

GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



Home School Agreement

January 2016

Aims and Values

“ We aim to foster the growth of children within their faith and their awareness of the world as maturing Christians.

“ We aim to recognise the unique qualities of each individual child to develop their social skills and personal self confidence.

“ We aim to be a loving and caring community striving to create an atmosphere of mutual support and encouragement.

Home School Agreement

The School and Local Academy Committee will:

- Provide a programme of spiritual, moral, social and cultural education in accordance with Gospel values and the teaching of the church and support the overall aims of the School's Mission Statement and its agreed policies for all aspects of school and parish life.
- Keep you informed on the standards of children's work and the progress being made.
- Keep you informed of your child's attitude, behaviour and attendance.
- Provide you with a detailed annual written report on your child's progress and offer an opportunity for parents to discuss the content of the report.
- Contact you if any problems arise with a child's attendance or punctuality.
- Provide a clear indication of what homework is expected.
- Keep you fully informed of school activities through newsletter(s), notices and announcements.

The Family will:

- Work in partnership with the school and the church in order to support our child's spiritual, moral, social and cultural development.
- Ensure our child attends school regularly and on time and lives out the school rules.
- Present our child refreshed, dressed in school uniform and ready for learning.
- Support our child to grow in their faith and learning.
- Attend parents evening and discussions about my child's progress.
- Attend school meetings and read the weekly newsletter.
- Support the school's homework policy by encouraging and supporting learning outside school hours.
- Let the school know if there are any special circumstances, which might affect our child's work, behaviour or attendance.

The Child will:

- Follow Jesus – to love God and love one another.
- Pray to God each day.
- Play a full part in the life of the school and the parish.

- Come to school each day and on time.
- Make sure I bring all the equipment I need.
- Do my best in all my class work and homework.
- Follow the school rules.
- Treat everyone with respect and be polite and helpful to others.

The Parish Family will:

- Help you to prepare for your Sacraments
- Pray for you on your journey of faith.
- Help you to be an active member of our Parish family.

Home school agreement to be signed by parents and children on entry to the school in Reception and again when children enter KS2. New admissions to school will sign on entry to school.

Agreed by LAC: February 2016



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Date: _____

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Parent/Carer Signature: _____

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Principal Signature: _____

Date: _____

