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Home School Agreement

2025 - 2026

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'LEARNING FOR LIFE'

Our school is a safe, happy and inclusive place where everybody is valued, treated equally, respected and where difference is celebrated.

We believe that all members of our School community should reach their full potential academically, socially and emotionally.

We are committed to ensuring that every child is prepared for their future lives as responsible citizens with a strong moral purpose.

Learning is a lifelong journey and we strive for all children to enjoy learning; leading to independent, motivated 'Lifelong Learners' who are prepared to face the modern day wider world with enthusiasm.

At Whiston Willis Primary Academy we recognise that parents and carers are a child's first educators. They are the adults who have taught their children how to walk, talk, dress themselves and ride a bike. At Whiston Willis we believe that children will learn best if parents know, understand and are in agreement with the aims of the school. This agreement is to help the school and parents to work in partnership in order to support the children's learning.

Parents - I/We will:

- Make sure my child arrives at school in full school uniform, on time and properly equipped.
- Make sure my child is collected on time by an authorised adult.
- Help my child with the work they bring home and listen to them read.
- Let the school know about any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour at the earliest opportunity.
- Supervise and role model appropriate online behaviour.
- Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour, including use of appropriate discipline at home and
 ensuring supervision in the playground at the start and end of the day and model appropriate behaviour when
 in school grounds or at school events.
- Respect and adhere to school ethos, vision and values.
- Work together with staff in the best interests of our pupils.
- Treat all members of the school community with respect.
- Read all communication and reply promptly, if necessary.
- Attend parents' evenings as well as other meetings about my child's progress.

The school will:

- Encourage your child to do their best at school.
- Offer a broad, balanced and engaging curriculum.
- Offer and maintain an inviting and safe learning environment.
- Inform you of your child's progress at regular meetings.
- Keep you informed about what teachers aim to teach the children each term.
- Send home regular homework with clear explanations and give feedback.
- Keep parents informed about school activities through regular letters/emails, newsletters, text messages and notices about special events.

Together we will:

- Support your child's learning to help them achieve their best.
- Encourage your child to adhere to the school rules.
- Work to support all needs of your child.
- Ensure that we all take care of the school environment and equipment.
- Support pupils in knowing what equipment they need, on which days and reminding them to bring it to school.
- Promote and instil values that support your child in engaging with the wider society.