



# Huntington Primary Academy

## HOME / ACADEMY AGREEMENT

### ETHOS STATEMENT

We expect every child in our Academy to reach their full potential, develop skills and talents to their maximum, and have a sense of self worth and belonging within our community.

To make this happen everyone (pupils, families, staff, trustees) will work together to encourage and support each other, celebrating achievement and acknowledging effort.

Staff will provide positive role models for pupils and work in partnership with families to ensure all pupils feel safe, secure, valued and respected.

On-going self evaluation, reflection and professional dialogue will enable us to refine, develop and improve our practice to meet the changing needs of everyone in our Academy's community.

Our school drivers:

- Enjoy and Achieve
- Be Healthy
- Stay Safe
- Make a positive Contribution
- Achieve Economic Well-Being

will be central to all our work within and outside the Academy.

### AIMS OF THE ACADEMY

At Huntington Primary Academy we believe every child has the right to equality of opportunity and access to the whole curriculum. We aim to provide a learning environment where we are all working together to:

make our Academy interesting, happy and safe		build our confidence and believe in ourselves
give the very best we can		achieve high standards of work and behaviour
learn all sorts of things in all sorts of ways		become individual learners
help us communicate appropriately		help each other
learn to use language and numbers effectively		Consider And Respect Everyone (CARE)

## **Pupil's Responsibilities**

I will:

- Attend the Academy everyday on time
- Come to the Academy ready for learning with a positive attitude and all the things I need each day
- C.A.R.E. ~ Consider And Respect Everyone
- Always do my best
- Behave sensibly so that everyone can be happy and safe
- Join in fully and enthusiastically with all the learning activities at the Academy
- Take responsibility for my actions by thinking carefully about what I do and say
- Respect and care for my Academy's environment
- Be helpful and kind to others whenever I can

## **The Academy's Responsibilities:**

In order to meet our aims and ethos we will:

- Ensure each child is valued for who he/she is as an individual
- Treat every child with dignity and respect
- Provide the best possible education and care for every child
- Provide an exciting, differentiated and challenging curriculum to meet children's needs
- Provide you with information about your child's progress/achievement and offer you the opportunity to discuss this with your child's teacher
- Inform you of any concerns regarding your child's attendance, behaviour, work or health
- Set homework tasks and pupil targets to be worked on at the Academy and at home
- Promote healthy and safe lifestyle choices
- Celebrate the success of our pupils both at the Academy and at home
- Not share any photographs or video footage of any activities or events held at the Academy or off site at sporting events or educational visits, with a third party. Images will be used for Academy purposes only and the use of images will be managed by the Academy

## **Parent/Carer Responsibilities:**

As the first and primary educator(s) of our children I/we will work closely with the Academy to help my/our child to achieve their potential and keep themselves safe.

I/we will:

- Ensure my child attends the Academy everyday on time, is suitably dressed and equipped for the day ahead
- Inform the Academy immediately by telephone or in writing if my child is to be absent for any reason
- Encourage my child to be enthusiastic about learning and to enjoy the Academy by being positive about what the Academy is trying to achieve
- Encourage my child to talk about the daily life in the Academy at home
- Expect my child to work hard and behave well
- Support my child by working with them on homework tasks and targets
- Support the Academy's policies and practices for promoting good behaviour
- Attend meetings with the teacher to discuss my child's progress
- Inform the staff of any changes which may affect my child whilst at the Academy
- Ensure that any photographs or video footage taken of a child/children other than my own, at school or off site during an educational visit or sporting event, will **not** be uploaded to and shared on social networking sites such as Facebook and Instagram

## **SIGNED & DATED**

Pupil .....

Parent/Carer(s) .....

Academy (Headteacher) .....