



We thank you for your continued support and active involvement in the Shirley School Community.



'Shirley School is a safe, happy environment where children are inspired to be confident, independent learners; respectful of difference and determined to succeed.' (Mission Statement)

Our School Aims:

Motivate our children to achieve their potential through a love of learning and inspirational teaching.

Encourage our children through sharing high expectations and celebrating personal, social and academic achievement.

Provide an engaging curriculum that creates independent thinkers who enjoy learning.

Support parents and carers to be active partners with the school in their children's education.

Develop young people who are resilient and who demonstrate respect, fairness and honesty.

Inspire our children to have an appreciation of, and contribute to, the world around them.

If you have any concerns concerning this agreement, please contact the Headteacher:

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Shirley Community Primary School

HOME/SCHOOL AGREEMENT

2019-2020

Pledge for School

The school will:

- Provide a broad, challenging and stimulating curriculum that ensures exciting learning opportunities for all pupils.
- Ensure that all pupils are treated with respect and dignity, and are able to feel happy, safe, secure and confident.
- Fulfil our legal responsibility to safeguard all pupils and engage with outside agencies when the circumstances require this level of support.
- Teach pupils to become active members of our school community and help them to see that they can positively contribute to the world around them.
- Build supportive relationships with parents/carers and keep them well informed about their child's progress and development in school.
- Set regular home learning, provide support for completing home learning and provide extra curricular activities to enrich the pupils' experiences.
- Teach pupils to respect and value equality and diversity.
- Address all reports of bullying promptly and ensure children understand the impact of bullying behaviour, as well as how to prevent it from happening.
- Provide pupils with supportive, dedicated teaching staff.

Pledge for Parents/Carers

To help my child at school I will:

- Support the school's policies and guidelines on learning, behaviour and uniform, both in school and at home.
- Ensure my child attends school daily and on time. I will inform the school promptly of any reason for absence and avoid appointments during school hours.
- Attend meetings and performances that support and promote my child's learning
- Support the school in maintaining positive behaviour from my child.
- Be a positive role model; promoting a positive attitude towards learning and respect for others.
- Inform the school of any problems or difficulties that might affect my child's ability to be an effective learner.
- Ensure my child wears named school uniform and brings in any other equipment required (e.g. P.E kit).
- Support my child with home learning and listen to my child read as often as possible.
- Ensure that the school has my up-to-date contact details and make myself available to communicate with when needed.

Pledge for Pupils

I will do my best to:

- Work hard as a member of my school and engage myself in school life.
- Come to school daily and be on time.
- Behave positively, following the school's 3 rules: be kind, be safe, be responsible.
- Respect others and value people's differences.
- Respect school property and take care of its surroundings.
- Contribute positively to the school community and the world around me.
- Work hard to achieve my targets and listen carefully to adults' instructions.
- Wear the correct school uniform.
- Do my home learning and bring it into school on time.
- Bring all the equipment I need every day.
- Help make the school a safe and happy place.
- Report the unkind behaviour of others.
- Ask for help if I find my work difficult or if I am unhappy at school.