

Home School Partnership Agreement



Name of Student:

Saint John Houghton Catholic School will

- ◆ Provide an education based upon the catholic ethos, developing positive moral principles
- ◆ Provide appropriate opportunities for prayer, worship and celebration
- ◆ Care for your child's safety and happiness
- ◆ Ensure that your child achieves their full potential as a valued member of the school community
- ◆ Provide a balanced curriculum and meet the individual needs of your child
- ◆ Achieve high standards of work, behaviour and dress by building good relationships
- ◆ Keep you informed about general school matters and about your child's progress in particular
- ◆ Be open and welcoming at all times and offer opportunities for you to become involved in the life of the school.

The parents/guardians of:

I/We will

- ◆ Support the spiritual life of the school
- ◆ Encourage your child to aim for attendance of 95% and above. Be prepared to supply the school with medical evidence if your child's attendance drops below this figure. Ensure your child turns up at school on time before 8.40am.
- ◆ Ensure your child has a pen, pencil and ruler every day, they will also require a range of equipment for different subjects. Each student must also carry a reading book in their bag.
- ◆ Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour. Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour, dress and sanctions; part of the sanction system is after school detentions, 3.15-4.15/4.30. Advance notice is given to parents and it is their responsibility to ensure safe travel home for their child.
- ◆ Support the school in making your child understand the value of education, working hard, learning from mistakes, persevering and following high expectations of behaviour and, overall, a positive, motivated work ethic.
- ◆ Support your child's education by ensuring that they complete all homework, regularly revise work learnt in lessons, read for enjoyment and prepare for future assessments, topics and studies.
- ◆ Support your child in making sure they have a space at home to revise and work.
- ◆ Attend parents' evenings and discussions about my child's progress, parent's consultation afternoons take place once a year, they begin at 2.45 and last until 5.45. These are marked on the school calendar, attendance is vital for parents.
- ◆ Use the homework diary as a means of communication and sign it weekly
- ◆ Log on to the schools data system, go4schools and monitor my child's academic progress and attendance and behaviour record.

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Signature(s) _____

Name of Student:

I will

- ◆ attend school regularly and on time
- ◆ bring all the equipment I need for each day
- ◆ wear the school uniform in the correct manner
- ◆ do all my classwork and homework as well as I can
- ◆ respect everybody in the school community
- ◆ respect the fabric and the physical environment of the school

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Signature _____