



Home School Agreement

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Review document again April 2025 in time for new pupil starter packs in July

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The school will:

- Provide a safe, caring and happy school for the child to attend.
- Deliver high quality education in all subjects of the National Curriculum.
- Offer opportunities for all pupils to develop their positive role in school life (and that of the wider community).
- Encourage all who visit the school in any capacity to subscribe to the Core Values of the school.
- Expect all children to attend school unless ill, or absence has been authorised.
- Expect a high standard of behaviour and promote this by using a reward system for acceptable behaviour and discouraging poor behaviour.
- Set homework tasks for all pupils and provide information about school to parents.
- Organise parents' evenings at least twice a year.
- Pupils with SEND will get an extra three parents' evenings a year to discuss their needs.
- Produce an annual report each year for every pupil.
- Provide clear guidance regarding uniform, including the wearing of jewellery in school, and encourage pupils to follow it.
- Provide guidance on the acceptable and safe use of IT by children.
- Set regular homework.
- Communicate to parents via email, letter, text and through the school website, and Class Dojo.

Parents will:

- Encourage their children to go to school regularly, on time with appropriate equipment (P.E. kit).
- Send children to school wearing the school uniform, unless agreed by the school and parents because of SEND needs.
- Support the school's Core Values
- Inform school if their child is ill or unable to attend for any reason on the first morning of absence.
- Strive to take holidays outside term time.
- Support the school in implementing its Behaviour Policy.
- Inform school of any important information which may affect their child in school.
- Attend parents' evenings or aim to make alternative arrangements.
- Ensure the school has up to date contact details.
- Adopt acceptable and safe practices in the use of IT by their children.
- Support their children with homework and ensure it is handed in on time.
- Adopt the Code of Conduct for Parents and Visitors to school (see Appendix A)
- Listen to your child read regularly at home (5 times a week)
- Support them in tasks such as spellings etc.
- Practice their multiplication facts (5 times a week)

Pupils will:

- Follow the school rules.
- Support the school's Core Values.
- Attend school regularly and arrive at school on time.
- Bring all the equipment needed each day.
- Wear school uniform and be tidy in appearance.
- Aim to do all classwork and homework to a high standard.
- Be a role model for others and an ambassador for the school on visits.
- Be polite and helpful to others.
- Keep the school tidy and free from litter.
- Follow school and parental guidance on the use of IT.
- Read regularly at home

Appendix A

Code of Conduct for Parents and Visitors to our School

To promote a harmonious and kind school where everyone supports our values.

This is how the best people behave when on our grounds or discussing school using social media platforms:

- They comply with Safeguarding and Health and Safety systems and expectations.
- They ensure they are familiar with the above.
- They comply with all requests from staff.
- They speak politely and calmly.
- They are respectful about our staff, our pupils and other visitors.
- They move around our school safely and with regard for others.
- If they see or hear a problem they inform a member of staff as quickly and quietly as possible and they allow us to deal with it.
- They reinforce the school rules and expectations with their children.
- They dress and conduct themselves appropriately and seek advice where this is unclear.
- The abuse of staff or the reference to school in an abusive or inflammatory manner via social media will be deemed as unacceptable behaviour and social media posts of this nature will be asked to be removed.

When visitors are on site or using social media, we expect that they will all follow this code, regardless of why they are here.

A breach of this code may result in stress, worry or other harm to a child or a member of staff or other parents/visitors.

Remember that a warning letter or even a ban from the school site may also be a consequence of a breach of this code.

Thank you.

Staff, Pupils and Governing Body

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