

RACK HOUSE PRIMARY SCHOOL HOME-SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Rack House Primary School has a home school agreement, which you will be asked to sign. It sets out the school's responsibilities towards its pupils, the responsibilities of the pupil's parents and what the school expects of its pupils.

The aim is to strengthen the partnership between home and school and makes clear the respective roles and expectations.

The school will make every effort to:

1. Ensure the safety, security and physical well being of your child whilst in our care.
2. Ensure your child receives the legal entitlement of a broad and balanced curriculum.
3. Ensure your child achieves their potential.
4. Promote high standards and high expectations of effort and attainment.
5. Promote a policy of assertive discipline in which good behaviour is rewarded and poor behaviour results in clear, consistent sanctions.
6. Provide properly planned homework opportunities which are realistic, achievable and related to work in school.
7. Provide opportunities for extra-curricular activities.
8. Provide a written report informing you of your child's progress with his/her class teacher at least once per year and provide opportunities for you to discuss your child's progress with his/her class teacher at least twice per year.
9. Deal with parental concerns promptly and inform them of how they have been resolved.
10. Keep parents well informed about school life and special events through regular newsletters and correspondence.

Parents will make every effort to:

1. Support the aims of the school.
2. Ensure their child attends regularly and on time.
3. Ensure their child wears the school uniform and follows the school dress code.
4. Encourage their child to follow the school rules and NED's advice
5. Support the school's behaviour policy and co-operate fully with any behaviour procedures should they become necessary (i.e. target setting, reviews etc.)
6. Attend any parent consultations, reviews, assemblies or events which involve their child.
7. Ensure their child completes any homework and returns it on time.
8. Read regularly with their children.
9. Keep the school informed of any changes in circumstances (i.e. address, phone number, emergency contacts etc.)
10. Inform the school of any problems that may affect their child's learning or behaviour.

Children will make every effort to:

1. Follow the school rules and NED's advice
2. Follow instructions.
3. Be polite and well mannered.
4. Let an adult know if there is a problem.
5. Complete and return homework.
6. Be prepared for learning
(arrive on time, with the right equipment i.e. PE Kit etc.)
7. Contribute to lessons and listen when being spoken to.
8. Stay on task.
9. Avoid disturbing others.
10. 'Own up' if things go wrong.

Rack House School Rules

1. Listen carefully and try to do the right thing.
2. Keep your hands and feet to yourself.
3. Call people by their chosen name.
4. Look after everything around you.
5. Put your hand up if you wish to speak.
6. Tell an adult if you have a problem.
7. Walk away from trouble.
8. Only bring the things that you need into school.
(No phones, toys, sweets, chewing gum etc.)

All children are encouraged to follow NED's advice:-

- **N**ever give up
- **E**ncourage others
- **D**o your best