

# Kingsclere CE Primary School



## Home–School Agreement

At Kingsclere CE Primary School we continue to build a strong partnership between staff, parents and carers as we know this is important in helping children to achieve and enjoy their learning. We are determined to create an inclusive culture of learning, where all children will be challenged in their thinking, to achieve to the best of their abilities and develop a lifelong love of learning. As a Voluntary Controlled Church of England School, our aims and ethos are firmly set within the guiding principles of Christian values.

We will empower our children to become respected citizens to enable them to make valuable contributions locally, globally and to contribute to our world's sustainable future.

This can be done most effectively when all staff, parents and children understand their responsibilities and work together towards the same goals, as detailed in our Home School Agreement.



## School

### The school will do its best to:

- Follow Safeguarding and Child Protection guidance
- Provide a safe, secure, and caring learning environment;
- Teach and encourage the children to do their best and achieve their full potential as a valued member of the school community;
- Develop in each child positive values and a caring attitude towards the school community and the environment;
- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum which challenges each child to reach their potential and fulfils the requirements of the National Curriculum;
- Identify individual children's needs and adapt teaching and learning to meet these;
- Set regular homework and to mark it if appropriate;
- Keep you informed about your child's progress and attitude to work as well as their termly curriculum;
- Be welcoming and offer opportunities for parents/carers to become involved in the daily life of the school;
- Contact parents/carers as soon as concerns are raised about your child's work, behaviour, attendance or punctuality;
- Encourage your child to show friendship and respect for others and to abide by the school behaviour policy, ensuring a safe, caring environment for all;
- Communicate between home and school through notices, newsletters, website and general meetings;
- Provide a range of extra-curricular activities for interested children.



## Parents/Carers

### To help my child at school, I will do my best to:

- See that my child attends school regularly, properly equipped, well-rested and ready to learn;
- Ensure that my child is dropped off and collected at the correct time;
- Inform the school on the first day of absence;
- Raise any concerns or problems that might affect my child's ability to learn or behave appropriately; by talking with the classteacher.
- Support the school to make sure my child maintains good behaviour;
- Support my child with homework and other home learning opportunities;
- Listen to my child read and spend time reading to them;
- Attend parent meetings with the teacher to discuss my child's achievements and progress;
- Support all staff in their efforts to create a caring community which values children and their rights;
- Support the school in getting any help my child may need;
- Read all letters/messages/emails that are sent home;
- Inform the school immediately of any changes to parents/carer and emergency contacts details;
- Ensure my child wears school uniform and sensible footwear – this includes appropriate PE kit;
- Encourage my child to participate in a range of activities



## Pupils

### I will do my best to:

- Uphold our school learning and Christian values;
- Work hard and listen carefully to instructions;
- Come to school regularly and on time;
- Follow the school and class rules;
- Behave well at all times to maintain the safety of myself and others;
- Be polite, friendly, respectful, responsible and helpful to other children and all adults;
- Tell somebody if there is something that is worrying me or I am not happy about;
- Do my homework regularly and return it to school on time;
- Bring all the equipment I need every day including my PE kit, book bag and reading books;
- Wear my school uniform and follow the school dress code;
- Take good care of the school environment and living things.

*Signed on behalf of Kingsclere CE Primary School*

*H. Melrose*

*Parent/Carer Signature*

*Pupil Signature*