HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT POLICY - DRAFT

Standard of Education

The school aims to achieve the highest possible educational standards for all of its pupils and monitors performance of pupils accordingly. It reaches high standards in terms of its pupils' performance in SATS and was described in its most recent Ofsted Report as, " good school, which has many strong features. It successfully promotes high educational standards and has a particularly positive and caring ethos. It is highly regarded by governors, parents, pupils and the local community.' For many years the school has both set and met academic targets of achievement for its pupils.

Ethos of the School

The school has a warm and friendly atmosphere, where parents are welcomed. Relationships are very good and the school functions as a caring and wellordered community where the moral development of pupils has been described by Ofsted as 'very good'. We have high expectations of pupils' spiritual, moral, cultural and social development and comments received from outsiders, lead us to believe that we consistently meet these expectations.

PARENTS' RESPONSIBILITIES

We will

- **□** Ensure that our child attends school regularly and on time.
- □ Inform the school of the reasons for any absence.
- □ Support the school in its good behaviour and discipline policy.
- □ Ensure that our child is collected on time from school.
- Try to attend all Parent Interview Meetings during the year.
- □ Notify the school of any change in circumstances (e.g. address).
- □ Support the school rules and its policies.
- □ Support our child in homework, its completion and return to school

Signature of Parents

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Children in the care of the local authority should have the agreement signed by the appropriate person within that authority,

SCHOOL'S RESPONSIBILITIES

We will:

- □ Work towards every child achieving her or his full potential.
- □ Promote high standards of work and behaviour.
- □ Ensure each child's entitlement to a broad and balanced curriculum
- □ Keep parents informed through regular newsletters.
- □ Hold two formal Parent Interview sessions per year.
- □ Arrange a mutually convenient time for other interviews.
- □ Provide a written report at the end of the academic year in July.
- □ Monitor the attendance and performance of pupils,
- □ Contact parents when we consider it appropriate.
- □ Set, mark and monitor all class and homework.
- □ Attempt to create a safe and caring environment for your child.

Signature of member of staff

PUPIL'S RESPONSIBILITIES

1 will:

- □ Attend school regularly and on time.
- □ Bring all the equipment 1 need everyday.
- □ Take responsibility for my own possessions.
- □ Wear the school uniform.
- Complete homework and return it to school on time.
- □ Be well-behaved in school and obey the school rules.
- □ Treat others with respect and be polite and helpful.
- □ Look after the school's environment and equipment.
- □ Always try my best and ask if 1 need help in any way.
- □ Be careful and well behaved on my journey to and from school

Signature of Child

Parents are invited to sign the above document along with their children - failure to sign will not affect their child's position in school, but parents should understand that failure to sign does not provide exemption from normal school rules, that apply to everyone else in school.

All parents will receive a copy of the final signed agreement