



## Vernon Primary School

### Home – School Agreement

*'Nobody else is quite like me'*

#### **School will:**

- Ensure that all children are safe;
- Ensure that all children are fully supervised during school hours;
- Encourage and reward good attendance and punctuality;
- Establish clear rules and boundaries for behaviour in school;
- Provide an enriching curriculum in line with national expectations;
- Provide a stimulating learning environment;
- Treat all members of the school community with respect;
- Provide consistent positive praise for good behaviour and carry out sanctions (where necessary) in line with the school's behaviour policy;
- Encourage high standards of behaviour and self discipline as set out in the school's behaviour policy;
- Encourage and reward good behaviour and effort;
- Listen and respond quickly to any concerns;
- Communicate regularly with pupils about their learning;
- Celebrate each child's academic and personal achievements;
- Hold termly Parents' evenings and report on pupils' progress;
- Provide regular and relevant home work opportunities;
- Inform pupils and Parents/Carers of any concerns or worries;
- Inform pupils and Parents/Carers of extra curricular activities and other events involving the school;
- Ensure every child meets their full potential as a valued member of the school community;
- Ensure that relevant policies are accessible to Parents/Carers via the school website;
- Ensure that children in school access age appropriate ICT images/material in line with computer safety regulations;
- Continue to promote a 'healthy school'.

#### **Parents/carers will:**

- Ensure that my child attends school regularly and punctually, with the right equipment;
- Ensure that my child is supervised until school commences at 8.50 am;
- Ensure that my child is collected from school on time at the end of the school day (3.10 pm) or at the end of an extra-curricular club;
- Ensure that school is notified if an adult other than myself is collecting my child (providing details);
- Ensure that my child is wearing the correct school uniform;
- Let the school know if my child is unable to attend;
- Should a leave of absence be required for special circumstances, a request should be made in writing to the Headteacher and Governing body;
- Support the school by encouraging my child to develop a positive attitude towards school life;
- Read all information sent home and respond accordingly;
- Take an interest in the work of my child, encouraging him/her to always do their best;
- Attend Parents' evenings and other meetings concerning my child;
- Support the completion of homework activities.
- Encourage my child to have high standards of behaviour at all times, supporting the school's behaviour policy;
- Notify school if there are any problems likely to affect my child's learning;
- Encourage the safe use of computers at home;
- Support the 'Healthy Eating' philosophy of the school;
- Communicate with all members of the school community with respect;
- Ensure that my child only accesses ICT images/material suitable to their age;
- Ensure that my child does not bring items/objects into school that could prove harmful to individuals.

**Pupils will:**

- Wear my school uniform and look smart;
- Attend school every day on time;
- Bring the right equipment to school;
- Listen to all adults at school, showing respect;
- Follow the school rules;
- Behave well following the school's behaviour policy. Move gently and quietly around the school, behaving in a safe way;
- Work hard in the classroom and with homework activities (hand homework in on time);
- Take pride in my achievements and the rewards I receive;
- Let my teacher know if I have any worries or concerns;
- Be part of an active 'Healthy School';
- Treat everyone with respect in line with school expectations of behaviour;
- Treat the school environment with respect;
- Take home letters and give them to my Parents/Carers;
- Find out about extra-curricular activities;
- Make sure that I do not bring items/objects into school that could prove harmful to others.
- Ensure that I use ICT programmes in school sensibly;

Parent/Carer's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Pupil's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed on behalf of the school \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_