



Lenham Primary School

Take Pride; Be Proud


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Written statement of Behaviour Principles Policy

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Written statement of behaviour principles taken from our Behaviour Policy.

PRINCIPLES OF BEHAVIOUR

- Every child has the right to learn, but no child has the right to disrupt the learning of others.
- Everyone has a right to be listened to, to be valued, to feel and be safe.
- Everyone must be protected from disruption or abuse.
- The main approach is a positive one - rewarding good behaviour and mutual respect.
- A whole school approach to discipline, with a clearly defined code of conduct.
- It is expected that all adults (staff and volunteers) will set excellent examples to the children in all their work.
- We will seek to give every child a sense of personal responsibility for his/her own actions.
- Effective communication systems.
- Where there are significant concerns over a pupil's behaviour we will share the strategies we use with parents; working on an active partnership to promote good behaviour.
- Early support for developing problems.
- Any incident raising concern will be recorded.
- Bad language is considered to be unacceptable behavior.
- We will seek advice and support from appropriate outside agencies when necessary.
- Staff regularly discuss current initiatives as part of Staff Development Meetings.

The following behaviours are considered to be unacceptable:

- Bullying - individual or group; verbal or physical abuse; taunting; mimicking (including Cyberbullying)
- Aggression towards pupils and adults
- Swearing
- Rudeness
- Stealing
- Inappropriate/unwelcome touching

We aim to encourage the children to exercise self-discipline and develop the ability to:

- Control their feelings.
- Take turns and share.
- Learn to interrupt only if, and when, appropriate.
- Listen and respond immediately to the teacher's voice.
- Work independently and co-operatively.
- Work without disturbing others.
- Work consistently, always giving their best.
- Communicate with their peers in order to rectify their own disputes/issues
- Seek adult support, when needed, to resolve disputes/issues

SCHOOL RULES

At Lenham Primary School, we DO the following...

We respect each other and our environment.

We take PRIDE in our work and behaviour.

The governing board also emphasises that violence or threatening behaviour will not be tolerated in any circumstances.