


CHERRY ORCHARD HOME-SCHOOL CHARTER

SCHOOL PROMISE

We will:

- Secure high standards of achievement across a broad, balanced, relevant and interesting 21st century curriculum.
- Through our Core Values, foster in every child a caring, respectful, thoughtful nature, leading him/her to become a responsible member of the school and the wider community.
- Meet the individual needs of every child and ensure that he/she has equal opportunities in all aspects of school life.
- Provide a friendly welcome to every child in a secure, stimulating environment where all can enjoy their rights.
- Plan and deliver the statutory curriculum in a way that helps children to make links in their learning and acquire the knowledge and skills necessary for the next stage in their education.
- Provide a programme of homework in line with the school's policy.
- Provide children with extra-curricular experiences to support their learning and character development.
- Teach every child how to rise to a challenge and strive for excellence in all that they do.
- Foster lifelong learning attitudes and develop learning behaviours to enable every child to become an independent and resilient learner.
- Encourage parents to be involved in the life and work of the school by providing information sessions, in-house workshops, and opportunities for communication.
- Provide regular opportunities for consultation, and listen and respond to parents' views.
- Keep parents and carers informed about school activities and events.
- Provide parents and carers with an annual written report on their child's progress across the curriculum and ensure that children's work is available at agreed times.
- Contact parents, in the early stages, if there are problems regarding work, attendance/punctuality and/or behaviour.
- Provide regular advice regarding online safety via the school website and newsletters.
- Respect confidentiality.
- Celebrate success.
- Engage with the wider community and foster community cohesion.
- **Keep children safe at all times.**

Head Teacher's signature: 

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PUPIL PROMISE

I will:

- Arrive on time for each school day.
- Learn and follow the school's Core Values: Equality, Respect, Courage, Honesty, Understanding, Friendship.
- Contribute to and follow the class and playground charters at all times to ensure that everyone at Cherry Orchard is able to enjoy their rights.
- Follow the school uniform regulations as laid out in the school planner, and take pride in my appearance.
- Be polite and considerate and help other children and adults in school.
- Always talk to an adult I trust if I am concerned about anything, in a bid to stay safe.
- Be a good friend and tell an adult if anyone is being unkind.
- Develop my learning behaviours and do my best in all my work at school and at home.
- Be prepared for a challenge and learn from my mistakes.
- Make sure I bring everything I need for the school day so that I am ready to learn, including my school planner, reading book and PE kit.
- Leave toys and personal possessions at home unless my teacher says I can bring them in.
- Be responsible for my own possessions in school.
- Take good care of school equipment, furniture, building and grounds.
- Keep the school free from litter.
- Follow the online safety rules agreed in class.
- Try to eat healthily e.g. bring in water, fruit/vegetables for break times, and follow the school's healthy lunch box policy.
- Try to join in with sporting activities.
- Be a good ambassador for Cherry Orchard Primary School.

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PARENT/CARER PROMISE

Parents/carers will:

- Ensure your child attends school and avoid taking holidays in term time.
- Ensure your child arrives at school by 9:00am every day.
- Ensure your child is collected on time every day at 3:20pm in EYFS and KS1, and 3:25pm in KS2.
- Contact the school at the earliest opportunity (preferably by 9:30am) to inform of any absences.
- Ensure that the school is kept informed of any changes of address, contact details, changes to end of day collection routines and medical appointments.
- Ensure that medication that has to be housed permanently in school e.g. EpiPen, is kept up-to date.
- Ensure your child's school lunches are booked one week in advance on ParentPay.
- Complete information for school trips and events on time on ParentPay.
- Ensure that all items of school uniform are named and that any lost items will be reclaimed from lost property by the end of each term.
- Contact the school immediately if you have any concerns about the safety and welfare of any Cherry Orchard child.
- Never park on the crossing or zig-zag lines outside the school gates.
- Keep the school informed of any of your child's medical conditions and outbreaks of head lice.
- Keep the school informed of any home time arrangements and ensure anyone collecting your child has the correct password.
- Keep the school informed of any change in contact details.
- Encourage your child to be healthy e.g. support our walk to school campaign and support healthy eating by only sending fruit or vegetables for mid-morning snack and following our Healthy Lunchbox Policy.
- Encourage and support your child with his/her learning and take advantage of opportunities e.g. information sessions and workshops provided at school for supporting learning at home.
- Encourage your child to complete homework tasks as outlined on Google Classroom on time.
- Attend parents consultation sessions and discussions about your child's progress and support your child in meeting targets in order to accelerate their learning.
- Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect your child's work, behaviour or wellbeing, including issues around online safety.
- Work with the school and encourage and promote outstanding attitudes to learning.
- Work with the school to develop your child's personal, social and emotional skills.
- Provide your child with the correct uniform and equipment for school and support him/her to bring everything he/she needs including his/her school planner and reading book.