

IMPORTANT DOCUMENT
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THE HOME SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

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This document was compiled by governors, parents, staff and children of our school
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Staff and Governors agree to:

- provide a rigorous and balanced curriculum
- provide a well-rounded education to support pupil progress
- provide a safe, well organised and caring environment
- report on the child's educational progress and development in social skills
- offer regular meetings with the child's teacher
- operate an open door policy, welcoming regular communication between home and school
- promptly communicate concerns to parents and carers in regards to pupil's educational performance and/or well-being and engage with relevant services
- celebrate achievement and successes of all children
- send out a weekly newsletter which provides information about school life and signposting families to events, support and advice from within the community
- keep policies updated and available on the website
- welcome all parents or carers who wish to play a part in the daily work of the school (subject to DBS check)
- operate the Behaviour Policy fairly and consistently
- promote well-being and positive mental health
- ensure a punctual start and end to the school day



The parents/carers of children at our school agree to:

- support and work with our school and encourage a positive attitude to education
- ensure that their child has an excellent record of attendance and punctuality
- ensure that their child has sufficient sleep and nutrition so that they can cope with the demands of the school day
- ensure that their child has appropriate school clothing and any equipment needed
- find some time to talk and listen to their child about their school day
- agree with the child an appropriate time and place for home learning
- attend meetings at school to discuss their child's progress and other meetings to learn about the work of the school
- support the school in its endeavours to promote a healthy lifestyle
- let the class teacher know immediately if there are any concerns about their child's education
- let the class teacher know if there are any factors which may affect their child's performance in school e.g. bereavement, moving home, health issues, new baby
- encourage their child to read and enjoy books
- ensure their child uses age appropriate multi-media, social media and the internet safely
- adhere to the school Behaviour Policy and its implications for their child's education
- support the class teacher's decision on additional interventions for their child should these be necessary
- to work with professionals beyond the class teacher to ensure good progress in learning and behaviour
- to communicate any concerns in a polite and reasonable manner



A child at our school agrees to be GRAND

	Meaning	Examples
Generous	Embrace diversity and working together. We create an optimistic and supportive, caring and sharing environment.	Co-operate with others within the school community. Be polite and helpful. Let the teacher know if anything is affecting learning or is upsetting.
Respectful	Take responsibility for own choices respecting others and property. We thrive and learn best in a calm positive environment with clear boundaries.	Show a positive attitude towards school. Show respect to people, children school grounds, buildings and equipment. Return Home Learning by the agreed date.
Aspiring	Each one of us has the power to achieve great things.	Being ready for learning with the correct equipment. Agree with parents/carers a suitable time and place to complete Home Learning. Come to school every day and on time.
Neat	We are all individuals. We are proud of our own personal achievements and proud to recognise and celebrate the achievements of others.	Wear school uniform correctly Listen carefully when Home Learning is being set. Complete Home Learning to a high standard.
Determined	We act with integrity and resilience whilst thinking about the world around us and our contribution, so we can make appositive difference.	Strive to become a GRAND learner. Listen to the views and opinions of others. Adopt a 'can do' attitude when presented with a challenge.



Thank you for taking the time to read this document.
We are happy to answer any questions or give further explanations
about the content of this agreement.

Please can you and your family talk about the information and sign
the final page and return to the school. This will then be held on
your child's file.

$$\begin{array}{l} \underbrace{2+1=3} \\ \underbrace{4x=8} \end{array} \quad \underbrace{100 \times 8 = 800} \quad \underbrace{14 \div 2 = 7} \quad \underbrace{20 + 8 =}$$



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Pupil's Name: _____

We have discussed this agreement and agree to work on high standards in the following areas:

- *Learning at school*
- *Learning at home*
- *Good behaviour*
- *Attendance and punctuality*

Signed by
Parent/Carer _____

Signed
By school _____

Date _____