

Behaviour Consequences Ladder

The school promotes positive behaviours and rewards, however if children display negative and inappropriate behaviours there is a behaviour ladder that has clear steps and gives children the opportunity to take responsibility to change their behaviours. The consequences ladder is shared with all staff and children. The steps are colour coded in terms of seriousness; the first three steps are low level then become more serious.

	Step of behaviour/ types of behaviour	Dealt with by	Type of consequence
	Step 1 Talking and being distracted Distracting other children Talking inappropriately to others	Class Teacher	The children are given a look and reminded of what is expected of them. The children are reminded of what is expected of them and are asked "do you think you need to be
	Continuing with the above behaviours		moved to another place in the class?" If a child has spoken inappropriately, they will be asked to apologise.
Lose Dojo (Disruption)	Step 2 Continuing with the above behaviours	Class Teacher	The child will be told to move places.
	Inappropriate behaviour such as pushing, elbowing etc including play fighting and rough play		The child may have to take work home to catch up, or stay in to complete it during break. The child will be asked to apologise.
Message to parents	Step 3 Repeated incidents of the above behaviours. Swearing/ pushing/shoving/hitting	Class teacher/ Phase leader	The child will be sent to a different class. The child will meet with the phase leader to discuss behaviours and agree ways forward.
	Suggested bullying/ name calling/falling out		Parents will be called or messaged and phase leader will share the agreed ways forward.
Phone call to parents	Step 4 Continued previous behaviours despite intervention	Phase leader/Deputy head teacher	Time off the playground
	Disrespectful to staff or not following staff instruction appropriately		Meeting with parents to discuss ways forward.
	Fighting (serious full fight), Bullying		Internal fixed term exclusion if behaviour is impacting the well-being of other children.
	Theft Using racist, anti-disability or homophobic language without any understanding.		Possible use of report sheets to address issues.
Meeting arranged with parents	Step 5 Aggressive behaviour towards staff	Head teacher	Meeting with parents to agree ways forward
	Swearing at staff		Time off the playground
	Complete refusal to follow staff's instructions		Internal fixed term exclusion for a period of time
	Racism or discrimination		Fixed term exclusion for a period of time
	Any issues involving media such as Facebook, mobile phones and Youtube		
	Threats made against staff		
	Using racist, anti-disability or homophobic language with understanding.		