# Hardwick Green Primary Academy Behaviour Curriculum – The Hardwick Green Way



## Introduction

At Hardwick Green, one of the ways that we develop children's character is through the 'Hardwick Green Way' curriculum. In order to build character, we define the behaviours and habits that we expect students to demonstrate. We want to support our pupils to grow into adults who are polite, respectful, grateful and who put others before themselves. We believe that, as pupils practise these behaviours over time, they become habits that positively shape how they feel about themselves and how other people perceive them.

### Teaching the 'Hardwick Green Way'

The curriculum is taught explicitly during the first week in Autumn term alongside the traditional National Curriculum subjects. Children should learn the content of the curriculum so that they can recall the information and act upon it. At the start of each term, the 'Hardwick Green Way' curriculum is revisited with pupils and will continue to be reinforced throughout the year. Teachers will also demonstrate these behaviours and ensure pupils have many opportunities to practise these (particularly in the first few days of each term). For example, a lining up order should be taught in the classroom but must be reinforced in different locations and times throughout the school day e.g. at lunchtime or playtime. It is expected that all pupils will know this content.

As Tom Bennett describes in 'Running The Room', the process for teaching behaviour explicitly is as follows:

- 1. Identify the routines you want to see
- 2. Communicate in detail your expectations
- 3. Practise the routines until everyone can do them
- 4. Reinforce, maintain and patrol the routines constantly

### **Curriculum Content**

### **Rules:**

- Know that our school has three rules:
  - o Be Ready
  - Be Respectful
  - Be Safe
- Know what these rules look like for their classroom (created in conjunction with the teacher)

### **Routines:**

- Know and use the following routines in the classroom and around school:
  - SLAM Listening (Sit, Listen, Ask, Magnet Eyes)
  - o 3-2-1- (for transition from carpet to tables, and tables to carpet)
  - o TTYP (including knowing who their partner is)
  - Walking quietly around school, and silently on the way to assembly

#### Manners

- Know that you should always say 'please' when you are asking for something.
- Know that you should always say '**thank you**' when you receive something or someone does something nice for you.
- Know that you should let any waiting adults through a doorway before walking through yourself.
- Know that you should say 'Good morning/afternoon' to adults if spoken to.
- Know that it is polite to give **eye contact** to the person you are talking to.

• Know that it is important to show gratitude to others by **thanking people** for what they have done for you.

Lunchtime - Teachers specially teach and reinforce this during their 15 minutes in the dinner hall.

- Know that you should use a quiet voice in the dinner hall.
- Know that you should always try to use a knife and fork correctly (this will be explicitly taught in EYFS and KS1)
- Know that you should finish what you are eating before leaving your seat.
- Know how to use good manners during lunchtime, particularly when receiving food from the school kitchen and talking to the play team.

# School Uniform

- Know that school uniform consists of
  - o Green sweatshirt or cardigan
  - Yellow or white polo shirt
  - o Grey or black trousers / joggers (plain only no logos) / skirt / pinafore / shorts
  - Yellow or green gingham dress
  - Suitable footwear (trainers are OK)
- Know the school PE kit consists of
  - o PLAIN White T-shirt (Not football shirts, strappy vest tops, T-shirts with logos etc.)
  - Black shorts or joggers
  - Suitable footwear

# End of the day routine

- Know that they must not go home until the teacher has checked that the correct adult is picking them up.
- Know that these procedures are put in place to keep all children safe at home time.

# Attendance and Punctuality

- Know that you must try to attend school every day.
- Know that you must try to arrive at school on time every day (8:40).
- Know that attending school on time every day is important so that you don't miss important learning.

# Behaviour outside of school

- Know that when you are wearing your school uniform you are representing the school community and must always behave responsibly and respectfully.
- Know that you should be considerate of other people arriving and leaving school.
- Know that being considerate means thinking about other people's needs, wishes and feelings.
- Know that examples of being considerate on the way home include walking not running, giving people plenty of space, using a quiet voice not shouting.
- Know that all pupils follow our behaviour curriculum to become better learners and to build positive habits which will help everyone to be successful throughout life.

Nursery –	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
Year 6	Explicit	Ongoing	Longer	Ongoing	Longer	Ongoing
	teaching of	revision of	recap of	revision of	recap of	revision of
	the full	content	'Hardwick	content	'Hardwick	content
	'Hardwick		Green Way'		Green Way'	
	Green Way'		curriculum.		curriculum.	
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