

# **Resignation Policy**

Expanse Learning Group

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## 1. Scope

All employees of Expanse Learning

## 2. Introduction

Should you decide to leave Expanse Learning, notice of your resignation should be given in writing to your line manager, stating your final date of employment. The amount of notice you are required to give is set out in your contract of employment.

Having tendered your written resignation and throughout your notice period, you are expected to keep the fact you have resigned confidential until Expanse Learning informs the workforce, or agrees otherwise. Your line manager will make arrangements to discuss your departure and release an official Company statement. You must not deviate from this unless it is expressly agreed with Expanse Learning in writing beforehand. In particular, you must not discuss your resignation with any of Expanse Learnings students, customers, contractors or suppliers unless Expanse Learning informs you otherwise and then only in the terms agreed in the official Company statement.

An early leaving date may be mutually agreed, at the absolute discretion of your line manager and subject to the requirements of the Company's business.

A copy of your resignation letter will be forwarded to the Business Officer, who will formally acknowledge it, confirm your final day of employment and provide details of the final salary payments due to you and issue your P45.

Your line manager may invite you to attend an exit interview or ask you to complete an exit review. Further details of these are given below.

On your final day of work, it will be necessary for you to return to your line manager any items of clothing, materials, equipment, passes, keys, etc. which have been issued to you during the course of your employment with the Company.

## 3. Exit interview/questionnaire

#### Aim

It is both regrettable and potentially expensive when an employee decides to leave Expanse Learning. It is therefore essential that we find out the reason why, if we are going to avoid losing good people in the future. Once an individual decides to leave, they are likely to give a frank and honest input which is invaluable in identifying why people leave and giving ideas which can be implemented to change the Company for the better.

## <u>Process</u>

If you decide to leave Expanse Learning, once you have officially handed in your notice, you will be approached by your line manager who may ask you to Participate in one of the following:

- attend an exit interview or
- complete an exit review (DatabridgeMIS Event: (HR) Employee Exit Review).
- Survey Monkey Questionnaire

This process represents an ideal opportunity for Expanse Learning to gather information about why you decided to leave. You may wish to comment on your place of work, the people you work with or the job that you do. All of this information is important. With your permission, selected information gained from the interview or from your completed questionnaire will be discussed with the management of the Company. The aim of this is to ensure that any problem issues can be discussed and resolved before you leave.

## 4. Monitoring and Review

The effectiveness of this policy will be reviewed annually.

### Impact of non-compliance

Staff:	Disciplinary action, Support, Action Plan
Student:	Not applicable
Legislation/organisational:	statutory and non-regulated compliance. Prosecution, Staff Retention, Poor employee performance etc
Compliance lead:	Shared Services
Policy Reference:	ELGR-HRIM-POL-0013_(Exp-Oct25)
Version:	5
Agreed policy location:	Document Hub, PeopleHR and employee intranet
Review Schedule:	36 months
Does the policy require Governor approval?	No

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