



## Mosscroft Home School Agreement

### **Vision statement**

Mosscroft Primary School prides itself on its commitment to developing an inclusive community of learners. Motivating and challenging learners in a creative, enjoyable and secure environment, Mosscroft aims to develop thoughtful and responsible young people with high self esteem, a love of life, a thirst for knowledge and motivation, skills and knowledge to lead healthy, successful, happy lives.

We strive to ensure that children develop respect for themselves, each other, their families, our local community and the wider environment. Mosscroft has high aspirations for all learners. We encourage a love of lifelong learning, and as a community are committed to every learner's success.

We acknowledge that to achieve our vision this is achieved most effectively when all staff, parents and children understand their responsibilities and work together to achieve the same goals, as set out in our home/ school agreement.

### **As a school we will:**

#### The Learning Environment:

Our school will:

- Provide your child with a high standard of education to enable them to achieve their potential and make progress across a broad and balanced curriculum.
- Ensure our learning environment is stimulating and challenging.
- Celebrate your child's academic and personal achievements.
- Provide the support and guidance needed to enable your child to achieve their full potential.
- Care for your child's safety and well being by observation and listening to them.

#### A happy, healthy community

Our school will:

- Teach your child to develop a positive attitude to one another, regardless of gender, race, culture, belief, values, age and need.
- Encourage your child to appreciate the role and responsibility within our community and help them to understand the wider world and see that they can impact on that too.
- Regularly meet with you to communicate the progress of your child, celebrating their strengths and explaining how we can support and help them in their areas for development.
- Provide information to you about our school including relevant policies, meetings, workshops, activities, newsletters and open days.
- Encourage and warmly welcome you into our school. Seek opportunities to ask you to contribute to our school. We recognize that the community of Mosscroft holds a wealth of talent, experience and enthusiasm that Mosscroft School could benefit richly from.
- Utilise Restorative Practice approaches to promote a caring environment.

#### Homework

Our school will:

- Provide clear information about homework tasks so that you will be able to help your child if required.
- Set differentiated and achievable homework that supports the development of basic skills in reading, spelling and maths.

- Set open ended, half termly project tasks that allow for individuality, creativity and promote family engagement on set tasks.
- Provide information and helpful training sessions for you that will give you confidence to support your child.

## **As parents/ carers we will**

### The Learning Environment:

I as a parent/carer will:

- Make sure my child attends school whenever they are fit to do so and follow the attendance guidelines whenever they are absent.
- Make sure that my child is punctual by ensuring they arrive by 8.55a.m.
- Make sure my child is wearing our school uniform, preferably labeled with their name, and with black school shoes.
- Make sure my child has their PE kit with them each week, preferably labeled with their name, including pumps.

### A Happy, Healthy Community

I as a parent/carer will:

- Let the school know of any concerns or worries that may be affecting my child's learning, behaviour or ability to do homework, as this can then be resolved quickly.
- Encourage a positive attitude towards my child's education and Mosscroft Primary. If I have concerns, I will come and discuss them with the school as it is much healthier to work out solutions together and move on from there.
- Support the school by encouraging my child to develop a positive attitude to all aspects of diversity both within our community and that which exists in a broader context.
- Attend meetings and appointment with my child's teacher and other support staff/professionals, aiming to be positive and productive, working together to move my child on in their learning.
- Support and work with the school to ensure that the behaviour management policies of the school are maintained, particularly with my child.
- Read all information sent home as this gives me important details of relevant policies, meetings, workshops and activities. Remember that the school website also contains lots of useful information.
- Ensure I am a positive role model to my own child and other children who attend Mosscroft whilst within the school, in the school grounds or within the immediate vicinity of the school. This includes the following considerations:
  - \*Make sure that I do not bring personal disputes into the school building or grounds. As a result I will treat everyone with respect and courtesy.
  - \*Ensure that my child is well supervised on the school grounds, both before the start of the school day and once my child has been dismissed
  - \*Make sure I do not bring any dog onto the school grounds
  - \*Make sure that I do not swear or use bad language
  - \*Refrain from smoking cigarettes or e cigarettes, including during events such as Sports Day

### Homework

I as a parent/carer will:

- Read with my child on a regular basis each week ( especially whilst they are in Foundation Stage; Key Stage 1, Lower Key Stage 2 and if they require additional support in Upper key stage 2).
- Support the school by making sure homework tasks are completed and returned on time.
- Use my own talents and experiences to enhance my child's learning at home – your child will benefit greatly from what you can show them, discuss with them and teach them.

**As a pupil of Mosscroft Primary School, I will:**

- Follow our school's core values and Golden Rules.
- Respect other children's and adults' culture, race, feelings, beliefs and values.
- Accept responsibility for the things that I do - always being truthful and honest.
- Be responsible for myself, the school, my homework and any other things I may need for school.
- Ask for help if I need it and try my best in all that I do.
- Ensure that I take home all school letters.
- Be kind and gentle and speak politely to everyone in school.
- Take good care of the school building, equipment and grounds.
- Behave in a safe way and follow our Restorative Practice approaches.
- Follow the school rule of not riding my bike or scooter on the school path or playground.
- Be helpful.
- Tell a member of staff if I am worried or unhappy.

**WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP FOR SUCCESS**

We all agree to live by our school core values of

**RESPECT, CARING, FAIRNESS, TOLERANCE, RESPONSIBILITY and HONESTY**

Signed:

School: .....

Parent/s:.....

Child:..... Year Group:.....

Date:.....