



The Birches Specialist Support Primary School

Home-School Agreement between Pupils, Parents/Carers & School

Year: 2024 - 2025

	As a pupil, where appropriate I will do my best to...	As a parent/carers I will do my best to...	As a school we will do our best to...
Attendance/ Punctuality 	Attend school every day between 9.00 and 3.15.	Make sure my child attends school every day between 9.00 and 3.15. Inform school if my child will not be school (via phone, Class Dojo or bus escort). Avoid taking holidays during term time.	Encourage and celebrate good attendance and punctuality. Work with parents and carers to champion 100% school attendance.
Being ready for school 	Wear my school uniform (black or blue skirt / trousers, blue jumper, and yellow/blue polo shirt).	Send my child to school in their uniform. Make sure my child has the right equipment for school. (PE kit, swimming kit, hygiene supplies as appropriate)	Provide your child with what is needed for school. Communicate when anything is missing.
Lessons 	Listen to the adults at school and always work and play to the best of my ability.	Take an interest in the work of my child. Encourage my child to always do his/her best.	Always endeavour to teach outstanding lessons. Help your child to reach their full potential. Communicate on levels of progress and how families might help with learning.
Pastoral Support 	Let my teachers and my parents/carers know if I have any worries.	Let school know if there are any problems likely to affect my child's learning.	Listen and respond to any concerns in a timely manner.

Behaviour 	Try my hardest to self- regulate my behaviour to behave appropriately in school and follow the school rules. Work with staff on plans to improve my behaviour	Encourage my child to behave appropriately in and outside school and keep the school rules. Work with school on strategies to improve behaviour	Encourage high standards of behaviour. Always provide a safe and ordered environment. Have clear plans to both reward and reinforce good behaviour and strategies to support when pupils struggle.
Communication 	Take all paper copy letters home to my parents/carers.	Read daily posts of Dojo and respond as needed via Dojo Messenger. Read letters from school and respond if necessary. Provide school with up to date contact details (inc. emergency contacts). Speak to staff at the earliest point if I am concerned. Make every effort to attend meetings with school as needed throughout the year.	Report regularly on your son/daughter's progress, attendance and punctuality. Inform you of any worries or concerns. Regularly post on Class Dojo to keep you informed about school. Help you to communicate with your child. Hold one-to-one meetings as required.
Extra-Curricular 	Try out and take up opportunities where possible.	Encourage my child to take up opportunities. Support events that the school is involved in.	Offer enrichment opportunities for your child's all-round development and events to better engage with parents and families.
Medical Support 	To let staff know when I feel unwell	Inform school of medication required or changes in medication. Follow school policy on medication.	Work in close partnership with medical staff to ensure the well-being of all pupils. Inform you of any medication administered or medical concerns.

Together we will ensure that achieves his/her best in all aspects of school life.

Student's signature (Where appropriate) Date

Parents/carers' signature(s) Date

Signed on behalf of The Birches School Date