



Queen Mary's College



College Mission, Values & Expectations



Our Mission is: To invest in individuals to build better futures.

Our core set of Values are:

1. To Excel in everything we do.
2. To be Inclusive in our approach to student recruitment, teaching, learning and support.
3. To Innovate and Inspire in curriculum delivery and design so that our best keeps getting better.
4. To Respond to the needs of every learner regardless of your starting points, helping you to develop the skills, knowledge and resilience necessary for success.
5. To Enable every member of the college community to achieve the extraordinary.

College Expectations

The College community is about promoting mutual respect and responsibility in everything we do.

We expect students at QMC to show respect to staff and students by:

- Attending all lessons and appointments with staff and always arriving punctually.
- Meeting deadlines for work completion, and catching up on anything you miss.
- Behave in a mature way in and around College, and taking responsibility for your learning.
- Switching off your mobile phone before entering a classroom and only taking it out of your bag/pocket when directed to by a teacher.
- Taking off your hat/cap/earphones before entering a classroom.
- Making sure swear words and offensive language are never used.

We expect students at QMC to show respect to our equipment and facilities by:

- Placing your rubbish into the recycling/litter bins.
- Only taking bottled water into classrooms and keeping food and drink well away from computers in public areas.
- Smoking only in the permitted, designated areas.

We expect students at QMC to show respect to our neighbours by:

- Leaving the college premises in an orderly manner.
- Only parking in designated student parking bays on the college campus.
- Refraining from smoking anywhere that would cause a nuisance to neighbours (including Cliddesden Road on the college side of the underpass).

We will not tolerate:

- Bullying (see College policy)
- Defiance, including simply ignoring a member of staff and refusing to obey a reasonable instruction
- Inappropriate use of IT (see IT Code of Conduct), including use of Twitter and / or Facebook
- Graffiti and writing on desks
- Inappropriate physical demeanour or dress