consultation evenings and discussions about my/our child's progress • Support the academy's policies and guidelines as outlined in the Parents' Handbook • Allow my/our child to attend off-site visits • Agree to the detention policy of the academy • Agree to the biometrics policy of the academy • Make sure that time is not taken out of school unless it is urgent • Agree to my/our child's photograph or film/video footage being taken for the academy's use and for use by ARK • Encourage my/our child to participate in the extracurricular opportunities offered by the school • Ensure my parent pay account is always in credit and all required payments for trips /visits/lessons/clubs are made in advance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be an ambassador for Ark Academy • Work hard in class and at home, so that I can achieve my full potential • Treat others as I would wish to be treated • Put the needs of others before my own • Be proud of my school • Attend the academy in correct uniform, be on time and be properly equipped • Use my planner to organise my homework and record my achievements • Keep the academy rules, behave responsibly and be polite to others in the academy and in the wider community • Understand that any misbehaviour whilst wearing Academy uniform will be dealt with as if the incident occurred at school • Take part in extra-curricular activities offered by the school • Care for the environment – in and out of school • Complete homework on time • Attend detentions • Attain excellence • Be someone others can be proud of

Signed by SLT: Name: Date:	Signed by parent/carer:	Signed by student Name (printed):
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