

SIXTH-FORM CHARTER



This charter outlines our expectations of our students. It is intended to encourage you to fulfil your role as one of the leading students at Wales High School and to help you realise your full potential within the sixth-form. Please read it carefully, sign it and remember it.

AS A STUDENT I WILL:

- Arrive on site by 8.25am promptly via the Sixth Form Entrance.
- On arrival sign in and attend tutor group by 8.30am.
- Have the equipment I need for lessons, including textbooks, folders and stationery (I understand that this could be checked).
- I understand this is a no mobile phone school. I understand that my phone or headphones will be confiscated in line with whole school policy if I use or display them outside of the permitted locations (which are the study room and common room).
- Maintain an excellent attendance record (96.5% minimum) and be punctual to all timetabled lessons, tutor group and briefings.
- Avoid arranging other activities during school hours such as part time work or driving lessons.
- Ensure my behaviour is exemplary and be a 'role model' to younger students.
- Adhere to the sixth-form uniform policy and wear my student ID badge (lanyard) whilst at school.
- Respect members of staff, other students, visitors and the wider community.
- Act responsibly when leaving school ensuring that I sign out and the gate is closed behind me, not allowing other students to leave site or visitors to come in.
- Behave responsibly on my way to and from school, when officially allowed off site and report bus incidents.
- Study to the best of my ability and always take pride in my work.
- Submit all work, assessments and coursework on time and to the best of my ability.
- Treat all sixth-form facilities with respect and ensure they remain free from litter.
- Not abuse the provision of computers or internet facilities and put laptops away on charge.
- Take responsibility for my own learning, including using study periods effectively. I will allocate an additional 5 hours of study per subject per week.
- Check my emails regularly to keep up-to-date with all sixth-form opportunities and news.
- Take opportunities to expand my personal portfolio e.g. RAG Challenge, work experience, mentoring, mental health ambassador.
- Speak to a member of the sixth-form team if I am struggling with workload, my mental health/well-being or experiencing other barriers that means I feel I am not reaching my full potential.