

Newlaithes Junior School Home/School Agreement

At Newlaithes Junior School we provide an education in which every child can achieve academically and become an active and valued member of our school community. We see education as being an active partnership between the school, the pupils and their parents with all parties accepting their role in the partnership.

Newlaithes Junior School will:

- Provide a purposeful, stable, safe and secure environment in which to learn where discrimination (e.g. racism) and all forms of bullying are challenged.
- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum that is both stimulating and exciting (and also in line with the school's mission, vision and values statement).
- Aim to ensure that your child achieves his/her full potential (meeting their individual needs) as a valued member of the school community.
- Aim to achieve high standards of work and behaviour through building good relationships with each other and other adults in the school.
- Encourage your child to develop a sense of responsibility for their own actions and respect for one another.
- Keep parents informed about their child's progress (including holding a Parents Evening in the Autumn and Spring Terms and a written report in the Summer Term)
- Be positive and welcoming and offer opportunities for you to become involved in the daily life of the school.
- Inform parents of expectations around homework and Home Learning.
- Check attendance and punctuality regularly and contact parents regarding any concerns.
- Ensure that any data we control is managed in line with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

The family will:

- Ensure that our/my child attends school regularly and we/I will contact the school by telephone if absent.
- Ensure that our/my child arrives at school on time ready for school i.e. has eaten breakfast and has had enough sleep.
- Ensure that our/my child is collected on time at 3.20pm each day
- Ensure my/our child wears a uniform that matches the school's colours and policy.
- Attend parent evenings and other meetings/discussions about our/my child's progress.
- Support the school's policies and guidelines on behaviour and discipline by encouraging my/our child to adhere to the Behaviour Policy.
- Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect our/my child's work or behaviour.
- Support the school in providing an environment which is opposed to all bullying, racism and sexism.
- Support our/my child with their homework and other opportunities for home-learning.
- Support my/our child's learning to help him/her achieve their best.
- Treat all staff with respect and in a polite manner.
- Provide the school with accurate and up to date contact information.
- Park responsibly if dropping off or collecting children by car.

The pupil will:

- Attend school regularly and arrive on time.
- Bring all the equipment needed for each day, including a book bag.
- Wear a uniform that matches the school's colours and policy.
- Work as hard as they can in every lesson, every day.
- Abide by the school rules and adhere to the Behaviour Policy
- Be polite and helpful to others, treating all other school members with respect, care and concern.
- Take good care of the school equipment, building and grounds.
- Complete any homework and home learning set

Please sign to say you have read this agreement and have explained it to your child.

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