

# Leigh Academy Blackheath Home/Academy Contract

Successful education is founded upon a partnership between the Academy, students and parents. Leigh Academy Blackheath is committed to raising and maintaining high standards in work, behaviour and attitude. In return all students accepted by the Academy, and their parents, are expected to give a clear undertaking to meet the standards required and to observe the standards, expectations and routines of the Academy.

#### **LEIGH ACADEMY BLACKHEATH agrees to provide for every student:**

- a broad, balanced education, maximising potential, encouraging high aspirations, ambition and scholarliness
- a curriculum and workload which is appropriate to each child's age and ability
- social, moral, spiritual and cultural education for citizenship that develops integrity and respect for ourselves and others.
- enrichment activities and extracurricular activities
- a secure and well-disciplined environment (students in Years 7 11 are not allowed off site
  during the school day) where the children in our care feel safe and aware of our high
  expectations
- Home learning opportunities that encourage independence, resilience and passion in our children.
- Reports or Reviews every module
- at least one parents' consultation meeting each year
- information about progress, and prompt consultation, to discuss any difficulties which may arise

### As a LEIGH ACADEMY BLACKHEATH Student: I agree to:

- treat all members of The Academy community with understanding and respect
- demonstrate integrity, ambition and aim to be resilient
- show **respect** for The Academy environment and property.
- remain at The Academy, or in full-time education or training, until I am 18 if I meet the criteria
- attend the Academy regularly
- be punctual at all times
- remain on the Academy site at all time during Academy hours
- work hard and meet all course requirements to demonstrate scholarliness
- complete Homework tasks on time with effort and passion
- wear the full and correct Academy uniform
- keep the Academy standards and expectations and conduct myself in a responsible way, both in the Academy and when travelling to and from The Academy
- not bring in any tobacco, alcohol, illegal drugs or offensive weapons as this may jeopardise my place
- not maliciously interfere with Academy equipment, including fire equipment and the fire alarm as this may jeopardise my place



## As Parent(s)/Carer(s) I/We agree to:

- support and work with the Academy to encourage a positive attitude to education
- ensure excellent attendance and punctuality and inform the Academy on the first day of any absence
- avoid family holidays during Academy term-time

## N.B. The Governors do not approve holidays during term-time

- make time to talk and listen to my child, discuss home learning, when appropriate, and give
  positive support to efforts and progress my child has made
- attend parents' meetings and Academy functions, in which my child is involved, and any special appointments, as requested
- let the Academy know if there are any factors which may affect my child's performance
- support the Academy Rewards and Consequences policy, including sanctions such as afterschool detentions, where necessary
- keep my child in correct uniform at all times, including regulation shoes and PE kit
- provide him/her with a well-stocked pencil case, a calculator and dictionary and any other equipment needed at all times
- pay for the replacement of any damaged, or lost books, or equipment
- pay for the repair of any damage caused by my child
- support my child in full-time education or training to 18
- support the values of **respect**, **integrity**, **ambition**, **scholarship** and **resilience** promoted by the Academy
- support the Academy's policy on maliciously interfering with Academy equipment, including fire equipment and the fire alarm

Signature of Student:	
Signature of Parent(s)/Carer(s):	

Emma Smith Principal Designate