

This Policy has been adopted and approved by Gippswyk Community Educational Trust and has been adapted for use by Copleston High School.

HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT	
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Definition of a Parent

- All biological parents, whether they are married or not.
- any person who, although not a biological parent, has parental responsibility for a child or young person - this could be an adoptive parent, a step-parent, guardian or other relative
- any person who, although not a biological parent and does not have parental responsibility, has care of a child or young person.

A person typically has care of a child or young person if they are the person with whom the child lives, either full or part time and who looks after the child, irrespective of what their biological or legal relationship is with the child.



COPLESTON HIGH SCHOOL HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT

The Staff and Governors of Copleston High School will:

provide a caring and purposeful learning environment	✓
provide a broad, balanced curriculum, satisfying National requirements	✓
endeavour to ensure that each student achieves his/her full potential	✓
provide enhanced opportunities within and outside the curriculum in line with our development plans	✓
provide detailed information and advice on your child's progress through reports and consultations	✓
keep parents/carers informed about school activities via letters and news sheets	✓
contact parents/carers if there is a problem with attendance, punctuality, uniform, behaviour, or equipment	✓
set, mark and monitor homework	✓
be welcoming and available to parents/carers as far as is possible	✓

Principal: _____

As the parent/carer of a child at Copleston High School I will:

inform the school about any issues that might affect my child's education, including attendance	✓
ensure that my child has no unauthorised absences and that they attend school unless there are exceptional circumstances	✓
encourage and support my child to enable him/her to achieve his/her full potential	✓
encourage and support my child to take advantage of the range of extra-curricular activities available	✓
make sure that my child attends school regularly, on time and properly equipped	✓
make sure that my child wears the school uniform	✓
support the school's policies on behaviour, discipline and homework	✓
support my child by attending parents' evenings	✓
support my child in homework and other opportunities for home learning	✓
support school policy which states that authorised staff may use reasonable force as a last resort if a child's behaviour warrants this intervention	✓

Parent/Carer: _____

As a student of Copleston High School I will:

attend school regularly and arrive on time	✓
do as I am asked, the first time I am asked	✓
always be in the right place at the right time doing the right thing	✓
complete the work set, including homework, to the best of my ability	✓
always look smart and be ready to learn	✓
follow school rules and co-operate with staff	✓
with my words and in my actions show respect for others at all times	✓
look to enhance my personal development by taking part in appropriate opportunities inside and outside the classroom	✓
respect myself and my environment	✓
be a good team member to enable us to <u>achieve success together</u>	✓
never bring items on the school's banned items list into school	✓

As a Year 11 student (if applicable) of Copleston High School I will:

attend form at 8:20 to receive revision time in the morning	✓
attend revision and exam skills revision sessions after school from September onwards	✓

Student: _____

'The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment'.