

St. John Bosco Catholic Primary School  
Home-School Agreement 2016

Mission Statement

"Learning, living and growing in God`s love "

Governors' Ethos Statement

The school was founded by and is part of the Catholic Church and is conducted as a Catholic School in accordance with the teachings and the law of the Catholic Church and in particular

- a) Religious education is to be in accordance with the teachings, doctrines, and understandings of the Catholic Church.
- b) Religious worship is in accordance with the rites and liturgical practices of the Catholic Church.

At all times the school serves as a witness to Our Lord Jesus Christ as expressed through the Catholic faith.

The School's Responsibility

The school will:

- educate pupils in a Catholic atmosphere so that the Gospel message can be related to everyday life.
- provide a quality Religious Education through the curriculum strategy "Learning and Growing as the People of God" and in line with the teachings of the Catholic Church.
- provide a broad, balanced curriculum to meet the needs of the National Curriculum, the National Numeracy Strategy, the National Literacy Strategy and the individual needs of the child.
- encourage all children to achieve his/her full potential as a valued member of the school community.
- achieve high standards of work and behaviour through our high expectations, building good relationships and developing a sense of responsibility.
- keep parents informed about their child's progress and seek to develop a positive partnership between home and school.

Pupil Expectation

Each pupil has a responsibility to:

- attend school regularly and on time, ready to learn.
- bring all the clothing and equipment they need every day.
- wear the correct school uniform and be tidy in appearance.
- not wear prohibited jewellery or bring prohibited toys and items to school.
- have a high expectation of themselves and work to the best of their ability at all times.
- do all the work they are given both in the classroom and at home to help them achieve their full potential.
- Follow the school's Code of Conduct.
- respect others by promoting a true Christian fellowship inside and outside the school.
- respect the school environment, keeping the inside and outside clean and tidy.

### Parental Responsibility

I/we will:

- ensure that my child attends school regularly, on time and properly equipped
- inform the school should my child not be attending for any reason.
- not take holidays in term time unless it is unavoidable to do so.
- make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour.
- ensure that my child has sufficient sleep and is fit to attend school.
- support my child with their homework and outside school activities.
- Support the school's code of Conduct.
- attend Parent's Evenings and discussions about my child's progress.
- support the school with any interventions used to help my child fulfil his/her maximum potential.
- liaise with the school, keeping them fully informed of any changes of circumstances at home, contact information or other information that may affect the school in carrying out its duty of care to my child.

**Please return this sheet to school.**

Home School Agreement

I / We have read St. John Bosco "Home - School Agreement" document.

I / We fully understand the aims and values it has as a Catholic School and the consequent educational and spiritual opportunities it will provide for my / our child.

I / We acknowledge that the type of help and support outlined in the "Parental Responsibilities" section will be necessary to ensure my / our child is able to take full advantage of what the school provides.

I / We acknowledge and understand what the school expects from all pupils.

Signed ..... Parent / Carer

Signed ..... Parent / Carer

of ..... Pupil

Signed ..... Pupil

Signed ..... School

Date .....

**Reviewed July 2016**

**To be reviewed in July 17**