



TOLWORTH GIRLS' SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

OVERRIDING AIMS POLICY

1 We Will Acknowledge And Reward The Following:

1.1 Within lessons:

- Consistent effort
- Homework always completed to a good standard
- Enthusiasm in learning
- Courteousness and respectfulness
- Good work and support for others

1.2 Within the Tutor Group:

- Journal always completed
- Perfect/very good record of attendance and punctuality
- Participation in tutorial activities and discussions
- Participation in house activities and enrichment
- A positive influence in the form
- Offering help and taking on responsibility

2 Detention System

2.1 LEVEL 1 - Subject/pastoral detention 30 minutes

- Lack of homework as per departmental policy
- Offences such as persistent 'chattiness', lack of equipment, insufficient effort, inappropriate response/attitude to teacher
- Year team issues eg lateness as per policy, misuse of journal, poor organisation eg failure to return reply slips
- Persistent failure to bring in absence notes etc

2.2 LEVEL 2 - School detention 1 hour

- Failure to turn up for level 1 detention without an acceptable reason
 - Continuing rudeness/defiance despite level 1 detention
 - Any instance of serious defiance, disrespect or lack of co-operation
- To be taken by Leadership Team/Heads of Department/Heads of Year on Friday afternoon

2.3 LEVEL 3 - Saturday detention

- Persistent lateness and failure to improve as per policy
- Truancy
- Alternative to a fine for smoking
- Last stage before exclusion for serious defiance/disrespect/bullying

Confirmation that the our Overriding Aims Policy in respect of Tolworth Girls' School & Sixth Form has been agreed by the Full Governing Body.