



Caerleon Comprehensive School Ysgol Gyfun Caerllion

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Sixth Form Student & Home Learning Contract 2022-2023

The Student Learning Contract is intended to give students a clear understanding of what they can expect from Caerleon School Sixth Form and what will be expected of them in return. This contract lays out our expectations of you as a student in Caerleon Sixth Form. Please read and consider it carefully. As a member of the Sixth Form, you are expected to fully uphold each of the responsibilities shown and to accept that sanctions will be imposed if you are not meeting these guidelines.

Failure to meet our expectations outlined, could lead to a review and ultimately a retraction of your place in Caerleon Sixth Form

Academic Commitment

- Commit myself to the study of a minimum of two academic subjects and the Welsh Bacalaureate qualification.
- Complete all work to the required standard by the set deadlines.
- Work with determination to fulfil your potential.
- Take responsibility for my own learning both within and beyond the classroom.
- Use my private study time effectively within school and complete at least 2 hours of independent study each week within free periods.
- Complete at least 3 hours of independent study per subject each week.
- I will be organised and prepared for lessons.
- I will attend all tutorial and enrichment sessions that are there to support my learning and my wider knowledge.
- I accept that if these academic standards are not met then sanctions and interventions will be implemented.

Classroom / Lesson Conduct

- I will arrive on time and prepared to learn to **ALL** lessons
- I will adhere to a seating plan as arranged by my teacher without complaint
- I will concentrate and listen to my teacher when instruction is being given
- I will eliminate all social discussions during lessons and focus fully on the teaching and learning
- I will not disrupt the learning of others with inappropriate behaviour and distractions
- I will not bring food and drink to lessons (except water)
- I will not **use or have my mobile phone out** in a lesson unless instructed to so do by my teacher to assist with the lesson
- I will place my phone in a mobile phone box at the front of the class if instructed to do so by my teacher

General Behaviour and Conduct

- I recognise that I am a role model as a senior member of the school community and will model the highest standards of behaviour at all times.
- I will respect the authority of teachers and other staff, communicating in a polite and appropriate manner. This includes electronic communication such as email.
- I will demonstrate excellence in the way I take the responsibility of an independent learner so others will follow my example.
- I will take responsibility to challenge the poor behaviour of others e.g. by leading on the buses.
- I will adhere to all aspects of the 6th form Behaviour for Learning Policy, alongside the whole school policy and accept sanctions that will be imposed if these high standards are not met.
- I accept that the 6th form referral system will be used to sanction and improve poor behaviour.

Attendance

- I will aim to achieve 100% attendance.
- I will arrive by 9am and be in the appropriate place when the lesson starts.
- I aim to achieve 100% punctuality to all lessons and activities.
- I will provide parental authorisation for all absences and accept that if my lesson attendance falls below 85% I may not be entered for external examinations.
- I recognise that It is not appropriate to book activities that could be followed in out of school time e.g. driving lessons, work shifts etc.

Uniform

- I will follow all of the requirements of the Sixth Form dress code and understand that I am a role model for the younger students
- I accept that If I am dressed inappropriately, I may be sent home to change, if this isn't possible I may be asked to work in reset
- I accept that if I wear items that are inappropriate and are not allowed in the dress code that these will be confiscated by a member of staff e.g. hoodies, branded sweaters etc.

School Environment

- I will respect the school buildings and environment and actively work to enhance their quality by caring for the accommodation provided.
- Keep all areas clean and tidy, all rubbish to be cleared away and any damages to be reported.

Personal Responsibility

- I understand that acts of bullying to my fellow students, in any form (cyber, verbal etc.) will be dealt with stringently.
- I will give to the school community in mentoring and initiatives that help improve the lives of others. Give beyond the school community in volunteering and community service. This will link to my WBQ and will significantly enhance future applications.
- I will strive to help create an aspirational culture within and beyond the Sixth Form environment.
- I will drive safely when arriving and leaving the school, especially on Cold Bath Road.

Under this agreement Caerleon School Sixth Form will provide:

- An Individual Learning Pathway document and plan that meets your needs.
- Quality teaching in the curriculum subjects on offer.
- A friendly, caring and supportive environment.
- A tutor who monitors your progress and provides guidance.
- Access to the schools wellbeing team including a dedicated Head of Year and the support of a learning coach.
- A student development programme suited to your needs including access to impartial careers advice and guidance.
- The opportunity to take part in leisure and extra-curricular activities.
- A rewards programme to celebrate your success.

I accept and agree to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Student Learning Contract and accept the consequences and sanctions outlined in the BFL policy if I do not meet these high standards

As a parent I accept the terms and conditions in this contract and will support the decisions of the school when my child is in breach of this contract.

There may be occasions when the school needs to share information about students, such as name, date of birth, subjects studied etc. with other educational establishments (for example when booking educational visits).

Student Name: _____

Form: _____

Signed: _____

(Student)

Parent Name: : _____

Signed: _____

(Parent/Carer)

Date: _____