

**A message to parents and carers from
the Headteacher and Chair of Governors**

Welcome to Horbury St Peter's & Clifton Primary School. We believe that a close partnership between home and school is vital to help children and young people get the best from their education.

Home-school agreements are a part of every school's partnership with parents, teachers and pupils at our school to make a clear commitment to working together.

The agreement makes clear what is expected of teachers, parents, carers and pupils, so that pupils will be able to work hard and be happy, safe and successful at school. We hope that it will also help parents to take an active part in their child's education at St Peter's.

At school, we are determined to give each pupil every chance to do well. We look forward to a strong partnership with home to give your child the best possible support.

Please note: 'Parents' in this agreement means anyone who has parental responsibility for the pupil.

Home-School Agreement

Horbury St. Peter's &
Clifton CE (VC) Primary
School



Name.....

School will:

Teaching and Learning

- provide a broad and balanced curriculum which challenges and motivates pupils
- tell parents about the work their child is doing

Attendance

- recognise and reward good attendance
- inform parents as soon as possible if their child is absent without an explanation from home

Behaviour and Discipline

- have a code of behaviour which creates a safe and caring environment for everyone
- make sure that all staff, pupils and parents know what behaviour is expected

Homework

- keep parents informed about our arrangements for homework and consult them if changes are planned
- provide suitable materials and advise on homework and how to help with reading

Communication

- make sure that parents have information about their child's progress and behaviour
- arrange for parents to discuss their child's progress and set targets for the future
- make sure that we listen to concerns and do our best to help

Signed

Headteacher

Home will:

- take an interest in what their child is learning
- praise their child for effort and good work
- make every effort to make sure that their child attends school regularly and on time
- informs the school as soon as possible about any absence and the reason for it
- give praise at home for good behaviour at school
- work with the school to find solutions in cases of unacceptable behaviour
- offer help and support with learning at home
- encourage their child to read regularly
- make sure that materials borrowed from school are returned
- tell school about anything which might affect their child's work or behaviour
- talk with teachers on parents' evenings or at other times about their child's progress
- raise concerns directly and promptly with school

Signed

Parent/Carer

As a pupil I will:

- come to school ready to learn
- work hard in lessons
- bring all equipment including PE kit every day
- attend regularly and arrive on time
- behave in a way which helps St Peter's School to be a safe, caring and happy place for everyone
- respect other people and their belongings
- take home any work set
- do homework and take it back to school on time
- read regularly and return books to school
- take home letters, notes and reports from school and give them to parents or carers
- talk with parents or carers and teachers about any worries in school

Signed

Pupil