

## HOME/SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

### The School will:

- Inspire and challenge all students to achieve their full potential and enjoy the experience
- Foster mutual respect across the Selston community with a focus on respect for learning, respect for school and respect for others
- Provide all students with a safe learning environment, promoting their personal safety and mental health and well-being and take their emotional, social and learning needs into account
- Take issues which affect student well-being, including bullying, seriously and take prompt steps to address these
- Respond to parental enquiries within two working days under normal circumstances
- Develop responsible, independent citizens aware of British values
- Provide students with skills and qualities to enable them to make a positive contribution to society
- Effectively support all students to enter the next phase of education, training or employment
- Provide a diverse range of enrichment activities which will improve motivation and lifelong learning
- Deliver praise and support to all students, recognising achievement both in school and outside through the Pledge Award
- **Maintain a safe covid-19 secure environment following all government guidance on social distancing, hygiene and reducing transmission**

### As a student I will:

- Show respect for learning, the school and for others in everything I do thereby showing respect for myself
- Seek help from staff whenever problems occur, especially if I am unhappy for any reason and ask for support/clarification when I need it
- Strive to be the best I can be always improving and reflecting on my learning using the purple pen of progress
- Attend school every day, on time, properly equipped with a bag and all the necessary books, files, pens, etc and arrive to all lessons on time
- Abide by the school dress code and wear the uniform as it is intended and set the best example I can
- Adhere to the school behaviour policy at all times
- Meet all deadlines for the handing in of work
- Care for others by being helpful and supportive, reporting any incidents of bullying and standing up for the rights of others
- Never indulge in any activity which will cause harm, hurt, distress or unhappiness to any other student or member of staff, respecting everyone's right to be unique
- Be a learner both in and out of school, completing classwork and homework in a timely fashion and taking the pledge to be the best version of myself
- **Follow all procedures and guidelines for keeping our school Covid-19 secure including observing the two metre distance where possible, lining up outside lessons, wearing a coat when outside, remaining in my seat facing forward at all times, not sharing equipment or other items and not shouting or making physical contact with others**

### As the Parent/Carer of the student named above, I will:

- Show respect for the school, learning and others in all my dealings with the school following the expectations set out in the parental code of conduct
- Support my child's learning in its widest sense and in line with the stated aims, policies and procedures of the school, including supporting my child in working towards their Pledge Award
- Ensure that my child attends school punctually every day and any absence is accompanied by a note explaining the nature and length of absence on return to school
- Avoid taking my child out of school during term time

- Support the school's Behaviour Policy and ensure my child adheres to guidelines for behaviour, school dress and equipment
- Support my child in homework and other opportunities for learning out of school including taking part in the Pledge Award
- Encourage my child to be involved in extra-curricular activities
- Attend Parents evenings and Progress Review Days for discussions about my child's progress
- Ensure that all school documents are returned promptly and inform the school of any problems that might affect my child's work or conduct
- Model appropriate behaviour when communicating with school talking respectfully to staff and listening to their viewpoint on incidents affecting my child
- Support the school in maintaining a Covid-19 secure environment by not sending my child into school if they have a new persistent cough, temperature or have lost their sense of taste and smell
- Comply fully with the NHS track, test and trace protocols if required to do so and keep the school informed of the outcome
- Ensure my child has a coat and a school bag and the necessary equipment to avoid them having to share with others
- Ensure my child observes social distancing outside of school thereby minimising risk to themselves, other students, school staff and the wider community
- Support the school with the application of the mobile phone rules ensuring that should my child misuse their mobile phone on school site I will put appropriate sanctions in at home