

The governors and senior leaders of High Green Primary School are committed to achieving Best Value in all decisions they make. We use the principles of Best Value and Value for Money as they apply to securing continuous improvement in this school, and we will:

- Regularly review the functions of the school, challenging how and why processes are undertaken and how services are provided, and setting targets and performance indicators for improvement in all areas not just those with a financial impact.
- Monitor outcomes and compare performance within school and with similar schools where it is practical to do so.
- Consult appropriate stakeholders before major decisions are made.
- Promote fair competition through quotations and tenders to ensure that goods and services are secured in the most economic, efficient, and effective way.
- Strive to ensure we use all our resources both financial and non-financial effectively.

We will strive to ensure that the school is using its resources effectively to meet the needs of pupils and staff and deliver our school improvement plan. Our school has in place a strategy and a set of guidelines, both within our Financial Management Systems & Policies, which will ensure that financial value for money will be reviewed and demonstrated, and within our general procedures and standards to ensure that best value in non-financial areas can be evidenced.

Governors will monitor and review this statement annually, and in line with any local or national changes.