# Home/School Agreement 2024/25



#### Our Vision: Growing Minds and Hearts for a Whole World of Opportunities

An engaging curriculum and effective learning will establish strong roots of knowledge, skills and understanding.

A welcoming and inclusive ethos will nurture and grow excellent personal and social skills.

An appreciation of our world and its diversity will enable our children to branch out into the global community.

#### **School Agreement**

1. We will provide a secure, caring and stimulating environment, which will allow your child to learn and play happily and safely.

Our safeguarding policies and systems will be regularly updated and rigorously delivered and monitored.

2. We will provide a challenging curriculum, which meets the individual needs of all pupils and enable every child to reach their full potential.

3. We will let you know if your child is experiencing any serious difficulties with school work, behaviour or relationships and ensure that you are fully aware of support strategies being put in place.

4. We will operate a consistent whole school behaviour policy which is based upon positive relationships. We will not tolerate bullying or discrimination.

5. We will give you regular information about your child's progress in school, including parents' evenings, curriculum updates from class teachers at the beginning of every year and a written report each summer term.

6. We aim to work in partnership with parents so that the development and learning of every pupil can be supported in a 360° way, therefore, we will welcome parents and offer them the chance to be involved in the life of the school in a variety of ways.

7. We will operate an 'open-door' policy so that concerns can be raised at the earliest opportunity and dealt with swiftly.

8. We will protect your personal information according to our privacy notice which can be found on our website.

9. We will communicate with you regularly and consult with you on some of the areas we are developing.

10. We will respect your privacy concerning the information that you share with us and that we share with other agencies.

Headteacher's signature: S Shipp

## **Home Agreement**

1. We will accept the school vision and policies and positively support the staff team, encouraging our child to behave appropriately and supporting the school's guidelines for behaviour.

2. We will inform the school of any matters that may affect our child's happiness, health or progress.

3. We will notify the Headteacher or Deputy (Safeguarding Designated Leads) should we have any concern about the Child Protection of our own or indeed any other child. We will work positively with the school should any safeguarding concerns arise and will accept that the school have to take steps to ensure all children are safe from harm.

4. We will accept full partnership with the school, attending parents' evenings and discussions about our child's progress and having an active role in helping our child to love books, read regularly and complete homework.

5. We will ensure that our child arrives at school regularly and on time (by 8.45am) and in the case of absence, we will contact school on the first day via the Studybugs App or by telephone.

6. We will take up any concerns we have with the teacher in the first instance and then with the Headteacher.

7. We will conduct ourselves appropriately on school grounds, on the phone and when communicating via online means, to ensure the safety and well-being of pupils, staff and other parents.

8. We will not:

- Post defamatory 'statuses' or comments about parents, pupils, the school or its staff
- Send abusive messages to parents, staff or pupils
- Post negative comments about the school's values and methods.

If we have a concern we will talk to staff members and refer to the Complaints Policy if appropriate (which is available on the school website).

9. We will ensure that the school is always in possession of two up-to-date points of contact in case of illness or emergency.

10. We will send our child to school sufficiently prepared to cope with and equipped for, all activities taking place at school, being mindful of the need for most young children to have at least 10 hours of sleep.

11. We will take up the National offer of a free school meal for all Early Years and Key Stage 1 pupils, and will notify the school in writing should any dietary needs require a planned alternative.

12. We will support the school's philosophy on uniform and P.E kit. (You are advised to contact the PE lead teacher for advice before having ears pierced, as earrings MUST be removed before all PE activities).

13. We will read all school communications and return completed pro-forma by the specified date.

## Parental signature:\_ Child's Name: \_

<u>Our Values</u>

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#### 'The Friar's Grove Way'.

Following our Values will help us achieve our Vision.

### I will have ambition to always do my best.

I will show integrity and be proud to make the right choice.

I will respect myself, other people and everything in our world.

Pupil signature: \_\_\_\_\_