

ARK Elvin Academy HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT

ARK Elvin Academy is a school where diversity is celebrated and there is a relentless focus on the highest standards of pupil achievement. We recognise that the successful development of our pupils depends on an effective partnership of school, pupils and parents/carers. All three parties share responsibility for the development and achievement of pupils. Together, we commit ourselves to the following:

The school will:	As parent/carer, I will:	As a pupil, I will:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure that integrity, courage, community and mastery permeate all that we do. • Provide a learning environment that is stimulating, safe and caring. • Treat everyone with respect and manage behaviour in a non-confrontational, calm and controlled way. • Ensure that each pupil has the opportunities, support and guidance to achieve his/her full potential. • Plan our teaching to enable pupils to develop skills, acquire knowledge and build understanding. • Report regularly on each pupil's progress. • Expect high standards, set clear rules, promote mutual respect and develop a sense of responsibility. • Keep parents informed about school matters, be welcoming to enquiries and responsive to concerns. • Record and reward good progress and performance. • Offer extra-curricular activities that will develop broader skills to prepare for life and the world of work. • Detain your child where they have not met expectations. • Inform you if your child has a correction or escalation if he/she fails to meet the Academy's standards. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure my child attends school in correct uniform, arrives on time and is properly equipped for school. • Encourage my child to be courageous in their learning and support them in home learning by checking and signing the planner each week. • Attend consultation evenings and discussions about my child's progress. • Support the academy's policies and guidelines. • Allow my child to attend off-site visits. • Agree to the detention policy of the academy. • Agree to the biometrics policy of the academy. • Make sure that time is not taken out of school unless it is urgent. • Agree to my child's photograph or film/video footage being taken for the academy's use and for use by ARK. • Encourage my child to participate in the extracurricular opportunities offered by the school. • Celebrate success with my child. • Recognise that emotional states have a direct impact on learning and support my child in developing resilience and a positive attitude to learning. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be an ambassador for ARK Elvin Academy. • Be courageous in my learning - in class and at home - so that I can achieve my full potential. • Treat others as I would wish to be treated. • Put the needs of others before my own • Be proud of my school. • Set my goals every year and focus on achieving them. • Attend the academy in correct uniform, be on time and be properly equipped. • Use my planner to organise my home learning and record my achievements. • Keep the academy rules, behave responsibly and be polite to others in the academy and in the wider community. • Understand that any misbehaviour whilst wearing Academy uniform will be dealt with as if the incident occurred at school. • Take part in extra-curricular activities offered by the school. • Care for the environment - in and out of school. • Complete home learning on time. • Attend corrections. • Strive for mastery. • Be someone others can be proud of.