

St Martin's Garden Primary School

Home School Agreement



Child's Name: _____ Class: _____

Schools are required by law to produce a home school agreement. These agreements play a key role in school life by ensuring that staff, parents/carers and children themselves are aware of the role they have to play in children's learning and what their responsibilities are. We hope you see the value of this agreement and ask that you sign a copy and return it to school.

Staff:

- To treat pupils with respect.
- To know their children and know their names.
- To have high expectations of themselves and the pupils.
- To model good behaviour.
- To teach and promote social, moral, spiritual and cultural aspects of learning.
- To investigate incidents carefully and promptly listening to both sides.
- To ensure the classroom and other areas of the school provide a safe and attractive learning environment.
- To prepare lessons carefully to meet the needs and abilities of all pupils.
- Let parents/carers know how their child is doing at school, at work and at play.
- Arrange parents' evenings, send newsletters and notes to keep you up to date with school life.
- Set homework which will support their learning.
- To apply rewards and sanctions consistently and fairly.
- To involve pupils in deciding the class and school rules/code of conduct.
- To work with families and other agencies to ensure pupil's needs are met.
- To work with other schools to ensure smooth transition.

Please read, sign
and return.



Parents:

- To ensure your child(ren) arrives before 8:55am and with the correct clothing and equipment.
- To ensure that on school days children have had a good night's sleep (research shows that children under 12 need a minimum of 10 hours sleep each night) and preferably a good breakfast.
- To support your child(ren) in completing their homework.
- To treat school staff and other school families with respect. Not share grievances on social media.
- Let the school know if and why your child is not at school, on the first morning of absence.
- To model good behavior and appropriate language to your child(ren) particularly around the school site.
- To respect the school and class rules/codes of conduct.
- Support the school policy for behaviour. This and other policies can be found on the school website.
- Attend parents' evenings and discussions about my child's progress.
- To notify the school of their child's needs, and any changes in circumstances.

Children:

- To be kind and do our best.
- To arrive at school before 8:55am.
- Arrive in school in the correct school uniform, including the correct P.E. kit.
- To treat adults and other pupils with respect.
- To work hard in class and allow others to work without distractions.
- To respect and follow the agreed class and school rules.
- To look after other people in the school.
- To report bullying or any accident or incident.
- To look after the school equipment.



Signed (Headteacher)
Mr M Stone

Signed (Parent)

Date

Date

Signed (Pupil)

Date