



## **HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT**

Parents and carers are required to sign the Home School Agreement annually. The aim of the Home school Agreement is to promote and develop an effective working relationship between pupils, parents and the school community, based on mutual understanding, trust and respect, in order to enhance and maximise the physical, medical and educational development of all pupils. This is achieved by:

### **FAMILIES AGREE TO:**

- Inform the school if the child will be absent. Where families are experiencing difficulties with transport they should report the matter to SEN transport and also inform the school.
- Please provide evidence of any medical appointments.
- Use the home-school diary/switch regularly to inform the school of what the child has been doing at home, any changes to routine, or any changes in health or well-being.
- Attend meetings arranged by the school to discuss progress or well-being and to plan for the year ahead
- Inform the school of any planned or recommended changes to routines or circumstances which might impact on the child
- Share with the school, the involvement of other professionals so that the school can work together to promote the best interests of the child
- Ensure the school has all the necessary equipment to meet needs including incontinence pads, changes of clothing and outdoor clothes for visits
- Ensure that any equipment or materials loaned to support learning or physical development at home are returned to the school when requested.
- Work with the school to promote positive behaviour where appropriate.
- Remain contactable at all times.
- Ensure that, should your child need to return home during the school day e.g. taken poorly, someone is available to collect them from school. It is the responsibility of the parent/ guardian to provide transport home or to obtain medical attention if required in this situation.

### **FREDERICK HOLMES AGREES TO:**

- Value and care for each child as a unique individual.
- Provide a personalised curriculum designed to meet the educational, physical and medical needs of each child
- Inform parents about school activities and what the children will be taught each term through the website, social media and personalised learning plans, school reports and progress meetings. Encourage parents to be involved in the learning journey.
- Inform parents about progress through individual learning plans, school reports and progress meetings and encourage parents to be involved in the learning journey.

- Provide opportunities for informal communication between home and the class team such as the home school dairy or communication switch.
- Provide opportunities for families to be involved in the school through open events, the Friends Association and Parents Forum.

**TOGETHER WE WILL:**

- Enable every child to develop to his or her full potential.
- Encourage children to believe in themselves, raise their self-esteem and take pride.
- Share any concerns or problems affecting the child.
- Help our children develop a sense of responsibility and respect for other people

Discuss and deal with any concerns or complaints

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I agree to the terms of the Home School Agreement  (Please tick this box)

Name of Child: .....

Name of Parent: .....

Parent Signature: .....