



Ark Bentworth Primary Academy
HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT



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As a Pupil at Ark Bentworth Primary Academy I Will...

Uphold Our Academy Values

Respect Resilience Generosity Honesty Independence Happiness

In lessons

I will do **whatever it takes** to make sure that I:

- arrive at school by 8:55 a.m. and attend every day
- bring the equipment I need and being prepared my for learning
- wear the correct uniform smartly throughout the day
- enter the classroom calmly, greeting the teacher
- avoid all distractions: putting away anything not required for the lesson
- be a positive and active learner by engaging with the activities set by the teacher
- show respect for my own learning and that of others and being silent when requested
- make sure that I catch up with my learning if I have been absent from school or have fallen behind for other reasons
- talk with my parents and teachers about any worries I have in school

In the academy and the local community

I will do **whatever it takes** to help create a safe academy and local community which respects the rights of others by:

- listening to members of staff and following instructions politely and calmly
- walking in single file, not running or shouting, and maintaining quiet and orderly corridors
- going straight to my lessons and holding doors open for others when the corridors are busy
- never damaging school property, defacing the building, dropping litter or spitting
- never insulting, undermining or swearing at anyone
- speak to all members of our community in a positive and polite manner
- remembering I am always an ambassador for the academy. Leaving school and making my way home in an orderly, responsible way and respecting others around me on school visits
- take letters home, notes and reports from school and give them to my parents
- read every day and complete my home learning school project

I understand that there will be consequences if I do not observe the Code of Conduct.

Signed _____ Year _____ Date _____



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As a Parent/Carer at Ark Bentworth Primary Academy I Will...

Support My Child in Upholding the Academy Values

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I will do whatever it takes to make sure that I:

Teaching and Learning

- Take an interest in what my child is learning
- Support the school's philosophy of high expectations for all

Communication

- Attend parents evenings
- Raise concerns promptly and directly with the school
- Use the appropriate channels to communicate with the school, other parents and children
- Speak to all members of our community in a positive and polite way in order to model appropriate behaviour to my child/ren

Attendance

- Make every effort to make sure that my child will attend school every day and on time
- Inform the school as soon as possible about any absences and the reason for it
- Avoid taking children on holiday during term time

Behaviour and attitude

- Give praise at home for good behaviour and attitude at school
- Work with the school to find solutions in cases of unacceptable behaviour
- Read and understand the school's behaviour policy
- Tell the school about anything that may affect your child's work or behaviour

At home

- Encourage my child to read everyday
- Support my child with their home prep school project

Preparation

- Make sure my child wears the correct uniform everyday
- Make sure my child comes to school with the necessary equipment and books

Signed _____ Parent of _____

Class _____ Date _____



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As a School We Will...

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The school will do whatever it takes to make sure that we:

Teaching and Learning

- Place an emphasis on English and mathematics to ensure mastery
- Provide an enriched curriculum which challenges and inspires
- Use regular assessment to track pupil progress
- Ensure early prevention for those children experiencing difficulties

Communication

- Are opening and welcoming at all times and offer opportunities for parents to become involved in school life
- Ensure parents have information about their child's progress and behaviour
- Ensure parents are informed about what their child is learning
- Listen to parents concerns and act upon these
- Speak to parents and all members of the Ark Bentworth community in a positive and polite way

Attendance

- Contact parents on the first day of unknown absence
- Contact parents of children who regularly arrive late for school
- Offer support for parents whose children have low attendance

Behaviour and attitude

- Have a code of behaviour which creates a safe caring environment for everyone
- Make sure that all staff, pupils and parents know what behaviour is expected
- Consistently implement the code of behaviour, consequences and rewards

Preparation

- Ensure that our teachers plan all lessons they teach
- Have the materials and resources available for rich learning to take place

Signed: ***All of the Staff of Ark Bentworth Primary Academy***

Date: ***September 2017***