



# *St. George's Catholic Primary School & Nursery*

## **Home School Agreement**

St George's is determined to create an inclusive learning environment where all children can be the best they can be, achieving to the very best of their abilities. Our aim is to empower children to be respectful and supportive citizens, not just of our local community, but of the global community to which they belong.

We know that the most effective way of achieving this aim is by working together in partnership with parents to support our children.

### **Together, teaches, parents and children will:**

- Encourage the children to respect the school mission statement and our school aims.
- Work together to aid children's learning and social development.
- Set good examples to children at all times, showing them how to get along with all members of the school and the wider community.
- Ensure no member of staff, parent or child is the victim of abusive behaviour or open to threats from others on the school premises.
- Support the Governors in maintaining the buildings of the school by contributing to the school levy.

### **Our children will:**

- Attend school **regularly** and **on time**.
- Bring all the equipment they need every day.
- Wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance.
- Do all their class work and homework as well as they can.
- Take pride in their school by helping to keep it tidy and safe.
- Be polite and helpful to all others in our school community.
- Follow the class and school rules.
- Be a good example to others.

## Parents and Guardians will support school by:

- Supporting the Catholic ethos of our school and their child's sacramental preparations, encouraging them to grow in their religious life.
- Ensuring their child attends school regularly and on time.
- Contacting school by 9.15am if their child is ill.
- Providing proof of absence if your child has visited a doctor, dentist or attended a hospital appointment.
- Making appointments outside of school time where possible.
- Supporting homework and ensuring **children read daily at home**.
- Keeping school informed if there are changes or difficult circumstances at home.
- Informing school of any concerns that might affect our child's work or behaviour.
- Keeping home contact details up to date.
- Attending parents' evenings and getting to know about your child's school life.
- Helping school to improve attendance and ensuring holidays are taken within set school holidays (Local Authority fines will apply for term time holidays).
- Ensuring your child is in school by 9.00am, ready and prepared for school, every day.

## The school will endeavour to:

- Ensure your child's safety, happiness and well-being.
- Ensure your child can be the best they can be as a valued member of the school community.
- Provide a balanced curriculum and meet the individual needs of your child.
- Achieve high standards of work and behaviour through building good relationships and developing a sense of responsibility.
- Have clear expectations of behaviour, rewards and sanctions and make policies available to parents.
- Provide a loving, caring and secure environment for children where they can learn and thrive.
- Build positive relationships with all parents, encouraging support through a variety of events and learning opportunities.
- Be available to discuss your child's progress whenever is necessary.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_