



**The New Forest Church of England
(Voluntary Aided) Primary School at
Landford, Nomansland and Hamptworth**

Behaviour Policy

Information for
Parents and Visitors

A brief summary of our Behaviour Management and Discipline Policy.
The full policy can be found on our school website or from either of our school offices.

At The New Forest Church of England Primary School, we believe that every member of our school community should feel valued and respected, and that each person is treated fairly and well. We are a caring community, whose values are built on mutual trust and respect for all.

Our mission statement is ***'Learning and growing together through Christian values'*** which we have based on the Fruits of the Spirit.

"The fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control"

Galatians 5:22-23

We aim for our children to:

- Grow in the Christian Faith
- Achieve their best and strive for excellence
- Develop resilience
- Respect each other and themselves
- Express their creativity
- Develop skills for a continually changing world

Our expectations of behaviour:

We have high expectations of behaviour based upon our school values.

We expect every member of our school community to:

- Behave in a respectful and considerate way towards others
- Treat all children fairly and consistently
- Help children to grow and learn in a safe and secure environment
- Support children to become positive, responsible and increasingly independent individuals

Good behaviour is expected, encouraged and rewarded in our school.

High expectations of behaviour help everyone to feel safe and valued ensuring that children are ready to learn. We aim for children to enjoy their time in school and be confident to take risks with their learning.

We encourage and reward children in the following ways:

Positive interactions

- Smiling
- Always using manners
- Showing tolerance of others
- Respecting other's personal space
- Looking after resources
- Keeping our hands to ourselves

Opportunities for children

Children can take responsibility in many ways:

- School Councillor
- Eco School Councillor (Planet Patrol)
- Play Leader
- Prefect
- House Captain
- Representing the school at sporting, musical and other events

Rewards

- House Points
- Stickers
- Headteacher/Senior Teacher Stickers
- Star of the Week Awards
- Class treats
- Golden time
- Comments on children's work—positive feedback
- Publicly praising children in assemblies

We treat every child as an individual and aim to be positive within all of our interactions, using a variety of strategies to motivate and praise children. The flowchart on the following page shows how we provide opportunities for children to reflect and rectify their behaviour at every stage. This is always backed up with plenty of positive comments.

We aim to help children independently make the right choices so that they have a happy and productive time at school.