



HOME & SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Mission Statement: Jesus said, *“Love one another as I have loved you.”*

The vision of our school is to create *a warm, loving, safe, learning environment, to live the Gospel and to enable each individual to realize their full potential.*

The staff of St Vincent de Paul are dedicated to ensuring that children’s time at school is productive and successful. We seek to impart in each child the school’s core values of **CARE, RESPECT, EFFORT** and **HONESTY** together with strong Christian values to develop a caring and cooperative environment where children have high esteem and high self-discipline.

In our school we seek to ensure children understand the consequences of their actions and show respect to each other as well as adults in a positive learning environment where everyone feels happy, safe and secure as a valued member of both the school’s and God’s family.

We believe strongly that the best outcomes for children are possible when there is partnership between home and school.

At St Vincent de Paul Catholic Primary School we will:

- Care for your child’s health, safety and well-being whilst in our care
- Provide opportunities for your child to achieve his/her full potential
- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum following the guidance of the National Curriculum and the Diocese of Westminster for the teaching of Religious Education
- Provide a daily act of worship
- Provide homework in line with the school’s homework policy
- Keep you informed about general school matters and information about your child’s progress
- Be open and welcoming at all times

As a Parent/Carer/Guardian of a child at St Vincent de Paul Catholic Primary School I will:

- Support the Catholic ethos of the school and encourage my child to do the same
- Ensure my child attends school every day and is on time
- Ensure my child is collected on time every day
- Avoid taking unauthorised holidays during term time

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- Contact the school promptly if my child is unwell
- Ensure my child wears the correct and full school uniform including P.E. kit
- Ensure my child is appropriately equipped for each school day
- Ensure my child uses the internet appropriately in line with e-safety recommendations
- Ensure my child does not bring or use a mobile phone when in school
- Support my child with homework and extra-curricular opportunities
- Not discuss school-related issues, members of school staff, pupils or parents on social networking sites
- Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour
- Support the policies of the school
- Conduct myself politely and appropriately when on school premises, in a way that sets a positive example to children
- Allow my child to participate in school visits
- Attend parent meetings and discussions about my child's progress
- Stay informed by reading communication and information provided by the school
- Support school events and those organised by the Parents, Teachers and Friends Association (PTFA)
- Make the annual contribution to the School Fund

Signature on behalf of the school:



Mr N Scott Cree - Head Teacher

Child's Name:

Class:

Parent/Carer/Guardian's name:

Parent/Carer/Guardian's signature:

Date:

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