



TOWNSEND
CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL



The Good Samaritan
Luke 10:25-37



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Respect for All

At Townsend we believe that every person is equally important and that no one has the right to harass, insult or cause offence to any other person for any reason. We particularly reject the way that some people abuse others:

- because they are richer or poorer, older or younger,
- because they are small or tall, thin or fat,
- because of the colour of their skin,
- because they are a teacher or a pupil,
- because of their religion or beliefs,
- because of disability or personal problems,
- because of gender or sexual orientation,
- because of their looks or what they wear,
- because of their likes and dislikes,
- because they are popular or unpopular,
- because of their ability or lack of ability,
- because of their nationality or accent.

We are all individuals with differences, but are all members of Townsend and can learn from each other.



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Achievement for All



AWE &
WONDER

HOPE

LOVE

RESPECT stewardship Wisdom

**Townsend has six values
Chosen by students
For all of us**

Acceptable Footwear

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Plain black smart leather shoes with enclosed heel and toe, any laces should be black. Boots, trainers or trainer style shoes (Including Air Force 1s), plimsolls, platform soles, or heeled shoes are not acceptable. Please see the pictures for guidance and seek advice before purchasing if unsure.



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Girls

Purple blazer with school logo

White shirt with collar

Tie with school logo

Plain black pleated skirt
/ plain black trousers

Black socks

Plain black smart leather shoes

Plain black or grey V-Neck
Jumper (optional)

Boys

Purple blazer with school logo

White shirt with collar

Tie with school logo

Plain black trousers

Black socks

Plain black smart leather shoes

Plain black or grey V-Neck
Jumper (optional)





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Townsend READY



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Resilient and Reflective

- I reflect on feedback given to me
- I challenge myself and always look to improve
- I stick at things even when I find them hard



Engage fully

- I question, especially when I don't understand
- I engage in all activities to do the best of my ability
- I am curious about ideas and concepts



Arrive Punctual and Prepared

- I arrive on time and in the correct uniform
- I follow the routines for the start and end of lessons
- I come prepared with the correct equipment



Disciplined

- I take responsibility for my own learning
- I take pride in my work and keep it organised
- I have self – discipline



You can do it!

- I have a growth mindset
- I respect and value everyone's ideas
- I work well with others and believe in myself

**Townsend students are READY to
learn, READY to lead and READY
to succeed**



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Student Activities

Group I – Miss Reynolds (Room En 3)

Group 2 – Mr Glanville (Room En 2)

Group3 – Mrs Havancsak / Mrs Taylorson (Room En I)



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How can iPads change learning?

- iPads inspire curiosity and creativity in the classroom
- As we move deeper into the digital age it is more important than ever that student are empowered to use technology.
- It encourages students to take ownership of their own learning.

Other Advantages

- Accessibility
- Collaboration
- Organisation
- Reduces the need for phones in the classroom
- Schools will use less paper

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Phones at School

- There is no requirement for any student to have a smart phone at school.
- While we **do not** encourage students to bring smartphones to school, we understand that some students travel a considerable distance and may use their phones for safety reasons or to store travel cards.
- If you choose to send your child to school with a phone, please ensure they understand that it must be switched off and kept in their bag throughout the school day. Please support the school by having this conversation with your child
- If a phone is seen or used during the day, it could be confiscated, and you may be required to collect it from school.
- We are all aware of the pressures young people face around social media, and unfortunately, this can lead to issues that spill over into school life.
- We would be grateful if you could support us by avoiding messaging your child during the school day. If there is an urgent need to get in touch, please contact the main reception and we will make sure your child receives the message.



What are we offering?

- Loan of iPad for use at home and at school
- iPad protective case
- A bundle of apps
- System management and support
- Safety and security

What are we asking from parent/carers?

The annual cost of the programme will be £30 per term per student, £90 per year.

There will be two options for payment for the year.

- Pay the full **£90** (**£67.50** for Pupil Premium students) for the year on School Gateway.
- Pay termly in three installments of **£30** (**£22.50**) for Pupil Premium students).

Your personal circumstances

- iPad's are for everyone.
- There will be special funds set aside to support Pupil Premium students
- Please contact us to arrange a meeting if you have unique circumstances you wish to discuss please email:
ipadpayments@townsend.herts.sch.uk
- For technical support please email:
ipadsupport@townsend.herts.sch.uk

Optional Extras

Stylus (optional):



They range in price from £8 to £150. We would not recommend buying an expensive one.

Headphones:

They may use their own bluetooth headphones they already have or wired (USB C) ones compatible with the iPad are about £9



Optional Extras - links

Stylus – [Click Here](#)

Headphones – [Click Here](#)

Frequently Asked Questions

What happens if they are broken or lost?

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Do they get to keep it?



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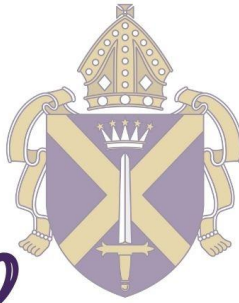
Frequently Asked Questions

Will students spend all day staring at a computer screen?



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ATTENDANCE MATTERS



Make it Count

ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGES:



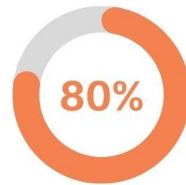
0 hours of learning lost



50 learning hours lost



145 learning hours lost



190 learning hours lost



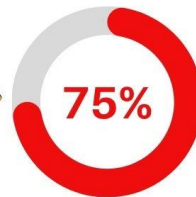
10 days absent =
180 days of
Education

29 days absent =
161 days of
Education

38 days absent =
152 days of
Education

48 days absent =
142 days of
Education

240
LEARNING
HOURS LOST



Give yourself the best chance at Townsend by attending school each day.

Equipment

You need to ensure you are well-equipped for school every day. Use the list below to help you get organised. Pack your school bag the night before to make sure you have everything you are going to need for the next day.



Pencil Case



Scientific calculator



Black, blue and red pens



Highlighters



Pencils & sharpener



Maths set



Rubber



Bottle of water



Ruler



Reading Book



Glue Stick



Padlock for your
locker



Colouring Pencils

HOME LEARNING



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Key Dates

- 5.05pm – Please return to the Hall for Mr Davies
- Transition Day – 10th July (Primary school uniform & trainers)
- Summer School – 18th, 19th, 20th August (Own comfortable clothing)
- First Day of Term – Wednesday 3rd September (Townsend uniform)
- Abbey Service – Thursday 25th September 2.00-3.00pm



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Locations for information

Hall

Admissions

Transport

SENDco / Student Support

Small canteen

Second hand uniform

Payment for transition day lunches

Refreshments



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