

## Written statement of behaviour principles

- Every pupil understands they have the right to feel safe, valued and respected
- All pupils, staff and visitors are free from any form of discrimination
- The behaviour policy is inclusive and able to be applied to the vast majority of pupils in the school
- Staff and volunteers set an excellent example by showing respect to pupils at all times
- Rewards, sanctions and reasonable force are used consistently by staff, in line with school policies
- The behaviour policy is understood by pupils and staff
- The exclusions policy explains that exclusions will only be used as a last resort, and outlines the processes involved in permanent and fixed-term exclusions
- Pupils are supported in taking responsibility for their actions
- Families are involved in behaviour incidents to foster good relationships between the school and pupils' home life
- The behaviour policy embodies the school values
- Whilst the intent of the behaviour policy is consistent across the school, the implementation may differ depending on the age and/or needs of the children
- The behaviour policy promotes positive behaviour and lead to children having a better understanding of their own emotions and behaviours
- The school provides opportunity for reflection and restorative approaches wherever possible

The governing board also emphasises that violence or threatening behaviour will not be tolerated in any circumstances.

This written statement of behaviour principles is reviewed and approved by the full governing board every 2 years.

Date approved by Full Governing Body: 10.03.20