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# Church Lench CE First School Parent Code of Conduct Policy 2023

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At the heart of the school is our belief that 'with God nothing is impossible', which allows our children to have high aspirations and know that they are part of a loving family. We have a flexible, child-led, broad and balanced curriculum where every child can thrive in a happy, inclusive and safe environment.

### **Who are we?**

*'Love one another, just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another'*  
*John 13:34*

Our vision at Church Lench CE First School is to create an environment where children and staff feel loved and are happy. We guide our children to become confident, independent and resilient young members of society.

### **Why are we here?**

*'So in Christ, we though many, form one body and each member belongs to all the others'*  
*Romans 12:5*

We enable our children to support and respect others beliefs and backgrounds knowing we are all children of God and created in his image. We help our children to develop a good knowledge and understanding of keeping safe in the wider world and protecting themselves from potential harm. We aim for all our children to make a positive contribution to the community and wider society.

### **How then shall we live?**

*'I can do all things through him who strengthens me'*  
*Philippians 4:13*

We encourage our children to have high hopes, feel happy and confident to take risks. We foster perseverance and courage in all areas of life.

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### Parental/Carer Code of Conduct Policy

***Responsibility. Hope. Perseverance. Thankfulness. Compassion***

***Rationale:***

We believe staff, parents and children are entitled to a safe and protective environment in which to work. Behaviour that will cause harassment, alarm or distress to users of the premises is contrary to the aims of the school.

***Aims:***

That all members of the school community treat each other with respect

***Expectation.***

That adults set a good example to children at all times, showing them how to get along with all members of the school and the wider community

That no members of staff, parents, contractors or children are the victims of abusive behaviour or open to threats from other adults on the school premises.

Physical attacks and threatening behaviour, abusive or insulting language verbal or written, to staff, governors, parents and carers, children and other users of the school premises will not be tolerated and will result in withdrawal of permission to be on school premises.

Any parent who is asked to leave the school premises will have the right to appeal the decision by writing to the Chair of Governors

Please note that incidents of rudeness will be logged with the Chair of Governors

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### **Guidelines**

Types of behaviour that are considered serious and unacceptable and will not be tolerated towards any member of the school community:

This is not an exhaustive list but seeks to provide illustrations of such behaviour:

- Shouting, either in person or over the telephone
- Inappropriate posting on social networking sites deemed as bullying
- Speaking in an aggressive/threatening tone
- Physically intimidating , e.g. standing very close
- The use of aggressive hand gestures/exaggerated movements
- Physical threats
- Shaking or holding a fist towards another person
- Swearing
- Pushing
- Hitting e.g. slapping, punching or kicking
- Spitting
- Racist or sexist comments

Unacceptable behaviour may result in the police being informed.

The school reserves the right to take any necessary actions to ensure that members of the school community are not subjected to abuse.

School premises are private property and parents have been granted permission from the school to be on school premises. However, in case of abuse or threats to staff, pupils or other parents, school may ban parents from entering school.

It is also an offence under section 547 of the Education Act 1997 for any person (including a parent) to cause a nuisance or disturbance on school premises. The police may be called to assist in removing the person concerned.

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School is not responsible for organising arrangements for children in the above circumstances. Parents will need to provide alternative arrangements for bringing children into school.

Parents have the right of appeal by writing to the Chair of Governors within ten days of permission to enter the school premises being withdrawn.

### ***Responsibilities:***

It is the responsibility of the Head teacher and Governors to monitor and review this policy.

Signed: *S Price*

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