Behaviour Policy Governors Statement of Principles

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Purpose

This document contains the Governor's statement of principles for behaviour.

It is used to guide the Head Teacher in drawing up the school behaviour policy.

The actual production and implementation of the behaviour policy is the responsibility of the Head Teacher, with the support of the governors.

The Governors' Values, Beliefs and Principles

The governors wish the school to promote these values, beliefs and principles in the behaviour policy:

• Good behaviour is essential in order to achieve the school's Christian vision of preparing children for "life in all its fullness"
• All members of the school community (pupils, staff, parent/carers and governors) should respect one another and model the school values at all times
• All members of the school community should be listened and responded to
• All members of the school community should be considerate towards the learning needs of each individual and supportive of the school as a learning community
• Good behaviour should be actively promoted and encouraged. All staff should model positive behaviour
• All members of the school community should understand and accept the behaviour policy
• There should be active development of a pupil's social, emotional and mental health, and behavioural skills
• Good behaviour should be rewarded and sanctions applied consistently
• Pupils whose behaviour and attendance may deteriorate due to circumstances outside of their or the school's direct control (such as bereavement, abuse, divorce, separation of parents) should be identified and supported
• School will work in partnership with parents to support good behaviour at school and at home
• Where appropriate, the governors and Head Teacher should work positively with outside agencies
• Bullying is not acceptable
• Discrimination of any kind is not acceptable

Equality

The governors expect the behaviour policy and any related policy or procedure to be produced in accordance with equality legislation and the duty to eliminate discrimination.

Contents of the Behaviour Policy

The Governors offer guidance that the behaviour policy should contain:

• Details of how good behaviour is promoted, including acceptable rewards

• Details and procedure for dealing with poor behaviour anywhere on the school site
• Details of how serious and persistent unacceptable behaviour will be managed
• Equality policy
• Anti – bullying policy

The Governors are satisfied that the Headteacher has given full consideration to DfE guidance on the contents of the school behaviour policy.

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