



St Martin's CEP School & Seabrook CEP School



Home - School Agreement

St Martin's Church of England Primary School aims to serve the community by providing an excellent education to pupils of all abilities and backgrounds. It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith.

The school promotes Christian values and spiritual development through:

- The experiences it offers to all its pupils
- Being sensitive to and tolerant of each other
- Valuing the school environment
- Taking pride and satisfaction in the achievements of all those involved with the school

PARENTS/CARERS WILL:

I/We aim to:

- ensure that my child attends school every day and will inform the school by telephone, Reach More Parents app or email should they be absent for any reason;
- ensure that my child is punctual and in school for the beginning of the morning session, arriving between 8:35am and 8:50am;
- provide my child with the appropriate school uniform and support the school's code concerning jewellery, hair and nail varnish;
- make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work, wellbeing or behaviour;
- in the event of a concern or complaint, speak to the relevant member of staff and/or the Headteacher;
- support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour;
- support my child in homework and other opportunities for home learning;
- attend parent/carer evenings and discussions about my child's progress;
- get to know about my child's life at the school;
- support the school's policies and guidelines on healthy food;
- monitor my child's online activity and digital communication to ensure they use technology safely, responsibly and positively;
- drive carefully and park thoughtfully when approaching the school, knowing that the safety of all pupils is paramount and that the school wishes to minimise disruption to its neighbours;
- check and respond to communication sent home via paper form and digital technology.

THE SCHOOL WILL:

Our aim is to:

- care for your child's safety, wellbeing and happiness, and follow safeguarding procedures in line with national guidance;
- recognise and reward good attendance, effort, achievements and good behaviour, and contact parents/carers if there are concerns;
- provide your child with a daily act of Collective Worship;
- encourage your child to achieve their full potential as a valued member of the school community;
- provide a balanced curriculum and meet the individual needs of your child;
- inform you of the topics that will be taught throughout the year;
- achieve high standards of work and behaviour through building good relationships and developing a sense of responsibility;
- keep parents regularly informed of school matters and about your child's progress through parent/carer evenings, reports, targets and meetings;
- support pupils' wellbeing and emotional development alongside their academic progress;
- be open and welcoming at all times and offer opportunities for you to become involved in the life of the school;
- promptly address concerns brought to the attention of staff.



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CHILDREN WILL:

I aim to:

- attend school regularly and on time;
- bring and look after the equipment and books I need every day;
- care for others and look after our school environment;
- wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance;
- always try to do my best;
- be polite and helpful to others at all times;
- forgive others as well as ourselves;
- keep my hands, feet and objects to myself;
- use school devices responsibly and appropriately in line with the school's Acceptable Use Policy.

TOGETHER WE WILL:

- encourage the children to keep the St Martin's Way;
- manage any additional needs and support each child appropriately;
- support your child's learning to help them achieve their best;
- promote all pupils' spirituality;
- value diversity and treat all members of the school community with respect and fairness;
- respect everyone at school and be polite at all times.

The governors of the Federation of St Martin's and Seabrook Church of England Primary Schools fully support this agreement and will strive to ensure that the school provides the best possible education. This agreement will be reviewed on a regular basis.

This agreement will remain in place during your child's attendance at this school.

Child's name: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Carer name: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Relationship to child: _____

Signed: (Executive Headteacher) _____

Date: _____