## Southmoor Academy will:

- Strive to provide the best possible education for every child, within our ethos of 'Aspire, Achieve and Enjoy'.
- Support each child's wellbeing, education and personal development by providing a safe, supportive learning environment.
- Promote high standards of behavior, outlined in our behaviour policy ('Ready, Respectful, Safe').
- Provide appropriate support for all students with additional needs.
- Recognise and reward pupils' achievements.
- Provide a broad, balanced curriculum in which students are challenged and supported to 'know more, do more and go further', including when delivered remotely.
- Set homework to support the delivery of the curriculum.
- Mark work and assess attainment in line with policy, providing feedback to guide improvement.
- Provide a range of enrichment clubs and activities.
- Communicate key information through the weekly Southmoor Blog, the website and the Class Charts App.
- Respond to parent/carer communications in a timely manner, following school policies.
- Welcome parent/carers into school and provide opportunities to talk to teachers or pastoral staff.
- Send an annual written report covering progress in all subject areas.

#### Headteacher: Mrs J. Maw

Signature:

She

Date:

September 2022

# As a student of Southmoor Academy I will:

- Make sure I am 'Ready, Respectful and Safe' at all times and in all areas.
- Wear the correct school uniform, in the way intended, at all times.
- Arrive at school and lessons every day, on time and ready to learn.
- Bring to school all the equipment I need each day.
- **Try my best** to complete all set work and ask politely for help if I need it.
- Do homework on time and raise any issues with my teachers.
- Make the most of opportunities I am given in lessons and enrichment activities.
- Listen to and act on feedback I receive to help me to improve.
- Speak to an adult about any issues I'm experiencing that may affect my work or behaviour.
- Speak to an adult (or use Toottoot) about any concerns I have about my or other pupils' safety.
- Follow the school rules, as set out in the school policies.
- Look after school equipment, and show respect for the school environment and local community.
- Be proud to be a member of the school and act as a good ambassador at all times.

Student name :	
Student signature:	
Date:	

## As Parents/Carers, I / we will:

- Make sure my child attends school regularly and on time. I will notify the school if my child will be absent.
- Make sure my child is dressed in the correct uniform and brings the necessary equipment, including homework, to school.
- Support the school to achieve high standards of behaviour, outlined in the behaviour policy, by ensuring my child is 'ready, respectful and safe'.
- Encourage my child to try their best to reach their full potential.
- Communicate to the school any concerns I have about my child that may affect their behaviour in school or their ability to learn.
- Understand that I should communicate with staff during core school hours, and although they may at times respond outside of those hours, I can't always expect that.
- Make sure that my child completes their homework on time, or raise any issues related to homework with their teachers via the Class Charts App.
- Read and follow the school's policies.
- Treat all members of the school community with care and respect.
- Attend parents' evenings.
- Attend additional meetings as required, to work together with the school to achieve the best outcomes for my child.
- Read any communications sent home by the school and respond where necessary
- Ensure my child understands their responsibilities in this agreement.

I / We understand the school's expectations and code of conduct and accept that the school will use appropriate rewards, attendance procedures and sanctions through the school behaviour policy.

Parent/Carer name:	
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Parent/Carer signature: .....

Date: .....

As responsible adult with legal parental responsibility for:

Student name.....

Form Class.....

### I consent to the following:

 Photographs/videos to be taken of my child involved in school activities as deemed appropriate by relevant school staff for that activity and give consent for such photographs/videos to be used in situations/publications considered appropriate by the school (i.e. Academy weekly blog email, Academy prospectus, website, displays, Sunderland Echo, etc).

Please tick.	Yes	No
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Yes

• Pupil details to be given to agencies only linked to school. Please see the Privacy Notice on our school website.

No

Please tick.

We have moved to a paperless system of correspondence, where important updates and letters for parents can be accessed via our weekly principal's blog email, circulated each Friday after school.

I wish to provide a valid email address in order to receive the weekly Academy blog and acknowledge that this information will be shared only with the email platform provider 'Mailchimp'.

Please tick. Yes No

Email Address:

