

**St Philip's Catholic Primary School**  
**Home-School Agreement**  
**Academic Year 2012-2013**

**On behalf of the School:**

*I agree with the contents of this Home-School Agreement.*

Signature:

Mrs C Hinton - Headteacher

Date: 1 September 2012

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**On behalf of the Family:**

*I/We agree with the contents of this Home-School Agreement.*

Signature:

Parents/Guardians

Date:

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**On behalf of the Pupil:**

*I agree with the contents of this Home-School Agreement.*

Pupil's Name:

Year:

Signature:

Date:

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*Please complete, sign, and detach this portion of the leaflet only and return it to school as soon as possible*

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The staff and governors of St Philip's Catholic Primary School welcome you and your child.

We believe that a strong partnership between school and home is essential to your child's development and ask you to enter into this Home School Agreement with us.

This agreement sets out that:

***The school will:***

1. enable your children to learn and grow in a Catholic community;
2. work towards raising your children's standard of achievement in all areas;
3. work in partnership with parents regarding their children's welfare and education;
4. provide a safe, secure and supportive learning environment for your children;
5. treat your children as a valued member of the school community;
6. encourage children to show respect for all members of the school community;
7. inform parents of their children's progress at regular meetings;
8. set regular homework as appropriate;
9. contact parents if we have any concerns;
10. ensure that there is always someone at school for pupils to talk to if they have any worries;
11. behave in a courteous way towards all parents and pupils at all times;

***The pupils will follow the five school rules:***

1. call everyone by their given name.
2. we listen to the person who is speaking.
3. keep your hands and feet to yourself.
4. walk everywhere in and around the school.
5. take care of, and have respect for everyone's belongings.

***The family will:***

1. work together with the school to help realise our Mission Statement;
2. support the school's Catholic ethos, behaviour policy and school uniform policy;
3. make every effort not to take children out of school during term time;
4. ensure children arrive at school on time, and that they are collected from school on time;
5. ensure children attend school each day, informing the school if children are absent and later providing a note of explanation;
6. ensure children complete all homework and return it to school on time;
7. attend Parents Evenings to discuss their child's progress once a term;
8. allow the school to resolve any problems that may arise between children;
9. support school events where possible;
10. behave in a courteous way towards all members of staff at all times;

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN TO SCHOOL



## ***St Philip's School Uniform***

### **Boys**

White shirt or polo shirt and school tie: royal blue school jumper (Year 6 wear navy blue jumpers): dark grey or black trousers: sensible black shoes:

### **Girls**

White shirt or polo shirt and school tie: royal blue school jumper (Year 6 wear navy blue jumpers): Dark grey or black skirt/ dark grey or black uniform trousers: sensible flat heeled black shoes:

### **Girls - Summer Alternative**

Blue gingham dress: royal blue school jumper or cardigan: sensible flat heeled black shoes or sandals.

- Trainers should not be worn to school
- Jewellery should not be worn at school
- Long hair should be tied back throughout the school day

### **Hair Styles and Nail Varnish**

Hair shaving and sculpting (e.g. tram lines, ticks and other shavings) are not allowed. Hairstyles must be smart and neat. Use of gels or styling products should be minimal. For safety reasons all long hair (boys and girls) must be tied back at all times. Highlights, dyeing and colouring of hair is not allowed. Nail varnish is not allowed.

### **P.E. Kit**

All children from Y1-Y6 should have:  
Plain black or blue shorts: a plain white T-shirt and a pair of pumps: all kept in a PE bag which can be purchased from the office.

## ***School Behaviour Expectation***

Children are expected to:

Behave sensibly and safely while at school;

Treat all members of our School Community with respect, kindness and care;

Treat school property, and that of others, with care.

- *Violent, abusive or intimidating behaviour, whether physical or verbal, will not be tolerated.*
- *Racist behaviour of any description is wholly unacceptable.*

Behaviour of this nature will result in the child being removed from class until a meeting has been held with his/her parents, and an individual behaviour plan agreed.

Subsequent behaviour will be closely monitored and reported back to parents, who will be expected to support the school in ensuring a safe, secure, happy and supportive environment for everyone in our school community.

The School's ***No Smoking*** policy applies to all areas of the building and grounds.

In the interest of children's safety we do not allow dogs to be brought into the school grounds.

Verbal or physical abuse by parents to any member of the school community is unacceptable and may result in a ban from the school premises.

*We respectfully request all adults entering the school grounds to set an example to the children by showing politeness and respect towards one another at all times*

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**St Philip's Catholic Primary School**

**Messenger Rd, Smethwick**

**West Midlands, B66 3DU**

**Tel: 0121 558 1643**



## **School Mission Statement**

***“To develop everyone’s full Potential  
by learning and working  
Together Through Christ”***

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