

STATEMENT OF HOME SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

between the family of

and	
The Bishops' Blue Coat Church of England High School.	

WE, THE SCHOOL, WILL:

- be welcoming at all times.
- recognise the importance of your son/daughter as a valued member of the school and provide for their safety, happiness, care and nurture within an encouraging and supportive Christian community.
- provide a balanced education of the highest quality grounded in Christian principles and values to meet your son's/daughter's individual needs and develop their full potential.
- provide high quality teaching to promote high standards of learning and achievement.
- promote high standards of behaviour, encourage positive relationships and foster in students a sense of responsibility, tolerance and care for others.
- set appropriate homework and assess it within a reasonable time.
- inform you if there is a problem with your son's/daughter's attendance, punctuality, equipment or uniform.
- contact you about any concerns or problems which may affect your son's/daughter's work or behaviour.
- ensure you receive the results of your son's/daughter's assessments and reviews and their annual Report.
- arrange an annual Parents' Evening and other consultation meetings for discussion of your son's/daughter's progress.
- inform you about school activities and special events through letters, the Head's Newsletter, the school newsletter 'Grapevine', texts or email.

Signed

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Mr I Wilson Headteacher

I/WE, AS PARENT(S)/CARER(S), WILL:

- ensure that my son/daughter attends school regularly and is punctual.
- ensure that they wear the full school uniform correctly. This includes no jewellery (except a wristwatch and one pair of gold or silver stud earrings), no visible makeup, no nail varnish and no extremes of hair style and colour.
- ensure that all necessary equipment for each lesson is provided and available to them on a daily basis.
- encourage them to co-operate with their teachers and not disrupt the learning of others.

- support the school's Code of Conduct and policies on behaviour, discipline and detentions. This applies in school as well as on buses and on journeys to and from school.
- support the school policies concerning acceptable use of ICT, mobile phones and portable electronic devices.
- support the school in encouraging them where they have made good progress.
- encourage them to complete their homework on time and take advantage of other opportunities for home learning.
- check and sign their student planner on a weekly basis.
- attend Parents' Evening and other discussions about their progress.
- provide three emergency contact numbers and an up to date email address which I check regularly and respond to.
- inform the school about any absence they have, any change of address or telephone number and any medication being administered.
- avoid withdrawing them during term time, e.g. for holidays, but request the school's permission if this is unavoidable.
- contact the school about any concerns or problems that might affect their work or behaviour.

Parent/Carer signature	Date

I, AS A STUDENT, WILL:

- attend school regularly and arrive at school and all lessons on time.
- ensure that I have all the necessary equipment for each day's lessons.
- ensure that I wear the full school uniform correctly. This includes no jewellery (except a wristwatch and one pair of gold or silver stud earrings), no visible makeup, no nail varnish and no extremes of hair style and colour.
- during lessons concentrate and complete all work to the best of my ability.
- record all homework in my student planner, complete it to the best of my ability and hand it in on time.
- be polite, behave well and treat other members of the school community with consideration and respect.
- comply with school's policy for the use of ICT, mobile phones and portable electronic devices.
- co-operate with my teachers and not disrupt the learning of other students.
- be well behaved on the way to and from school, including on buses.
- take care of my own and school property and respect the belongings of others.
- ensure that my parents receive all communications sent from school.
- let my teachers and parents know if I have problems or difficulties at school.

Student signature	Date