

Longley Park Sixth Form College

Student Guide to College Expectations

As a student at Longley Park we are committed to ensuring you will be working in an environment that allows you to learn, achieve and progress.



Our commitment to you is built on the foundation that all students uphold our core expectations. These are –



The Basics

I will attend all lessons, on time, prepared and with the right equipment. My lessons are for learning and I will not bring anything into my lessons which may disrupt this for myself or others. I will wear my ID badge at all times to ensure the safety of everybody in College. I understand that these requirements are the foundation of my success.



Commitment

I will show commitment to my study programme. I will work hard both in and outside of my lessons and always produce work that reflects the best of my ability. I will keep my work organised and I understand that the standard and quality of my work is a reflection of my commitment.



Mindset

I will work with the mindset that I can achieve and that getting better never stops. I will act on the feedback my teachers give me and use it to improve my performance in line with my MTG. Where support is offered I will take it and when I'm struggling I will seek it out.



Co-operation

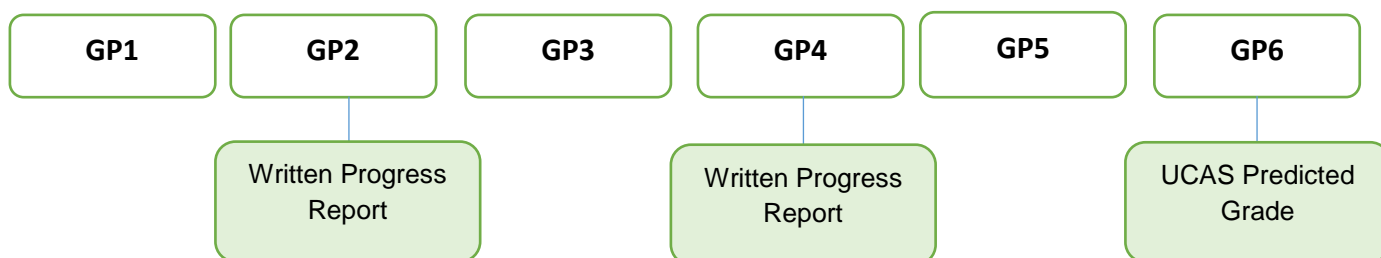
I will work positively with my teachers, students and all staff in College to ensure that everyone can focus on what they are here to do. I am here to learn, achieve and progress and I will co-operate with the people that are here to help me do so.

Assessment and Feedback on your Progress

Your teachers will regularly assess your progress and provide you with regular feedback on this in line with your minimum target grade (MTG). This will include your strengths and areas to work on. You will be given clear actions which you are expected to complete to ensure you continue to make good progress.



In addition to this your teachers will formally report your progress to you every half term, giving you an end of course prediction and a 5* Learner rating. This report will reflect the work you have completed and your overall attitude and approach to learning in line with our expectations. After every grade prediction, you will be given clear guidance on how to further develop your performance. Your teachers will use the final grade prediction to inform your UCAS predicted grade if you are applying to university.



What happens if our expectations are not met?

Staff in College will explore a range of options to help you get back on track as quickly as possible. We will work with you to understand the barriers to your learning and agree some practical targets to help you get back on track.



Conversations

Your teachers will talk to you about the reasons why you might be unable to meet our expectations. A plan will be put in place to support you in getting back on track



Meetings

If issues persist, a series of more formal meetings may be arranged to discuss next steps. Your parents or carers will also be invited to attend to give you the best support you need to get back on track



Disciplinary

For the most serious breaches of expectations, and where we feel our interventions have still not improved your situation, a disciplinary meeting will be held with College leaders and a decision will be made about your position in College.