



## **Silverdale St John's CE Primary School** **Behaviour Policy – COVID 19 Appendix**

### **Inspiring success through learning, community and faith.**

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me – Philippians 4:13

*We strive to provide the Christian foundations to enable our children to make good decisions. Our children will be inspired, guided and supported to achieve success, as they are all of infinite worth. Taught through a creative curriculum, our children will become global citizens and will care for all of God's creation.*

#### **Explanation**

This appendix should be read in conjunction with the Behaviour policy. Due to COVID 19 and the need to socially distance ourselves, some aspects of our Behaviour Policy need adapting.

As usual, our expectation is that behaviour of our pupils in, and out of school, is of a high standard.

We have this high standard to maintain safety and good learning environments. We recognise that unsettlement may affect children's behaviour at this time, but our focus must be on keeping all children and adults in school safe.

The usual Rights and Responsibilities should be followed;

- I have the right to be heard.
- I have the responsibility to listen to others.
  
- I have the right to be safe and healthy.
- I have the responsibility to keep myself and others safe and healthy.
  
- I have the right to learn.
- I have the responsibility to do my best at all times and to help others to learn.
  
- I have the right to have friends.
- I have the responsibility to be kind to others.
  
- I have the right to be myself.
- I have the responsibility to respect others' differences.
  
- I have the right to use books and equipment that help me to learn.
- I have the responsibility to look after all equipment.

In addition to these, all pupils need to;

- Behave responsibly on the way to and from school, especially when travelling unaccompanied, abiding by social distancing guidelines and travelling straight to and from school every day
- Enter and exit school through the allocated doors – clearly explained by teachers
- Arriving and leaving school during the allocated time slot
- Follow social distancing rules in the classroom
- Ask an adult before leaving the classroom (or playground during outdoor learning/playtimes)
- Only use given resources and own water bottle (and eat own lunch)
- Adhere to the handwashing regime
- Only use the toilet when needed – flush the toilet and wash hands thoroughly afterwards
- Only move around school when directed, maintaining a 2m distance from adults or children
- Make sure they maintain good hygiene practices – cough into elbow, sneeze into tissues and bin tissues immediately
- Tell an adult if they feel unwell at all

- Only play with children in bubble, with provided resources and in designated areas
- Not mix with any children outside bubble, in and out of school
- Follow the new timetable for learning and playtimes
- Behave responsibly towards other people – no spitting, coughing, hitting
- Use computers and devices safely and sensibly, especially when working online
- Follow the classroom guidelines – adhering to specific rules for each classroom.

### **Rewards and Sanctions**

We will continue to encourage our children to make the right choices and will contact parents if a child's behaviour is exemplary.

We will not use stickers – to avoid cross contamination

Reward systems should be designed by each bubble that are manageable and clear

The traffic light system continues to be used (anyone on amber misses playtime), however any consistently unacceptable behaviour will lead to parents being asked to keep their child at home. Playtimes need to be used for cleaning the classroom and provide rest breaks for the staff. The room needs to be empty for effective cleaning and staff cannot regularly loose this time due to children staying in at playtime.

If a child cannot adhere social distancing, their parents will be called and asked to remove them from school and keep them at home. This will happen immediately if a child;

- Leaves the bubble at the wrong time
- Spits or coughs at another person
- Needs restraining to keep themselves or someone else safe
- Refuses to maintain social distancing when asked
- Anything else deemed to be inappropriate by any adult in charge

### **Parents Responsibility**

We expect parents to work closely with school to ensure all pupils and staff members are safe.

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