



## **The Froebelian School**

### **Working Together**

Happy children are effective learners and children are at the heart of everything we do at Froebelian. We are passionate that all children enjoy a positive experience at school each and every day.

Close partnerships with parents are crucial; they are integral to any successful school. We recognise the significant level of confidence and trust you place in us when you choose to send your children to our school; you naturally want the best for them. It is important that the school nurtures relationships with parents that are built on trust, confidence and mutual respect. We recognise and respect that you know your children best but we also need you to trust in our professional judgement, experience and expertise.

This important 'Working Together' document outlines the partnership we try to develop with every family in the best interests of their child. It details the commitment the school is prepared to make to all parents. It also summarises the areas in which we expect the support from parents and children relating to attendance, high standards of behaviour, the wearing of uniform and the completion of school work.

Good behaviour promotes good education. Good behaviour is a product of the partnership and understanding between parent, child and the school. The key to this is knowing what school expects and how each parent, child and the school should respond.

The Froebelian School expects:

- Everybody to work together for the good of all our pupils
- Respect for adults, children, other people's belongings and the school buildings
- Rules in school to apply equally to everybody for the good of all
- Parental support and to work in partnership with parents for the benefit of their children and everyone else in school
- Children to know their boundaries. They need to know what is acceptable and what is unacceptable as applied in our Promoting Positive Behaviour Policy
- Staff and parents to be consistent in their dealings with children
- Parents who choose our school to uphold the values, rules and regulations within the school

The Froebelian School has a zero tolerance policy on abuse. Any abuse directed towards a child, parent or member of staff will not be tolerated and appropriate action will be taken if this occurs.

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The School	The Parent	The Child
<p><b>We will:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Care for your child's safety and happiness, and inform you of any problems affecting your child's well-being. We have Safeguarding and Child Protection Policies and procedures in place to ensure we provide a safe environment for your child which are available on request</li> <li>• Provide a broad and balanced curriculum to meet the needs of your child</li> <li>• Promote high standards of work and behaviour by building strong relationships and developing a sense of personal responsibility</li> <li>• Teach children to make the right behavioural choices</li> <li>• Keep you informed about general matters and about your child's progress via reports, newsletters and Parents' Consultations</li> <li>• Provide and monitor homework</li> <li>• Try to ensure that young people acquire life skills to enable them to be useful and valued members of the community.</li> <li>• Treat all children and parents with respect for the benefit of our school</li> </ul>	<p><b>I/We will:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Endeavour to ensure that my child attends school punctually every day</li> <li>• Inform the school of reasons for absence</li> <li>• Teach my child to make the right behavioural choices</li> <li>• Set time aside to read with my child regularly and support them with their homework and learning</li> <li>• Encourage a positive attitude towards school</li> <li>• Where possible, attend all Parents' Consultations and other relevant parent meetings</li> <li>• Make the school aware of any problems that might affect my child's behaviour or work</li> <li>• Ensure that my child wears the correct uniform</li> <li>• Treat other children, parents, teachers and staff with respect for the benefit of our school</li> </ul>	<p><b>I will:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Do all my class work and homework to the best of my ability</li> <li>• Follow the school's Code of Conduct and Learning Charter</li> <li>• Tell my teacher, or a trusted adult, when I have problems that stop me from learning and doing my work</li> <li>• Keep myself and others safe</li> <li>• Wear my uniform with pride every day and keep tidy in appearance</li> <li>• Take care of school books and equipment</li> <li>• Respect the school building and environment and keep them tidy</li> <li>• Have the correct equipment for each lesson e.g. swimming, PE</li> <li>• Show respect to all adults and other children by being polite, kind and helpful</li> </ul>