

Private Study Charter

Private study is a core part of your timetable in Year 12. It allows you to consolidate your knowledge, complete independent learning and engage in wider reading. The below agreement ensures that this takes place in the most effective way to lead to A-Level success.

Remember our expectation: to replicate time in lessons with time spent on independent study (4-5 hours per subject per week)

Preparation and Materials:

- Arrive prepared with all necessary materials for your study session (textbooks, notes, resources, etc.)
- Have a plan for the work that you wish to complete in each study session. Record this in your planner.
- Be punctual to maximise the time spent on studying.
- *If you need to leave for any reason, you will need to have pages 42 or 43 of your planner signed.*

Session study expectations

- Students should remain in their assigned room, for the duration of the study session. They will need to apply to the Learning Manager for permission to attend to Art, Drama or other organised activity.
- Maintain silence during the study session to create a focused and productive environment.
- Maintain a respectful and positive attitude towards the supervising staff and fellow students.
- Avoid collecting any printing during the study session, as this should be part of the preparation for the study.

Positive behaviour expectations

- Refrain from using the restroom during the study session, unless it's an emergency. Your planner must be signed, and blazer on if you leave the room. You must sign out/in on the notebook on the teacher's desk.
- Focus on your studies and avoid distractions like socialising or using personal devices for non-study purposes.
- Demonstrate CLASS and CALM at all times.
- Bags should be on the floor.
- A bottle of water should be taken to a study session
- Food must not be eaten.

Additional Considerations:

- Leave the study area clean and tidy when you finish.
- Be mindful of others and avoid disruptive behavior.
- If you wish to borrow a computer, you must organise this prior to the session starting.
- If you are not sure the member of staff called out your name, walk to the front and politely ask them to clarify this for you.