Home School Agreement

The education of your child/ren is a partnership between you as the parent/carer, your child and school.

We welcome your support and appreciate your involvement.

Birkwood Primary School
2018 – 2019

At Birkwood Primary School, the happiness and well being of our children is paramount and we hope to instil in them a life-long love of learning and respect for both themselves and others.

We will be creative and flexible in providing a positive approach to learning in a safe, stable and exciting environment that will nurture each child/ren’s individual needs. We want our school to be a welcoming, caring and safe place, a family community working in harmony.
**Agreement**
**For School**

The school will try its best to:

- Keep your child/ren safe
- Deliver a balanced and carefully planned curriculum which meets with the needs of your child/ren
- Contact you as soon as possible if we have worries about your child/ren’s work, health or behaviour
- Provide homework that meets the needs of your child/ren
- Contact you if we are concerned about your child/ren’s attendance or punctuality
- Keep you informed about your child/ren’s progress
- Welcome you into the life of the school and keep you informed about the work that is planned for your child/ren each term
- Provide a range of activities, visits and visitors designed to enrich your child/ren’s learning

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**Birkwood Primary School**
**Aims**

- To **INSPIRE** our children by providing a curriculum that is creative, that responds and enables children to lead their own learning, that equips them with the skills required for the 21st Century, for example, problem solving, higher order thinking skills, team work and cooperation.
- To **CHERISH** our children by encouraging them to look after and respect each other at all times. We aim to provide a caring environment, where all are inspired and empowered to achieve their true potential as unique and valued individuals.
- We aim for our children to **ACHIEVE** the best that they can, by challenging and supporting them. The progress in all key stages reflects the commitment of our teaching and support staff who work hard to achieve high standards in behaviour and achievement in all areas.
Agreement
For Pupils
To help me do well at school
I will try my best to:

- Make our school a happy and safe place
- Look after and respect others at all times
- Look after and respect school property and other people’s belongings
- Work hard at my targets
- Talk at home about what I have learnt at school
- Do my homework on time
- Read regularly at home
- Always come to school and to be on time
- Wear my school uniform and have my PE kit
- Be polite and helpful to other pupils and grown ups
- Enjoy school and help other pupils to do the same
- Give all letters and messages from school to my parents/carers

If I am unhappy or need help, I will talk to:
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Signed: ___________________ (Pupil)

Agreement
For Parents/Carers
To help my child/ren at school
I will try my best to:

- Make sure that my child/ren attend school regularly and are on time
- Encourage my child/ren to work hard and complete all their homework tasks
- Listen to my child/ren read regularly and discuss what they have read
- See that my child/ren wears the correct school uniform and brings their correct PE kit (with their name inside)
- Collect my child/ren on time after school
- Contact the school before 10am, by phone or in writing, if my child is absent
- Work with the school to try and make sure that my child/ren behave well and get in touch if there are any problems at home that may affect my child/ren’s work or behaviour
- Attend Parent’s Evening
- Read/reply to any school correspondence
- Work with school to ensure the best for my child/ren

Signed: ___________________ (Parent/Carer)