



Gamston C of E (Aided) Primary School



Home – School Agreement

Be the best you can be

Equipping every member of our school family to:
'Be strong and courageous. (Deuteronomy 31:16)
'Shine as lights in the world' (Philippians 2:15)

As a school we will:

- ✓ provide a safe, secure, and caring environment where all children are valued, respected, and listened to,
- ✓ teach and encourage children to always do their best and achieve their full potential,
- ✓ provide an engaging curriculum to meet the needs of all children,
- ✓ provide opportunities for your child to practise what they have learnt in school at home,
- ✓ regularly share the progress of your child, through books being sent home, online reporting, parent consultation meetings etc.
- ✓ support your child to develop a moral and ethical compass for life enabling them to grow up to be the best person they can be through the Gospel Values that underpin our curriculum and school life,
- ✓ achieve high standards of behaviour by providing opportunities for children to develop positive social relationships, self-esteem, and a sense of responsibility,
- ✓ teach your child to develop a positive attitude to the whole school community and the environment
- ✓ respect the confidentiality of information regarding each child,
- ✓ provide information to you about our school, including relevant policies, meetings, workshops, and events by keeping our [website](#) up-to-date, emailing a weekly newsletter and updating an annual calendar of events at regular intervals.

As a parent/carer I will:

- ✓ make sure my child attends school regularly and arrives at school by 8:55am wearing the correct school uniform (or PE kit on the appropriate day),
- ✓ provide an explanation to the school office by 9:30am if my child is absent,
- ✓ let the school know of any concerns or worries that may be affecting my child's learning, behaviour, or ability to do home learning, as this can then be resolved quickly,
- ✓ support Gamston CofE Primary School's Christian Vision and Values by encouraging my child to develop a positive attitude towards our every member of our school and wider community,
- ✓ attend meetings with my child's teacher and other staff, aiming to be positive and productive, working towards supporting my child's progress in their learning,
- ✓ support and work with the school to ensure that the [relationship and behaviour policies](#) of the school are maintained,
- ✓ respect the confidentiality of each child,
- ✓ support all staff in their efforts to create a caring community which values children and their rights,
- ✓ treat all members of the school community with respect and politeness,
- ✓ abide by the [Code of Conduct for Parents & Carers](#),
- ✓ regularly read information on the [website](#), weekly newsletter (the Gamston Wrap) and the diary dates and website calendar so that I am kept-up to date with important details of relevant policies, meetings, events, and information about my child.

As a pupil I will:

- ✓ come to school regularly and on time,
- ✓ wear school uniform (or PE kit on appropriate days), be tidy in appearance and hygienic,
- ✓ follow Gamston's Vision and Values by respecting and empathising with others,
- ✓ follow our Golden Values:
 - ❖ We never give up on ourselves or each other – Perseverance, Hope, Resilience
 - ❖ We work together to achieve great things – Friendship, Generosity, Service
 - ❖ We encourage one another, learning through mistakes – Courage, Forgiveness, Creativity
 - ❖ We respect one another other and our world – Compassion, Respect, Justice
 - ❖ We are honest and can be relied on – Truthfulness, Trust

- ✓ accept responsibility for the things that I do,
- ✓ be responsible for my school and home learning,
- ✓ take good care of the building, equipment, and school grounds,
- ✓ reflect on my behaviour and learning and learn from all experiences,
- ✓ tell a member of staff if I am worried or unhappy.

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