FUTURE ACADEMIES WATFORD HOME-ACADEMY AGREEMENT

At Future Academies Watford we believe that a strong relationship between home and school is vital in supporting students to thrive during their time with us. This is important both academically and as a healthy young person in the widest possible sense. In light of this, we use our Home-Academy agreement to highlight the expectations that we have of each of our roles as a student, parent/guardian and academy. We are proud of our achievements as an academy and know that by working in close partnership our students will thrive in their learning.

As a **STUDENT** at Future Academies Watford I will:

1. Show respect to all by being **on time every morning** and I will follow the attendance policy;
2. **Wear my uniform with pride** and follow the academy's uniform policy at all times;
3. **Respond promptly and respectfully to staff instructions** and follow the expectations outlined in the behaviour policy;
4. **Safeguard and care for others** and report any concerns to an adult;
5. Take pride in the academy surroundings and always keep it **clean and tidy**;
6. Treat all members of the community courteously and I will be **polite at all times**;
7. Understand that **I am a role model** for others and I will **conduct myself accordingly both at the academy and in the local community**;
8. Have the **highest expectations of myself** and **work hard** at school and home in order to fulfil my potential;
9. Take responsibility for my learning by ensuring I am **equipped and organised** for every school day;
10. **Uphold the academy values of Knowledge, Aspiration and Respect** every day.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

As a **PARENT/GUARDIAN** I will support the work of the academy by:

1. Arranging appointments in the holidays or after school hours to support my child's aim of **100% attendance**. Holidays/visits to relatives including overseas travel are not permitted in term time;
2. Adhering to the attendance policy and supporting my child with being **on time every day**;
3. Ensuring my child has the **correct uniform and equipment** required for each day as outlined in the Uniform and Equipment Policy;
4. Modelling **respectful behaviour towards staff** and **accepting** their application of the **Behaviour Policy** and the academy sanctions; including the confiscation of mobile phones, jewellery and other banned items and the same day detentions.
5. Communicating any concerns regarding my child with staff using the available channels in the appropriate way;
6. Setting up strong routines at home to support my child to complete homework to the best of their ability;
7. Fully supporting my child's progress by attending any meeting set up by the academy and regularly reviewing my child's learning to encourage them to fulfil their potential;
8. Ensuring reading occurs regularly at home during the week to further support vocabulary development;
9. I will support the academy social media policy by ensuring the following:
   i) I will limit the screen time at home;
   ii) I will remove electronic devices from the bedroom in the evening long before bedtime;
   iii) I will follow the school advice on safeguarding actions I can take as a parent/guardian regarding monitoring online activity.
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At the **ACADEMY** we will:

1. Provide an **excellent standard of teaching** in every subject. Staff will check the work completed on a regular basis and feedback areas for improvement;
2. Provide a **curriculum that builds academic knowledge and understanding**;
3. Provide opportunities for students to experience a wide range of activities to raise their aspirations about higher education, the world of work and wider interests;
4. **Set homework** regularly;
5. Communicate regularly about progress, concerns and successes;
6. Provide a **safe and secure environment** where students can be happy and successful.

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