Hollington Primary School
The Pioneer Academy
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# Hollington Primary School
# Home-school agreement

## As a school

We will do our best to:

- Support your child's wellbeing and safety by providing a safe, supportive and caring environment
- Help and encourage your child to reach their full potential
- Monitor and communicate with parents and carers regularly on your child's progress
- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum that caters for all children
- Promote high standards of behaviour so we can maintain a safe environment for all children
- Offer your child opportunities to develop a sense of responsibility, form healthy social relationships and build their self-esteem
- Set regular homework that supports the delivery of the curriculum and mark it where appropriate
- Offer opportunities for parents and carers to get involved in school life
- Communicate between home and school through accessible newsletters, class dojo, text, email and the school website.
- Respond to communications from parents and carers in a timely manner, returning calls by the end of the next working day
- Notify parents in advance of PE timetable via Class Dojos to ensure children attend school in their PE kit on the required days
- Encourage good attendance, including arriving to and leaving school on time each day, and address any concerns with parents or carers where necessary
- Contact parents if spare clothes are not in children's bags to bring clothes in to school in the event of an accident.

## Parents/carers

I will do my best to:

- Make sure my child attends school regularly and on time. I will notify the school if my child will be absent
- Make sure my child is dressed in the correct uniform and wears their PE kit to school on PE days
- Support the school to make sure my child maintains a consistently high standard of behaviour
- Encourage my child to try their best so they can reach their full potential
- Communicate to the school any concerns that I have about my child that may affect their behaviour in school or ability to learn

*Head Teacher – Mrs Grace McDougall*

***The Pioneer Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all our pupils and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.***

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- Make sure communication with the school is respectful, and that I make every reasonable effort to address my communications to the appropriate member of staff, speaking with the class teacher in the first instance
- Understand that I should communicate with staff during core school hours, and although they may at times respond outside of those hours, I can't always expect that
- Make sure that my child completes their homework on time, and raise any issues that my child has with their homework to their class teacher
- Read and follow the school's policies (Policies can be found on the school website)
- Treat all members of the school community with care and respect
- Engage in parent meetings and work together with the school in order to achieve the best outcomes for my child
- Ensure my child brings a spare change of clothes (trousers/underwear/socks) to school each day in case of accidents or falls to enable them to get changed into dry clothes. The school does not have spare clothing for children in these instances.
- Read all communications sent home by the school and respond where necessary in a timely manner
- Sign up to Class Dojo and ParentPay when my child joins the school
- Use ParentPay to book school meals for each day my child will be having a school dinner and provide a packed lunch if a meal has not been booked via ParentPay.
- Provide consent for ALL school trips on ParentPay within the timescales set
- Listen to my child read regularly or read with my child at least 4 times per week
- Attend Parents Evenings

## Pupils

I will do my best to:

- Arrive at school on time every day that I can, and be ready to learn
- Try my best to do my work and ask for help if I need it
- Wear the correct school uniform everyday including the right footwear
- Wear my PE kit to school on the my PE lesson day
- Bring all the equipment I need each day
- Be friendly and caring towards other children and adults
- Always listen to instructions from the adults at school and follow the school rules
- Do my homework and bring it back to school on time
- Always look after the school equipment and be respectful of the school environment
- Behave appropriately at all times throughout the school day
- Behave appropriately on the way to and from school

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