



## Home - School Agreement

High Ash C.E. School firmly believes that children achieve more when school, parents and pupils work together with a common understanding of aims and expectations. This Home-School Agreement is put in place with the aim of achieving greater understanding of the importance of communication between home and school and greater awareness of everyone's expectations and concerns.

**School, Parents and Pupils all agree to adhere to our PROUD principles:**

We are 'PROUD' to be High Ash Stars and as a Church School, our 'PROUD' principles underpin all we do in order to 'Grow Together, Shine Forever' and provide the basis of the behaviours that we wish to be our light shining out to others.

We aim to be:

- P - Polite
- R - Respectful
- O - Ownership of our Choices
- U - Understand the feelings of others
- D - Determined to improve

**High Ash C.E. School:**

We will:

- Be open and welcoming at all times and offer opportunities for you to become involved in the daily life of the school
- Care for your child's safety and happiness with close regard to his/her health and general well-being
- Treat any personal information given with the utmost confidence
- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum and aim to meet the individual needs of your child
- Have high expectations of what your child can achieve and set realistic targets so that he/she can fulfil his/her full potential
- Aim to achieve the highest standards in teaching and learning throughout the school by employing best practice
- Encourage and recognise your child's efforts and achievements
- Aim to achieve high standards of behaviour through promoting good relationships and developing sportsmanship and a sense of responsibility
- Set appropriate homework in line with the school policy
- Keep you informed about your child's progress and achievements through regular reports and meetings
- Keep you informed about activities to be undertaken by your child
- Work to create a school which meets the needs of the community which it serves and respects the environment within which it is located
- Inform you whenever changes are made which may affect this agreement

## The Family

I/We will:

- Take a keen and active interest in my/our child's education and view it as a partnership between the family and school
- Ensure that my/our child arrives in time for the start of school each day and with the equipment required for the day's activities
- Ensure that my/our child is suitably dressed in school uniform
- Contact the school if my/our child is unwell, to report the absence and write a letter on his/her return. I/we will not keep my/our child out of school for any other reason unless I/we have received the Head Teacher's permission
- Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that may affect my/our child's work or behaviour
- Encourage good standards of behaviour and support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour and discipline
- Support and encourage my/our child in homework and other opportunities for home learning
- Attend parents' evenings and discussions about my/our child's progress
- As far as possible, attend school events and become involved in the life of the school and support the School Association
- Respect the environment of the school and the local community by observing the parking exclusion zone

## Pupil:

I will do my best to:

- Attend school and arrive on time
- Bring all the equipment I need every day
- Wear my school uniform and be tidy in appearance
- Do my homework as well as I can
- Behave well on my way to and from school as well as at school and on school journeys
- Deliver letters to and from school

I know that I can talk to a friend or an adult at the school if I am worried or upset.