



Home/College Agreement Policy

Introduction

This policy replaces any previous policy and follows the DfE regulations.

In line with the college's Equal Opportunities and Special Educational Needs policies, we aim to give all students equal opportunities to take part in all aspects of college life, as far as is appropriate, practicable and compatible with giving regard to health and safety and the efficient education of other students.

This policy takes account of the Government's aim for children to have the support they need under Every Child Matters:

- to be healthy
- to stay safe
- to enjoy and achieve
- to make a positive contribution
- to achieve economic well-being

The policy will follow the five principles of the Children's Plan:

- to support parents and families
- to allow children to reach their full potential
- to enable children to enjoy their childhood whilst preparing for adult life
- to provide services in response to children and family needs
- to use preventative measures to help students avoid the possibility of failure

This policy is based upon the College's commitment to the development and maintenance of good behaviour and a positive and inclusive ethos for all members of the College community.

Foreword

Rooks Heath College is a mixed 11 to 18 multicultural comprehensive in the London Borough of Harrow. This policy is formulated by the Deputy Headteacher, in consultation with staff and is monitored by other members of the college's Leadership and Management Group. The policy is subject to annual review by the college's Leadership and Management Group and is subject to approval by the governors of the college.

Statement of Intent

Rooks Heath College aims to facilitate excellent internal and external communications among staff, students, parent/carers and the local community, so as to maintain a good working, social and personal environment, to promote efficiency, and to generate better understanding of the College's objectives.

Rooks Heath aims to:

- encourage all students to reach the highest level of achievement that is possible for them, both in public examinations and in the development of any special talents that they possess
- equip all students with the knowledge and skills necessary for coping successfully with life
- foster the development of all students as mature and responsible individuals

We will ensure that all students have access to a curriculum which complies with the requirements of the National Curriculum. Progress of all students will be monitored and we will report regularly to parents/carers through written reports and consultation evenings.

Rooks Heath expects all students to:

- attend regularly
- be on time for college and lessons
- obey the instructions of staff
- undertake work in lessons to the best of their ability
- bring the correct equipment to all lessons
- undertake homework set, to the best of their ability
- move around the college quietly and calmly
- use college equipment in a responsible manner
- wear correct college uniform on journeys to and from college and during the college day
- be polite and well-behaved and respect others
- keep the college clean and tidy and not drop litter
- comply with the college disciplinary policies
- have the Link Book with them in college at all times

I have read the "Home-College Agreement" and the college policies and agree to abide by them.

Signed _____ (Student)

Date:

I/we have read the "Home-College Agreement" and the college policies and agree to abide by them.

I/we agree to check and sign the Link Book every week.

Signed _____ (Parent/Carer)

Date: