



16-19 LEARNING AGREEMENT

The purpose of this agreement is to focus students, parents and the school on the essentials for success.

You will be assigned a form tutor and are expected to attend a weekly tutorial programme lasting 125 minutes per week. In addition you are required to attend a weekly sports activity lasting a minimum of 60 minutes per week; if chosen, you will be required to represent the school. You will also attend the school's Sixth Form Lecture enrichment programme which is timetabled for 60 minutes per week.

Your attendance, punctuality and progress will be closely monitored and you will receive regular feedback and advice on how to fulfil your academic potential in each subject. Where there are concerns about your progress you will be offered appropriate support by the relevant subject department, or, where there are more serious concerns about your progress, relevant measures implemented by the Sixth Form Pastoral team.

In addition to your form tutor and subject teachers, you will be supported by your Head of Year, the Sixth Form Pastoral Officer, a member of staff with responsibility for UCAS applications and an Assistant Headteacher. You are also provided with suitable facilities in which to study. The Sixth form study centre and the Library provide environments conducive to focused, productive activity.

Your weekly tutorial programme with your form tutor, occasionally supported by time in the Friday afternoon lecture programme, will include provision for the development of your study skills. The school will also endeavour to offer relevant guidance and support to assist in the planning of your future, including a detailed programme of UCAS support and the provision of careers advice through assemblies, the lecture programme and other planned events.

You will also be offered opportunities to develop leadership skills, whether as a prefect, through the Route 1-2-1 programme, through sport or through involvement in other extra-curricular activities.

You will be expected to comply with all School Policies, which are available on the school's website www.watfordboys.org.

In line with our requirements to keep you safe your parents are responsible for authorising absence.

All students are expected to provide some kind of "community service" to the school or wider community.

You will sit internal exams in May/June of Year 12 and the results of these will inform the A level predictions which we provide to the universities to which you apply.

To realise my potential and to be in a position to attend this school.

- I will attend school diligently and expect to achieve 100% attendance
- I will ensure that I am punctual to school registrations and to all of my lessons
- I understand that the weekly tutorial and lecture programme are also an important part of the school curriculum and I will attend those faithfully
- I will comply with the school's expectations about my presence on site during the school day and my use of study periods
- I will wear my ID badge at all times when on the school sites.
- I will undertake some form of "community service"
- In line with school's expectations I will complete an academic journal
- I will work alongside my teachers and form tutor to ensure that I fulfil all of my obligations both in and out of lessons
- I understand that as well as attending my timetabled lessons I will be expected to undertake wider independent study.
- I will ensure that my behaviour complies with the current school Behaviour, Online Safety and Classroom codes, details of which can be found on the school website or in the school diary.
- I will not behave in any way that will bring the good name of the school into disrepute
- I understand that if I am achieving results which are significantly below my target grade I will be interviewed by the school in order to consider the need for support and further challenge

Name & Form:
Signed:

Date:

