

St Christopher's Sixth Form Student Contract 2024 - 2026



Success at St Christopher's is dependent on the positive relationship which exists between students, their parents and the Sixth Form.


St Christopher's Sixth Form will:

- provide a high standard of teaching and learning in all lessons including the setting and marking of regular assignments and assessments
- protect your welfare and oversee your pastoral development through the support of your Personal Tutor
- monitor your performance against agreed target grades
- report to you and your parents on your level of attendance, effort, attainment, and progress via written reports and parents' evenings
- provide opportunities for your spiritual, personal and social development through a tutor programme, Core R.E., PSHE and a range of extra-curricular activities
- offer a range of enrichment opportunities, enabling you to develop in ways beyond the formal curriculum, including the opportunity to take on positions of leadership and responsibility
- advise and guide you in the selection of and application to university, higher education, apprenticeship or employment
- provide you with an opportunity to undertake suitable and appropriate work experience and offer support to help you make the necessary arrangements
- provide a welcoming, safe and pleasant working environment

The Student will:

- treat both staff and fellow students with respect
- accept responsibility for their learning and develop excellent independent study skills
- attend all lessons, tutor periods, assemblies, and enrichment opportunities promptly and with a positive attitude
- aim for 100% attendance with a minimum expectation of 96%. Students who drop below 95% attendance may be asked to pay for their A-level examination entries.
- endeavour to develop a work ethic which enables you to produce work in line with your target grade and work within one grade of your target grade at all times.
- meet all deadlines for work
- devote sufficient time to private study (at least four to five hours per A-level subject per week), preparation for examinations and the completion of coursework assignments
- act in a manner which upholds the reputation of the Sixth Form and sets a good example to younger pupils in the school including wearing the uniform appropriately
- involve yourself in the wider life of the Sixth Form, including clubs, societies and positions of responsibility and leadership
- comply with guidelines for the Sixth Form, including those relating to behaviour, academic endeavour, uniform and attendance
- respect the Sixth Form environment and other people's property
- with support from Sixth Form, arrange suitable and appropriate work experience
- restrict the amount of paid employment during term time to no more than eight hours a week outside of the school day
- avoid requesting holidays and appointments in term-time. If absolutely necessary and unavoidable for genuine reasons, make sure a holiday request is made in writing to the Headmaster. All holidays will be treated as an unauthorised absence (unless granted by the Headmaster for *exceptional circumstances*) as they have a significant impact on achievement

In signing this you agree to abide by the Student Contract 2024-26

	Name	Signature	Date
Director of Sixth form	Miss H. F. Davies		August 2024
Student			
Parent			