

Code of conduct for adult students

English in York welcomes students into our group classes from age 16 upwards. This means that if you are over 18 years old, you may have younger students (aged 16- 17) in your class.



To ensure a safe, respectful, and inclusive learning environment for those students, adult students are expected to:

- treat younger students (aged 16–17) with respect and appropriate professionalism at all times.
- use suitable language and behaviour in class and on school premises.
- respect personal boundaries and avoid inappropriate comments, jokes, or physical contact.
- not exchange personal contact details or communicate privately with students under 18 unless as part of an approved school activity.
- follow all school safeguarding, anti-bullying, and equality policies.
- respect the instructions of teachers and staff regarding classroom behaviour and student welfare.
- report any concerns about the safety or wellbeing of a student to a member of staff immediately.

Not following this code of conduct could result in disciplinary action or removal from classes.

