

# Home/School Agreement

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All the children need a positive and supportive relationship between home and school to enhance their attitude, behaviour and motivation. In order to achieve this parents need to be informed and involved in discussion about curriculum and assessment.

Your child only has one school career, and for this to be the best that can be achieved, the Home/School Agreement must be seen as a real and lively relationship promoting the highest expectations between school, parents and pupils.

### **Pupil and Parent Expectations of the School**

- A safe, well-ordered, caring environment in which learning can take place
- The pupil valued as an individual
- Challenging programmes of teaching. Guidance and opportunities for pupils to achieve their full potential
- Early warnings of problems concerning work, behaviour or relationships
- Regular information about academic and social progress and performance
- Pupils encouraged to develop positive values such as trust, honesty, respect, empathy
- Regular opportunities to express views on wider issues which can be recognised and valued

### **School Expectations of Parents and Pupils**

- A safe, caring home environment which allows pupils to develop positive attitudes towards school
- Making sure that their child comes to school on time
- Celebrating their child's individuality
- Giving time to hear them read, to work on Home Learning activities together
- Reinforcing positive behaviours such as trust, honesty, respect, empathy
- To support the self-esteem and behaviour policy
- A supportive attitude which complements the work of the school and will allow the child to benefit from education
- Early contact with the school to discuss matters relating to pupils' progress, behaviour or happiness
- Participation in agreed procedures about progress and attainment
- Acceptance of the school ethos and positive support of the teachers' role
- Supporting school activities wherever possible

**We, the parents and the school, have a shared commitment to:**

Help our young people become happy, capable and confident, able to take responsibility for their own futures and to respect and care for other people.

Provide mutual support for young people as they face the problems of growing up in today's society.

Catherine Cox  
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Parent/Guardian