

Code of Conduct:

Parents / Carers and Other Visitors to School



At Grange Farm Primary School we are very fortunate to have supportive parents/carers who recognise that educating children is a process which involves partnership between the home and school. For these reasons we welcome and encourage parents/carers to participate fully in the life of our school.

The purpose of this policy is to provide a reminder to all parents/carers and visitors to our school about expected conduct so that we can work together to ensure a safe and positive school environment for our children.

We expect parents and carers to show respect and concern for others by:

- Supporting the respectful ethos of our school by setting a good example in their own speech and behaviour towards members of the school community;
- Working together with teachers for the benefit of children. This includes approaching the school to resolve any issues of concern and to discuss and clarify specific events in order to bring about a positive solution;
- Respecting the school environment, including keeping the school tidy, preventing litter and returning equipment that has been borrowed;
- Delivering and collecting children in an orderly manner.

In order to support a peaceful and safe school environment, the school cannot tolerate:

- Disruptive behaviour which interferes with the operation of a classroom, the office area, the outside learning environment or any other part of the school grounds;
- Using loud and/or offensive language or displaying temper;
- Threatening harm or the use of physical aggression towards another adult or child. This includes approaching someone else's child in order to chastise them or discuss an issue. It also includes physical punishment against your own child on school premises;
- Abusive or threatening emails, phone or social network messages;
- Smoking and consumption of alcohol or other drugs or accessing the school site whilst intoxicated;
- Dogs (excluding assistance dogs) or other pets on school premises unless this is part of a planned, risk assessed school event.

The above behaviours on school premises will be reported to the appropriate authorities and Governors may prohibit an offending adult or young person from entering the school grounds to safeguard our school community.

We trust that parents and carers will assist our school with the implementation of this policy and thank you for your continuing support.

