

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

Home School Agreement



2026-2027



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At St. George's Catholic Primary School, we foster a nurturing environment where every child is encouraged to recognise their inherent value as an individual and as an integral part of our school family.

We uphold a high standard of positive behaviour, promoting respectful relationships among pupils, staff, parents, and visitors. Our core aim, rooted in our mission statement '*To learn with kindness, respect and friendship through God's love,*' is to enable every individual, made in the image and likeness of God, to learn, grow, and reach their full potential.

We aspire to be a loving Christian family, embodying Gospel values and cultivating caring relationships within our local and wider community.

St. George's is dedicated to creating an inclusive learning environment where every child is empowered to achieve their full potential and excel in all aspects of their development. We aim to nurture respectful and supportive citizens, prepared to contribute positively to our local and global communities.

We recognise that the most effective way to achieve these aims is through a strong, collaborative partnership with parents and carers.

St George's also works in partnership with 16 other schools within the **MADCOS** network (**M**aghull **A**nd **D**istrict **C**ommunity **O**f **S**chools) and have a shared Code of Conduct for all our families.

Together, teachers, parents and children will:

- Encourage the children to respect the school mission statement and our school aims.
- Work together to aid children's learning and social development.
- Set good examples to children at all times, showing them how to get along with all members of the school and the wider community.
- Ensure no member of staff, parent or child is the victim of abusive behaviour or open to threats from others on the school premises.
- Support the Governors in maintaining the buildings of the school by contributing to the school levy.

Our children will:

- Attend school punctually and regularly, understanding the importance of consistent attendance for learning.
- Come to school prepared with all necessary learning materials and equipment.
- Wear the school uniform with pride and maintain a tidy appearance.
- Engage fully with classwork and homework, striving to do their best.
- Demonstrate pride in our school by helping to keep it tidy and safe.
- Be polite, kind, and helpful to all members of our school community.
- Adhere to all class and school rules, understanding their purpose.
- Be positive role models for others.

Parents and Guardians will support school by:

- Supporting the Catholic ethos of our school and their child's sacramental preparations, encouraging them to grow in their religious life.
- Ensuring their child attends school regularly and on time.
- Contacting school by 9.15am if their child is ill.
- Providing proof of absence if your child has visited a doctor, dentist or attended a hospital appointment.
- Making appointments outside of school time where possible.
- Supporting homework and ensuring **children read daily at home**.
- Keeping school informed if there are changes or difficult circumstances at home.
- Informing school of any concerns that might affect our child's work or behaviour.
- Keeping home contact details up to date.
- Attending parents' evenings and getting to know about your child's school life.
- Helping school to improve attendance and ensuring holidays are taken within set school holidays (Local Authority fines will apply for term time holidays).
- Ensuring your child is in school by 9.00am, ready and prepared for school, every day.

The school will endeavour to:

- Ensure the safety, happiness, and overall well-being of every child.
- Provide an inclusive and supportive environment where each child can thrive and achieve their full potential as a valued member of our school community.
- Deliver a broad and balanced curriculum that caters to the individual needs and learning styles of all children.
- Foster high standards of academic achievement and positive behaviour by cultivating strong relationships, promoting mutual respect, and developing a sense of responsibility.
- Maintain clear expectations for behaviour, implement a fair system of rewards and sanctions, and ensure all relevant policies are accessible to parents.
- Provide a loving, caring, and secure environment conducive to children's learning and personal growth.
- Foster positive and collaborative relationships with all parents, actively encouraging their support through a range of school events and learning opportunities.
- Maintain open communication and be readily available to discuss each child's progress and any concerns.

St. George's Catholic Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all its children. We have robust safeguarding policies and procedures in place, which are regularly reviewed and updated in line with statutory guidance, including Keeping Children Safe in Education (KCSIE).

All staff and volunteers undergo appropriate vetting and training. Parents and carers are assured that we will take all necessary steps to ensure the safety and well-being of every child in our care. If you have any safeguarding concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead.

Child's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature: _____

Dated: _____

This Home-School Agreement will be reviewed annually, with the next review scheduled for March 2027.