

DHEKELIA PRIMARY SCHOOL HOME – SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Only through partnership between school, pupil and parents can we hope to fully realise every child's potential. This agreement is the foundation upon which your child's educational achievement is built. It needs your commitment as parents to work in harmony with Dhekelia Primary School to ensure your child's progress and success, now and in the future.



HEALTH, WELLBEING AND COMMUNICATION

SCHOOL WILL:

- Ensure children are safe on school premises and trips.
- Administer medicines only with written permission or a health care plan.
- Provide full clear information about your child's progress, achievements and development.
- Communicate regularly with parents about school events, issues and important dates.

PARENTS

I WILL:

- Let the School know about any issues which might affect my child's health, well-being and progress at school and raise any concerns with the class teacher as early as possible.
- Ensure that the school always has up-to-date information including emergency contact numbers and accurate medical details.
- Read information provided to me via the weekly Grapevine, through letters or notes written in diaries.
- Support my child's learning by attending parent meetings.

I INTEND TO:

- Ensure my child goes to bed at a reasonable time on a weekday.
- Ensure that my child only accesses age appropriate media (e.g. DVDs, video games, social media).

HOME LEARNING

SCHOOL WILL:

Set appropriate learning activities regularly and value the effort put into completing them, including marking these when appropriate.

PARENTS

I WILL:

- Provide a quiet place and time for my child to do home learning activities and return these to school on time.

I INTEND TO:

- Read to and with my child frequently.

ATTENDANCE

SCHOOL WILL:

- Start classes promptly at 0755 (FS2, KS1 & KS2) and 0800 for FS1 (Nursery)
- Keep an accurate record of attendance,
- Share and discuss any concerns about attendance with parents

PARENTS

I WILL:

- Ensure my child arrives and where appropriate is collected promptly at the beginning and end of the school day,
- Contact the school **before 0830** in the morning when my child is absent.

CURRICULUM

SCHOOL WILL:

- Ensure that every child is taught at an appropriate and challenging level.
- Provide an attractive environment with good materials and equipment and teach the full National Curriculum and religious education.

PARENTS

I INTEND TO:

- Support the curriculum by asking questions, doing internet research with my child and visit the library or other places of interest.

EQUIPPING YOUR CHILD

PARENTS

I WILL:

- Provide my child with suitable school uniform, including PE kit.
- Ensure my child has a snack, hat and water daily, and sun cream during the summer months.

BEHAVIOUR

SCHOOL WILL:

- Not tolerate any form of bullying or harassment.
- Make sure that children are clear about our expectations for behaviour, celebrate when these are achieved and use rewards and sanctions fairly.
- Keep you informed about school policies and guidelines on behaviour and significant incidents which involve your child.

PARENTS

I WILL:

- Help my child understand and follow school expectations for behaviour and the consequences of their actions.
- Reinforce the school's core values.

DPS CORE VALUES

Happiness
Independence
Compassion
Achievement
Respect
Responsibility