

Dereham Church of England Junior Academy

Home School Agreement

We believe all children have the right to thrive, in all aspects of their life, within a safe and caring Christian Environment. We aim to provide the children in the school with the necessary skills, tools and experiences to ensure they achieve outstanding performance.

By the time children go to high school we want them to:

- Be confident, happy and able to cope with the ups and downs of life and be able to relate positively to others.
- Be learning, achieving and contributing to their world, recognising their own achievements and aspiring to success.
- Have the best possible health and development and be able to start making choices about a healthy lifestyle.
- Be and feel safe and be increasingly able to make decisions about risk.

This agreement

The School agrees:

- To provide a safe, happy and nurturing learning environment.
- To promote positive behaviours and relationships amongst pupils.
- To encourage and reward all aspects of pupil achievement.
- To provide a stimulating and exciting curriculum that aims to excite and engage all.
- To enable pupils to engage with technology within an e-safe environment.
- To provide a range of extra-curricular activities and sporting opportunities.
- To keep parents and carers informed on all relevant school matters, and all aspects of their child's behaviour, attendance and progress.
- To be a welcoming and open environment for parents, carers and visitors, and to take an active role in the local and wider community.

The Home agrees to support the school by:

- Working collaboratively to promote the school in a positive light.
- Ensuring that children attend regularly, on time, and properly equipped.
- Attending open evenings to discuss pupils work and progress.
- Informing us of any pupil absence by 9 am.
- Informing us of any issue which may affect the child's work or behaviour.
- Promoting our policy on behaviour.
- Avoiding booking holidays during term-time
- Assisting children with homework and with reading.

The Pupil agrees to:

- Attend school regularly and on time, and bring all the equipment they need for the day.
- Work hard, complete class work and homework, and take pride in what they do.
- Wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance.
- Show respect; be polite, caring and considerate of everyone in the school community.
- Be respectful of their personal property and the belongings of others including the school's equipment and resources.
- Positively represent the school when on trips or attending external events or sporting fixtures.

Signed......Pupil Signed......Home Signed......School