



Mrs Bland's Infant and Nursery School

Home-School Agreement

Mission statement

To inspire a love of learning through creativity and challenge

Mrs Bland's Infant and Nursery School aims to meet the needs of all pupils as individuals, within a caring and happy community, where pupils can develop into confident, resilient and resourceful learners.

We will encourage pupils to work hard, to behave appropriately and take pride and pleasure in their own and others' achievements.

We look forward to working together on a basis of mutual respect to help our pupils achieve the highest possible levels of success.

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Pupil's name

Signed for School
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Signed for pupil's home
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CURRICULUM

The school will aim to:

- Inspire curiosity for learning through a broad and balanced curriculum
- Ensure that every pupil is taught at an appropriate and challenging level by qualified teachers
- Maintain an attractive environment with good materials and equipment and teach the full National Curriculum and religious education
- Provide high quality teaching, including specialist sports and music lessons
- Ensure that all pupils participate in outdoor activities

Pupils will try to:

- Be ready and willing to learn and do their best
- Ask for help with their learning

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Encourage my child to participate fully in school activities
- Support my child's learning at school by attending parents' meetings, performances and open afternoons
- Provide my child with suitable clothing for school activities, such as PE kit and outdoor activity clothing

BEHAVIOUR

The school will aim to:

- Make sure pupils are familiar with school rules
- Use rewards and sanctions fairly
- Make sure that school staff always set a high standard of personal behaviour
- Respect the views of pupils and parents, acknowledging the different circumstances that exist

Pupils will try to:

- Remember and follow the school rules
- Listen to others and follow instructions
- Allow others in class to learn effectively
- Set a good example to others
- Take care of school equipment
- Wear school uniform and be tidy in appearance

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Help my child understand and follow the school rules
- Encourage my child to care for school property both at school and at home
- Behave in a way that sets children a good example when I am on school premises
- Ensure that my child wears school uniform and knows the dress code
- Follow the school policies and procedures relating to the use of mobile devices and social media

EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

The school will aim to:

- Treat all pupils fairly
- Encourage all pupils to take part in all activities
- Celebrate the diverse backgrounds that we come from
- Use different cultural examples in teaching
- Ensure that bullying and racist, sexist and other discriminatory behaviour are not tolerated

Pupils will try to:

- Show kindness, consideration and respect to all
- Support and care for everyone in school

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Help my child understand that everyone is of equal importance.
- Encourage my child to appreciate and respect the views and religions of others

HOMEWORK

The school will aim to:

- Provide a creative and thematic curriculum through which pupils may wish to explore further at home through research, visits or projects
- When pupils are ready, send spellings and a reading book home for daily practise

Pupils will try to:

- Apply learning in school at home
- Make every effort to complete home tasks such as reading and spellings to the best of their ability

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Support my child's curiosity
- Support learning further
- Help my child find a quiet place and time to do homework
- Engage my child in regular discussions about current learning
- Ensure school property is looked after when at home.
- Read stories to and with my child frequently.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

The school will aim to:

- Start classes promptly at 9.00am
- Maintain an accurate record of attendance
- Celebrate good attendance at the end of each term
- Liaise with parents/carers if we have concerns about attendance

Pupils will try to:

- Come to school regularly and arrive on time

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Make sure that my child is at school regularly, on time and prepared for learning
- Make sure that my child is collected on time
- Contact the school promptly when my child is absent

WELFARE AND COMMUNICATION

The school will aim to:

- Ensure that pupils are safe on school premises and on school trips
- Administer medicines only with written permission and according to the medicines policy
- Give full and clear information about the curriculum, and each pupil's progress, standards achieved and development needs.
- Communicate frequently with parents about school matters and set dates for events early and inform parents.

Pupils will try to:

- Tell a grown up if worried about anything at home or in school
- Follow e-safety rules when working with electronic devices at home and in school

Parents/Guardians will aim to:

- Teach my child about personal hygiene
- Make sure the school always has an up to date emergency contact number
- Keep my child at home when unwell
- Raise my concerns with the appropriate person as early as possible
- To let the school know of issues that may affect my child's welfare or progress at school

Our Golden Rules

To care for everyone and everything

To play fair

To use good manners at all times

To try hard in everything we do and persevere

(Written by the pupils at Mrs Bland's School)

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