# St Mary's Catholic High School, Leyland Home-School Agreement

A Contract for Your Future: St Mary's Catholic High School recognises the importance of teamwork and shared responsibility between pupils, parents/carers and the school staff. The school seeks the support of all parties to develop an effective and productive relationship between us all. Only when this relationship is complete and equal responsibility is accepted by everyone can we hope for a successful and enjoyable educational experience for all.

## The school agrees to:

- Provide an inspiring, secure and safe learning environment within a Catholic and Christian environment.
- Provide the opportunity for pupils to be actively involved in collective worship, and encourage pupils to participate in voluntary acts of worship throughout the year.
- Ensure that your child achieves his or her full potential as a valued member of the school community.
- Provide a balanced curriculum to meet the individual needs of your child.
- Support your child to achieve high standards of work and behaviour.
- Encourage pupils to accept responsibility for their own learning and behaviour.
- Keep you informed about general school matters and about your child's progress in particular.
- Set home learning in accordance with the home learning timetable.
- Update Classcharts information daily.
- Provide opportunities for parents to give their views on the work undertaken in school.

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### The Parents/Carers, I/We agree to:

- Support my child's spiritual development
- Ensure that my child goes to school regularly and arrives punctually.
- Ensure that my child is properly equipped and observes the school dress regulations.
- Engage in school communication via the website, app, social media and telephone.
- Let the school know about serious concerns or problems at home that might affect my child's work or behaviour.
- Support the school's policies and guidelines for learning and behaviour (including lunchtime and after school detention).
- Support my child in home learning and other opportunities for home learning.
- Check my child's Classcharts account daily.
- Attend parents' evening and discussions about my child's progress.
- Encourage my child to participate in activities outside the classroom, eg after school activities such as sport, music, drama

Signed:	(Parent/Carer)
Date:	

#### **PTO for Pupil Agreement**

#### The Pupil, I agree to:

- Work to maintain the school's distinctive Catholic Ethos.
- Attend school regularly and arrive on time.
- Be polite, helpful and considerate to others and always do what I am asked to do.
- Respect each other's right to learn.
- Behave with courtesy and consideration towards others
- Enter and move around the building in a quiet, orderly and safe manner.
- Keep to the left hand side in the corridors and stairways and use the appropriate doors to enter and exit school.
- Wear full uniform with respect and in the correct manner.
- Listen carefully to instructions and respect <u>all</u> staff and reply in an appropriate manner.
- Not shout out in lessons.
- Remain seated in class unless told otherwise
- Not chew gum whilst on the school premises.
- Not use a mobile phone/smart watch or other portable devices whilst in school.
- Have due regard for my own safety and that of others.
- Remain on the school premises for the whole of the school day.
- Respect and take care of my belongings and the property of the school.
- Ensure that books and equipment are brought to every lesson.

Signed:

(Pupil)