



Dame Alice Owen's School

Home – School Agreement

Name of Student.....

The success of Dame Alice Owen's School is due in part to our sense of belonging to a community with shared values. Our Home-School Agreement is a more formal way in which we can cement our sense of belonging. Together we can forge a confident and effective partnership based on a clarification of the roles and duties of everyone who makes up our community and aspires to the highest educational and personal standards. All are therefore invited to read very carefully and then sign it to make their commitment.

The School

We will do our utmost to:

- ensure your child's safety and happiness
- ensure that your child achieves his/her full potential as a valued member of the school community
- provide a balanced curriculum and meet the individual needs of your child subject to the requirements of the National Curriculum
- achieve high standards of work and behaviour through building good relationships and developing a sense of responsibility and duty
- contact parents if there is a problem with attendance, punctuality or equipment
- let parents know of any concerns or problems that affect their child's work or behaviour
- report regularly to parents
- set, mark and monitor homework
- arrange Parents' Evenings during which progress will be discussed
- keep parents informed about school activities through InTouch, the school web-site, newsletters and notices about special events

The Parents

I will/We will do our utmost to:

- see that my/our child goes to school regularly, on time and properly dressed and equipped
- support the school's policies and guidelines for attendance and avoid taking my/our child out of school during term-time unless absolutely necessary *
- make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my/our child's work or behaviour
- support the school's policies, guidelines for behaviour and all sanctions *
- support the school's policies and guidelines for homework *
- attend Parents' Evenings and discussions about my/our child's progress
- get to know about my/our child's life at the school

The Student

I will do my utmost to:

- attend school regularly and on time
- bring all the equipment I need every day
- wear my school uniform and be tidy in appearance
- act responsibly and respectfully towards others
- do all my classwork and homework as well as I can
- keep the school free from litter and as tidy as possible
- contribute generally to school life



Signed

Headteacher Dated

Signed

Parents Dated

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Signed Student Dated

** Copies of School Policies are available on the Dame Alice Owen's School website*