### Child's Name:

### The Richard Clarke First School, Abbots Bromley

# **Home-School Agreement**



# **Vision Statement**

We will become an outstanding school in all respects, where children take delight in learning, staff take delight in teaching and parents are happy with the well-being and development of their children.

# **Mission Statement**

We will provide a welcoming, safe, happy and stimulating environment for children and staff, where everyone is valued and their voices heard. We will encourage and nurture independent thinking, together with the ability to work effectively as part of a group. We will make RCFS a school where we can all be proud of ourselves and of our achievements which enables our children to become confident and successful lifelong learners and principled, active citizens with respect for others.

### **Our Values**

### We believe that:

- Everyone should be encouraged to do their very best, in education and in life.
- Everyone should develop a love of learning and feel inspired by high-quality teaching.
- Everyone has individual strengths and talents which should be encouraged and developed.
- Everyone deserves tolerance and respect, regardless of differences in faith and beliefs.
- Everyone receiving education should feel fully included in their learning journey.
- We should be active and constructive partners in our school and local communities.

### The Learning Environment

#### Our school will:

- Provide your child with a high standard of education, following rigorous national guidelines, within a balanced curriculum.
- Ensure that our learning environment is stimulating and challenging.
- Celebrate your child's academic and personal achievements.
- Provide the support needed to enable your child to achieve their full potential.
- Care for your child's safety and well-being by observing them and listening to what they have to say.

# A Healthy, Happy Community

### Our school will:

- Teach your child to develop a positive attitude to others, regardless of gender, race, culture, belief, values, age and need which reflects British values.
- Encourage your child to become an active member within our community and help them to see that they can have an impact on the world around them.
- Regularly meet with you to communicate the progress of your child, celebrating their strengths and explaining how we can support and encourage them in their areas for development.
- Provide information to you about our school, including relevant policies, meetings, workshops, activities, newsletters etc.
- Be very happy to welcome you if you would like to contribute to our school's broader curriculum. We recognise that the community of Abbots Bromley and The Richard Clarke First School holds a wealth of talent, experience, diversity and enthusiasm from which we can all benefit.

# **Home-learning**

#### **Our School will:**

- Set achievable home learning challenges to consolidate and embed the curriculum and provide the opportunity for independent learning.
- Provide clear guidance so that you will be able to help your child if required.
- Provide information and helpful training sessions for you that will give you an understanding and confidence to support your child.

Signed: The Richard Clarke First School (School)

# To enhance the Learning Environment:-

# As a Parent/Carer I will:

- Make sure that my child will attend on every school day unless there is a valid reason for their absence.
- Notify the school as soon as possible, once I know that my child will not be able to attend.
- Make sure that my child is punctual and here for the start of the school day.
- Make sure that my child is wearing named school uniform or other suitable clothing and that their PE kit is brought into school at the beginning of each week.
- Endeavour to provide a safe, secure and happy environment at home for my child, acknowledging that they also learn at home as well as school.

# To promote a Healthy, Happy Community:-

## As a Parent/Carer I will:

- Let the school know of any concerns or worries that may be affecting my child's learning, behaviour or ability to do home learning, enabling any concerns to be resolved quickly.
- Support the school by encouraging my child to develop a positive attitude towards our diverse, multi-cultural community.
- Attend meetings with my child's teacher and other staff, aiming to be positive and productive, working towards moving my child on in their learning.
- Support and work with the school to ensure that the behaviour management policies of the school are maintained.
- Encourage a positive attitude towards my child's education and our school. If I have any concerns, I will come and discuss them with school staff to work out a solution.
- Read all information sent home as this gives me important details of relevant policies, meetings, workshops, activities, newsletters and open days.
- Support the school and PTFA, where possible, when fundraising and organising activities for the benefit of a variety of causes and also our school.

#### To assist home learning:-

# As Parent/Carers I/we will:

- Support the school by making sure that home learning tasks are completed and returned on time.
- Use our talents and experiences to enhance our child's learning at home. (Your child will benefit greatly from what you can show them, discuss with them and teach them.)

Signed: (Parent/Carer)

# To make The Richard Clarke First School a really happy place:-

# As a Pupil of The Richard Clarke First School, I will:

- Understand that I have rights within the school, such as:
  - o To be treated kindly.
  - o To be listened to.
  - o To be helped.
  - o To have a friend.
  - o To play and join in games.
  - o To be happy.
  - o To feel wanted.
  - o To be safe.
  - o To be special.
- Respect other children's culture, race, feelings, beliefs and values.
- Accept responsibility for the things that I do.
- Be responsible for my school and home learning.
- Ask for help if I need it and try my best in all that I do.
- Ensure that I take home all school letters.
- Follow the school's rules.
- Be kind and speak politely to everyone in school.
- Take good care of the building, equipment and school grounds.
- Behave in a safe way.
- Be helpful.
- Tell a member of staff if I am worried or unhappy.

Signed:	(Child)
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### TOGETHER EVERYONE ACHIEVES MORE

We all agree to live by our school values of Teamwork, Responsibility, Consideration, Friendship and Success