



## **Orsett Heath Academy** **Home-School Agreement**

### **The school will:**

- Provide a secure, happy and welcoming environment for all children.
- Support parents/carer's through the period of their child's transition from primary to secondary school.
- Provide an appropriate, broad and balanced curriculum which aims to meet the individual needs of all students.
- Provide regular and monitored homework to support the curriculum.
- Provide opportunities for students to achieve high standards of work and behaviour
- Provide opportunities to develop positive social relationships, self-esteem and a sense of responsibility
- Ensure that all pupils follow the behaviour standards and are aware that unacceptable behaviour will not be tolerated.
- Report formally on your child's progress each term and provide opportunities to discuss pupils' progress.

### **The parents will:**

- Support the aims, values and ethos of the school.
- Ensure that your child attends school punctually and with minimum absence.
- Inform the school if your child is absent by telephone on first day of absence.
- Not take your child out of school during term time without the explicit permission of the Head of School.
- Ensure that your child is properly dressed in correct school uniform.
- Ensure that your child completes all homework set to the best of his/her ability and in reasonable working conditions.
- Attend Parents' Evenings and meetings about your child's progress.
- Advise the school of any concerns or problems which might affect your child's progress.
- Work constructively and cooperatively with the school to resolve any concerns by supporting school policies and ethos.
- Respect all members of the school community, abiding by their policy of zero tolerance towards rude and aggressive behaviour
- Support the school approach to online safety and not deliberately upload or add any images, video, sounds or text that could upset or offend any member of the school community.

### **The pupils will:**

- Attend school punctually and with minimum absence.
- Wear school uniform correctly and be tidy in appearance.
- Do their school work and homework as well as they can and by the deadline set.
- Bring necessary equipment and books including pens and pencils to all lessons.
- Look after their school and surroundings.
- Observe and follow the school rules and behave responsibly and appropriately at all times.
- Be polite and respectful to peers, all school staff and within the local community by using appropriate and respectful language at all times.
- Support the school approach to online safety and not deliberately upload or add any images, video, sounds or text that could upset or offend any member of the school community.