



# St Edward's School

Unity - Achievement - Faith

## **HOME SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT**

**September 2024**

### **St Edward's School Mission Statement**

**MAY WE BE ONE**

*In purpose – educating for life in all its fullness  
In faith – encountering God who lives among us, calling us to unity  
In dignity – nurturing confidence and maturity  
In community – striving together for justice, love and peace*

### **The School's Responsibilities**

We will aim to:

- Live out our mission statement in our school community
- Support parents and carers as the primary educators of their children.
- Work in partnership with parents and carers to support the formation and education of our students.
- Provide a safe learning environment with up-to-date facilities and high standards of teaching and support
- Plan a curriculum appropriate to each student's individual needs.
- Set appropriate home learning or independent learning tasks and assess them in a constructive and informative way.
- Communicate clearly through newsletters, curriculum and policy booklets, school website and via our text and emailing messaging system.
- Provide information during the year including an annual report and at other times, as agreed with individual parents and carers
- Contact parents and carers promptly if there is a problem concerning attendance, punctuality, uniform, health, academic progress, or behaviour.

### **Parents and Carers' Responsibilities**

I/we will aim to:

- Support the aims and Christian values of the school as set out in the school's Mission Statement
- Collaborate with the school to support the formation and education of my/our child.
- Ensure that my/our child attends school each day, is punctual, conforms fully to the school dress code, is ready for learning and equipped for school.
- Inform the school at early stage of any concerns or problems that may affect work or behaviour.
- Provide a suitable environment for home learning and ensure that home learning is completed.
- Attend Parent and Carer meetings set up to discuss progress and to participate in constructive discussions wherever necessary.
- Ensure that I/we check our email and/or the school website on a weekly basis for letters or information.
- Encourage my child to show kindness and consideration to others and support all the school's policies and the guidelines for the promotion of positive and co-operative behaviour, both in school and to and from school
- Support all school policies, having chosen St Edward's for your child's education, so that they are fully engaged within and committed to the school community.

### **Student's Responsibilities**

I will aim to:

- Support the Christian values of the school community as outlined in the school's Mission Statement
- Attend school each day, be punctual, conform to the dress code and be ready for learning and equipped for school.
- Be ready, be co-operative and learn to the best of my ability and support the learning of others.



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- Follow all requirements of the school Charter (below)
- Avoid involvement in any kind of bullying, including cyber bullying or aggressive behaviour.
- Always speak to a member of staff if I am concerned or worried.
- To keep to the St Edward's Internet and ICT Acceptable Use Policy and to keep to the school's policy on mobile phones and smart watches.
- To be an active and positive member of the school community
- Know my targets and work towards achieving or exceeding them.

## St. Edward's School Charter

*Jesus said 'Love one another as I have loved you'*

At St Edward's I have the right:

At St Edward's I have the responsibility:

1	To be recognised as a unique individual.	1	To respect the individuality of everyone in the school community.
2	To be able to learn.	2	To allow other students to learn.
3	To have opportunities to deepen my knowledge and understanding, and to develop my skills.	3	To work hard to the best of my ability.
4	To be treated with respect and fairness.	4	To be kind to everyone through words and actions.
5	To be willing to forgive and be forgiven.	5	To listen to others points of view.
6	To be myself without being judged.	6	Not to judge others.
7	To a healthy, clean working environment.	7	To look after and care for the school environment.
8	To feel safe.	8	To enable others to feel safe.
9	To express my concerns.	9	To listen to the views of others.
10	To attend a school with high standards.	10	To wear my uniform with pride, following the school uniform policy, and to live according to the standards that I expect.
11	To be happy.	11	To act in a way that ensures the happiness of others.
12	To opportunities to pray and worship.	12	To play my part in living out the school mission statement.
<b>Every student has a right to an education</b>		<b>Every teacher has a right to teach</b>	

Signed

Mr Barnett  
Headteacher