

Home – School Agreement

At White Laith we are committed to providing a caring, friendly and safe environment for all of our pupils so they can learn in a relaxed and secure atmosphere. We believe every pupil should be able to participate in all school activities in an enjoyable and safe environment and be protected from harm. This is the responsibility of every adult employed by or invited to deliver services at White Laith. We recognise our responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of all our pupils by protecting them from physical, sexual or emotional abuse, neglect and bullying.

At White Laith Primary School we aim to treat everyone equally. We understand equality to mean treating everyone with equal dignity and worth valuing their particular characteristics such as their age, disability, gender, ethnicity, religion or belief, sexual orientation and socio-economic circumstances.

We also exercise this responsibility by educating our children so that they grow in their understanding of their rights and responsibilities to themselves and others, in safety consciousness, and, in their maturity and abilities to keep themselves and others safe.

We perceive this to be part of our role in promoting British values

We further understand that people have different needs, situations and goals and therefore achieving equality requires the removal of discriminatory barriers that limit what people, especially children and young people can do and can be.

The school will:-

- Listen to children and encourage the development of their voice through our teaching and learning practices, and, through our class and school council.
- Set very high expectations of behaviour and learning
- Encourage children to do their best at all times and to show friendship and support to others
- Provide a rich and diverse educational experience to support the formal curriculum
- Introduce the children to a variety of cultural and sporting opportunities
- Safeguard our children, and teach them how to keep themselves safe at school, at home and in the wider community – this includes the safe use of online and social media
- Teach about and encourage children to adopt healthy lifestyles, and, as part of this, we will provide wholesome and healthy school dinners.
- Provide formal and informal opportunities for parents to discuss their child's learning and progress
- Send regular newsletters and information via letters home, and through the school website
- Send an annual report to parents
- Provide a welcoming environment for parents and visitors

Parents/Carers will:-

- Make sure my child attends daily and inform the school of any reason for absence
- Make sure my child arrives at school on time
- Collect my child promptly and always inform the school in case of emergency arising
- Arrange holidays, where possible, in line with school holiday times
- Attend parent's evenings to discuss my child's progress



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- Support the school's behaviour policy and rules
- Support my child with reading and other homework and ensure it is done every day/week
- Support the school in the teaching of safe and secure internet/social media use at home
- Ensure my child has correct uniform and PE kit
- Help my child to develop a positive attitude towards school and learning
- Let the school know of any concerns or worries I may have
- Show respect for all adults and other children in our school; in the building, on school grounds and when travelling to and from school
- Ensure prompt payment of any fees/monies as appropriate

The children will:-

- Follow the Golden Rules:
 - Be gentle, don't hurt anybody
 - Be kind and helpful, don't hurt people's feelings
 - Work hard, don't waste time
 - Look after things, don't waste or damage things
 - Listen to people, don't interrupt
 - Be honest, don't cover up the truth
- Follow our Golden Equality Rules
 - Recognise differences and respect everyone
 - Treat everyone equally
 - Have positive attitudes and relationships
 - Listen to everyone and their opinions
 - Help people with their problems
 - Help each other to reduce our fears
 - Be kind and polite to everybody
 - Compromise
 - Be gentle to everyone
- Complete homework
- Practice reading daily

NAME OF CHILD

Signed Parent

Child

School

Date