

**Gawthorpe Community Academy Home School Agreement**

**The school will:**

* Provide a happy, caring and safe environment to promote learning and well-being.
* Encourage the children to be polite, cooperative and to respect each other.
* Provide support for both children and parental emotional needs.
* Promote high standards of work and behaviour as set out in the school’s aims and policies.
* Provide a broad and balanced curriculum that meets the needs of all children, developing their abilities and talents to the highest possible standard.
* Monitor pupil’s behaviour, taking fair and consistent action where necessary and informing parents/carers of any concerns.
* Deal with concerns promptly.
* Keep parents regularly informed about their child’s progress.
* Provide regular reports, both written and verbal.
* Ensure equality for all.
* Monitor all ICT network facilities to ensure Internet safety for all.

Headteacher’s signature ………………………………………………....................

**As a pupil I will:**

* Follow school rules, work hard and make a positive contribution to the School Community.
* Respect other pupils, staff, visitors, myself and behave sensibly and courteously at all times.
* Be aware that racism, intolerance and bullying are unacceptable in our school.
* Keep myself and others in school safe.
* Attend school regularly and on time, avoiding ALL unnecessary absences.
* Be well prepared for the school day (well rested, well-fed and equipped with the right stationery and books).
* Wear the required uniform and PE kit and be tidy in my appearance.
* Complete homework on time to the best of my ability.
* Tell a grown up if I am worried about anything at school.
* Follow e-safety rules when working with electronic devices at home and at school.
* Understand that my actions on school computers are scrutinised by monitoring to ensure Internet safety for all.

Pupil’s signature ………………………………………………....................

**As a parent I will:**

* Take an interest in and support my child in their education and school.
* Support the school rules such as those on behaviour, e-safety, homework and uniform.
* Agree to work with the school to encourage respect and good behaviour.
* Notify the school of changes in telephone numbers, address or medical concerns regarding my child.
* Inform the school if there are any problems which could affect my child’s work or behaviour.
* Agree to adhere to the Parental Code of Conduct
* Send my child to school, prepared for the day with all books, equipment and PE kit.
* Agree to abide by the rules of the school dress code, including jewellery, clearly naming all clothing and equipment.
* Ensure that my child attends school regularly, arrives on time and is collected punctually.
* Inform the school on the first day of absence due to illness and other unforeseen circumstances.
* Avoid all unnecessary absences, including holiday in school time.
* Provide a place at home that is as quiet as possible to ensure all homework is completed as instructed.
* Ensure my child uses ICT systems appropriately at home and at school, supporting the school in dealing with any incident of misuse.

Parent/Guardian's signature………………………....…....... Date: ......………..................