

**THIS BOOKLET CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND RETURN THE SIGNED COPY TO SCHOOL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

Name of child:

Date of Birth:

All Saints' CE First School

Home-School Agreement



#### **Our Vision and Values**

Our vision and values will be achieved when all staff, parents/carers and children understand their responsibilities and work together towards the same goals, as detailed in our home/school agreement.

**The school will:**

#### **The Learning Environment**

- Provide your child with a high standard of education, implemented by rigorous national guidelines, within a balanced curriculum.
- Ensure that our learning environment is safe, secure, stimulating and caring.
- Celebrate your child's academic and personal achievements.
- Provide the scaffolding needed to enable your child to achieve their full potential.
- Care for your child's safety and well-being by observation and listening to them.

#### **A Christian, Caring Community**

- Teach your child to develop a positive attitude to one another, regardless of gender, race, culture, belief, values, age and need.
- Encourage your child to become an active member within our community and help them to see that they can have an impact on the world around them.

- Regularly meet with you to communicate the progress of your child, celebrating their strengths and explaining how we can support them in their areas for development.
- Provide information to you about our school, including relevant policies, meetings, workshops, activities, newsletters and open days.
- Ensure that all children and their families are treated with respect and sensitivity.

### **Homework**

- Set differentiated and achievable homework to extend the curriculum and provide the opportunity for independent learning. Clear information will be provided so that you will be able to help your child if required.
- Provide parent partnership projects that will inspire your child and help you to engage with their learning.

### **As a parent/carer I will:**

#### **The Learning Environment**

- Ensure that my child attends school regularly and is on time and will provide an explanation of absence.
- Make sure that my child arrives safely at school by 9am (or 9.15am in nursery) and is collected promptly at 3.30pm (or 3.15pm in Nursery) at the end of the school day. If my child is not collected, I accept that my child may need to go into Kids Club, where charges will apply.
- Ensure that the school always has a list of emergency contact numbers, addresses and up to date medical information.
- Make sure that my child is wearing named school uniform and that they have a named PE kit in school.
- Endeavour to provide a safe, secure and happy environment at home for my child, acknowledging that they learn at home.

#### **A Christian, Caring Community**

- Let the school know of any concerns or worries that may be affecting my child's learning, behaviour or ability to do homework, as this can then be resolved quickly.
- Attend meetings with my child's teacher and other staff, aiming to be positive and productive, working towards moving my child on in their learning.
- Support and work with school to ensure that the behaviour management policies are maintained, particularly with my child.
- Encourage a positive attitude towards my child's education and our school. If I have any concerns, I will come and discuss them with you as it is much healthier to work out solutions and move on.

- Read all information sent home as this gives me important details of relevant policies, meetings, workshops, activities, newsletters and open days.
- Support the school and PTFA.

### Homework

- Work with the school in supporting the education of my child in homework and other opportunities for home learning.
- Encourage my child to be the best they can be, encouraging them to achieve the targets set for them.
- Give feedback on achievements at home for example within homework folders, reading diaries or word books.
- Share a book with my child at least 3 times a week.

### As a Pupil of All Saints First School, I expect:

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| ▪ To be treated kindly.      | ▪ To feel wanted.                       |
| ▪ To be listened to.         | ▪ To be safe.                           |
| ▪ To be helped.              | ▪ To be special.                        |
| ▪ To have a friend.          | ▪ To share.                             |
| ▪ To play and join in games. | ▪ To have fun.                          |
| ▪ To be happy.               | ▪ To learn.                             |
|                              | ▪ Everyone to follow our school values. |

To make this happen I will **be the best that I can be** and will try my best to:

- **Be respectful**
  - of other children's culture, race, feelings, beliefs and values.
  - by being considerate towards others and speaking politely.
  - by taking good care of the building, equipment, people's belongings and school grounds.
- **Be kind**
  - towards everyone.
  - by thinking about other people's feelings and trying to make others feel welcome and valued.
  - by sharing.
  - by smiling at everyone in the school.
  - by always being ready to help someone and forgiving others.

- **Be confident**
  - by trying new activities and challenges.
  - by asking for help if I need it.
  - by taking risks with my work and not to be afraid to sometimes get things wrong.
- **Be independent**
  - by taking home letters, homework and uniform.
  - by bringing things I need to school.
  - by telling a member of staff if I am worried or unhappy.
  - by making my own choices.
- **Be Responsible**
  - by setting a good example.
  - by behaving in a safe way.
  - by looking after my uniform and belongings.
  - by accepting responsibility for the things that I do.
- **Be creative**
  - by trying my own methods and ideas.
  - by asking questions.
  - by using my imagination.
- **Have a Love of Learning**
  - by sharing my skills with other people
  - by working together well in a team
  - by taking part in all lessons and wanting to try my best.
- **Have Perseverance**
  - by not giving up when things are tricky.
  - by finishing what I start.
  - by not getting distracted when I'm working

I have read and discussed these with my Child.

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Headteacher's signature :

