



## **Title: Home School Agreement**

**Adopted:** May 2019

**For Review:** May 2021

### **The School**

As a school we will support your child's learning in partnership with the family by:

- ❖ Providing a happy, safe, supportive and positive environment.
- ❖ Encouraging a love of learning by praising success and effort.
- ❖ Ensuring your child has the opportunity to achieve his/her full potential as a valued member of the school community.
- ❖ Offering a broad and balanced curriculum, which addresses the individual needs of your child.
- ❖ Building strong home/school links through written reports and regular meetings.
- ❖ Encouraging your child to take care of their surroundings and others around them.
- ❖ Not tolerating discrimination in any form including social class, ethnic origin, gender, age, nationality, language, religion, disability, sexuality or a person's size.

### **The Family**

As a family you will support your child's learning in partnership with the school by:

- ❖ Encouraging a love of learning by praising success and valuing achievement.
- ❖ Taking a positive interest in your child's school life.
- ❖ Making the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect your child's school life.
- ❖ Supporting school policies and guidelines for behaviour.
- ❖ Ensuring that your child attends school regularly, on time and is properly equipped. Informing the school of your child's absence by 9.30am.
- ❖ Ensuring that your child is wearing the correct uniform including P.E. kit and appropriate P.E. footwear, as detailed in the uniform policy.
- ❖ Ensuring that your child is collected from school promptly and that the school is notified in advance if your child is to be collected by an elected responsible adult.
- ❖ Supporting your child in his/her learning by overseeing homework and other opportunities for home learning.
- ❖ Attending parent consultation evenings.
- ❖ Walking to school whenever possible and not parking on The Square, in order to make our school a safer place for all.
- ❖ Agreeing to abide by our Parent/Carer and Visitor Code of Conduct (enclosed with this agreement)
- ❖ Not writing grievances on Facebook/social media sites, and agreeing to come into school to discuss any issues or concerns.



## The Child

*As learners at Upton Meadows Primary School, we will follow our school rules, which are:*

- i) We show respect.
- ii) We try our best.
- iii) We are kind.

*We also live by our school values, which are:*

**Respect:** We behave politely, respectfully and courteously to everyone in our school and the wider community so that everyone feels welcome, comfortable, valued and important. We show high regard for the feelings, wishes and rights of others, and respect and value our school environment.

**Responsibility:** We have respect for ourselves and take responsibility for one another. We think about our actions and take responsibility for the mistakes we may make. We look after school property and our own belongings and can be trusted to carefully undertake tasks that we are given.

**Unity:** We get on with one another and understand that we all have special talents and needs so that we all feel included. We support each other and build friendships. We recognise injustice in the world and think about our role in fighting injustice. We stand up to bullying.

**Kindness:** We are friendly, generous and considerate to everyone in our school community and show compassion and kindness at all times. We care about other people and look after each other.

**Perseverance:** We challenge ourselves to do our best. We enjoy learning by ourselves as well as with others and we are not afraid to get things wrong. We don't give up; we keep on trying!

**Excellence:** We strive to be the best that we possibly can be in everything we do; we ask interesting questions and think about new ways to solve problems and always produce work to the very best of our abilities.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Child

(Please read this agreement with your child and sign and return the single sheet of paper to school)