

Haydon is a successful and happy school and we are looking forward to educating your child. It is important that you are fully aware of the standards that we set for all aspects of school life. We would consider it a good start for you and your child to read our expectations and the enclosed behaviour policy carefully.

The prime aim of the school is to educate your child and this requires a commitment to learning in an orderly and well managed environment. It is important that you and your child have read the enclosed Relationship Charter together before you accept the Home/School Partnership Agreement, via the online form, confirming your support of our standards.

#### PARTNERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

Haydon School has high expectations for work, behaviour and uniform. Students and parents need to support and be committed to the school aim of achieving individual excellence in a caring community. This is achieved by good manners and behaviour together with consideration for the needs of others. It is the responsibility of those concerned with the school - parents, staff, Governors and students - to ensure high standards of behaviour, work, attendance and punctuality.

### **Haydon School agrees to:**

- treat all children fairly
- raise the self-esteem of all children and develop their full potential
- provide challenging, interesting and relevant lessons appropriate to the age and ability of all students
- create a safe and pleasant environment
- use rules and sanctions clearly and consistently
- form good relationships with parents.

Signed:

R W Jones, Headteacher

### As a student of Haydon School I agree to:

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- work to the best of my ability and allow others to do the same
- treat others with respect
- obey the instructions of school staff
- wear, on show, the school Identification at all times
- take care of property and the environment in and out of school
- co-operate with other students and adults
- complete work, homework and any coursework to the best of my ability
- wear the Haydon uniform correctly at all times during the school day and on the journey to and from school
- wear a conventional hairstyle and no unusual piercings and/or tattoos
- attend school and arrive on time in the morning and be punctual throughout the day
- no more than two lates per half term.

## As a parent of a student at Haydon School I agree to:

- support the Haydon Behaviour for Learning Policy
- share concerns about my child's education, welfare and behaviour with the school
- take an interest in my child's work and achievements
- support my child with school work
- attend Parents' Evenings and support school functions
- support the school in achieving a minimum 95% attendance rate for my child
- inform the school of any absence
- ensure my child arrives at school on time (no more than two lates per half term)
- not take my child on holiday during term time
- ensure my child has a full school uniform and can wear that uniform correctly, including ID badge
- ensure my child has a conventional hairstyle and has no unusual piercings and/or tattoos
- ensure my child has the time, space, encouragement and support to complete homework and all coursework to the best of his or her ability.

Good behaviour and good manners are at the core of a good school. It is essential that you and your child are clear on the implications if the standards we expect are not met.

There are events which are an important part of a happy school career. These include:

- School trips
- School productions
- Representing the school in sporting events
- Other social events

Attendance on any of these is of course a privilege and not a right. We reserve the right to withdraw any or all of these privileges should your child fail to live up to the standard expected of all students at Haydon.

We are committed to improve Haydon for all students and that requires continued commitment from students and support from all parents

# **Mission Statement**