

## STUDENT ENROLMENT CONTRACT 2020

Solihull Sixth Form College makes a full commitment to you and your education by promising to do everything we can to secure you the best possible teaching, support and resources. We will involve students in decisions about how the College is run, and we promise to treat you as a young adult who is an active agent in your own education, not a passive recipient of a service you consume. This is a challenging and responsible set of roles for all of us.

Part of this responsibility involves being absolutely clear about our high expectations of you and your commitments as a student. These are the promises you are making both to us and to yourself when you complete the enrolment process, so think about them seriously. Part of our job is to challenge and support you to help you live up to these standards. If you struggle at times, we will use our Commitment Interview process to draw your attention to what you need to do to get back on track. You need to be aware that these are core expectations for all members of our College community, and that you will not be able to sustain membership of this community if your behaviour for learning undermines them.

Your parents or carers are also a vital part of the support network which will ensure your success. The College will share information about your progress and achievements with them, and contact them if you face difficulties. The provision of accurate contact details is essential for this to be effective.

You promise to:

- Work to the best of your ability in all you do within our **ASPIRE & VESPA** learning culture, and to complete all work set so that it can be handed in on time.
- **INVEST** fully in your education by attending all classes, coaching sessions, appointments and other commitments punctually, and to follow absence procedures if you cannot do so for legitimate reasons.
- Treat all members of our vibrant and diverse community with **RESPECT**, and to be actively engaged in this community based on the power of education, democratic values, universal human rights and equality before the law.
- To be guided by College high expectations, rules and arrangements which are designed to make this a safe, fair, friendly and welcoming place for all of us to study and work.

You have entered a two year programme of study designed to give you the qualifications, skills and experience that prepare you for university or work. Progression from the first year into the second year of study is subject to good attendance, commitment, progress and a minimum of pass grades in your end of year assessments.

We want you to flourish in the healthy, positive and respectful environment we build together. If you complete this enrolment process, you are agreeing to take up this challenge. It will not always be easy, and we expect you to work hard. If you do, you should enjoy two fantastic years and will prepare yourself for amazing opportunities in the future. Good luck from all of the staff here who will support you in every possible way.

You should read this Contract carefully and confirm that you understand and accept these commitments by signing your Learner's Agreement.