

## The School

We will:

- Provide a high quality, knowledge-rich and academic curriculum for all pupils, taught well by a team of highly trained dedicated teachers and support staff
- Develop your child, morally, socially and ethically into a world class citizen for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century
- Be unrelenting in our pursuit of developing the virtues of kindness, gratitude and respectfulness in your child
- Be hospitable, offering opportunities for all to become involved in the life of the school
- Care for your child's safety and well-being
- Respond to your communication within 24 hours
- Keep you informed about general school matters and about your child's progress
- Support your child to achieve high standards of learning and a deep acquisition of knowledge
- Set appropriate homework and provide extracurricular facilities in school to support learning

## The Student

I will:

- Be an ambassador for Nicholas Chamberlaine School, including travelling to and from school in our community
- Work towards my hopes, dreams and ambitions
- Arrive on time ready to work (ready)
- Be respectful and allows others to learn (respectful)
- Follow instructions immediately (safe)
- Be grateful for all kindnesses and critiques, which help me to improve and be a better person
- Work hard and be kind at all times, going out of my way to be helpful to others, putting their needs before my own
- Accept any sanctions graciously and, if you feel there's been an injustice, speak to an appropriate member of staff at an appropriate time and in an appropriate manner
- Follow the school rules as made clear by the Conduct Policy and any other appropriate school policies, particularly uniform and mobile devices
- Work hard each evening to complete my homework to the best of my ability
- Not give up when things get difficult or I fail, I will persevere and be resilient, asking other to help me when I need to
- Involve myself in at least 1 extracurricular activity each week
- Care for the environment inside and outside of school and be eco friendly by not dropping litter or using single use plastic bottles
- Only use my mobile phone outside school, turning it off and placing it within my inside blazer pocket during the school day
- Only use social media to be kind and positive about others.
- Only use social media platforms that are within my age rating.

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## The Parent/Carer

I/We will:

- Support the School's vision, practices and policies, which are devised for the benefit of my child and his or her learning
- Communicate directly with the school in a civilised and open way, for my child's benefit
- Check my child abides by the school's Uniform Policy (please see website)
- Check daily that my child has completed homework by reading it through and/or helping them to persevere with challenging tasks.
- Ensure my child has the correct equipment each day by checking to see equipment, books and PE kit before they leave the house
- Ensure my child arrives on time ready to work (ready)
- Ensure my child is respectful and allows others to learn (respectful)
- Ensure my child follows instructions immediately (safe)
- Support my child in working hard and putting in effort to their studies, persevering when things get difficult ("If I let you off, I let you down")
- Encourage my child to attend at least 1 extra-curricular activity each week
- Limit the time in the evening on mobile devices, ensuring devices are turned off an hour before bed, charged downstairs and bed time is at an appropriate time for my child's age
- Ensure that my child has excellent attendance (97% or above), avoid doctor's, dentist's etc appointments in school time unless an absolute emergency
- Support the school's practices in regards to rewards and sanctions, including same day detentions
- Register with My Ed app in order to receive communications from the school and monitor it at least weekly, linking home rewards to achievement points received
- Attend all parent events and personalised meetings about my child's progress, being actively involved in supporting my child's life at school
- Only use social media to support or praise the school and community, please be aware of the stress and upset negative posts can cause to members of the school community
- Monitor my child's use of social media closely and ensure any social media platforms that they access are within their age rating and used appropriately.

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_