

Bearwood Primary and Nursery School Home School Agreement 2024 - 2025

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By your child attending Bearwood Primary and Nursery School, you are agreeing to the school's values and ethos outlined below. Please ensure you have talked through this with your child.

Our Home School Agreement describes ways in which the school can work in partnership with parents and children. We believe that an effective home—school partnership is essential for the successful education of children. By working together, we can ensure that each child becomes happy, confident and secure and will grow up to be a valuable member of the community. Alongside our vision, we will develop confident communicators, independent learners, ambitious achievers and global citizens.

The Parents/Carers

It is my/our responsibility to:

- See that my child attends school daily by 8.50am, with everything needed to be ready for learning. (Staff will be on duty from 8:30am)
- Support the school in promoting a healthy lifestyle e.g. healthy eating, including eating breakfast and walking or cycling to school where possible
- Let the school know about any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour by leaving a message with playground or door staff asking for my child's teacher to make contact.
- Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour and anti-bullying
- Support the school's child protection procedures, in particular the use of photographic images and the Internet e.g. Facebook, twitter
- Support the school's policies as detailed on school website.
- Support my child's homework and other opportunities for home learning and ensure that it is returned by the designated day in each class.
- Support the school in maintaining high standards of appearance by wearing school uniform and having the correct PE kit
- Avoid taking holidays in school time
- Attend parents' evening and discussions about my child's progress
- Contact the school if my child is absent by 9am in the morning.
- Inform school of any concerns in line with procedures highlighted on the website rather than using social media to discuss concerns.

The School

It is our responsibility to:

- Care for your child's safety and happiness
- Provide a balanced curriculum and meet your child's individual needs
- Be open and welcoming and offer opportunities for parents to become involved in school life.
- Contact parents if there is a problem with attendance, punctuality or equipment
- Let parents know about any concerns or problems that affect their child's work or behaviour
- Send home an Annual Report to Parents in July.
- Set, mark and monitor work, as detailed in Marking and Feedback Policy.
- Arrange Parents' Evenings during which progress will be discussed
- Keep parents informed about school activities through regular letters home, weekly alerts, website, newsletters and notices about special events

The Child

It is my responsibility to:

- Respect the rights of others, by following our agreed classroom charters
- Attend school regularly and on time
- Bring everything I need every day, including PE bag and book bag
- Wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance
- Do all my class work and homework as well as I can
- Try my best to achieve the Bearwood Goals.

A statement of the school's aims and	values and a summ	ary of the Specia	Needs and	Inclusion	Policy	can be
found on the school's website.						

Child's Name:	
Signed:	Parent / Carer