

Werrington Primary School

School Discipline and Welfare

We expect our pupils to:-

- be well-behaved and courteous in and out of the classroom
- have respect for the environment, other people and their belongings
- observe safety guidance and instructions given to them
- exhibit a high degree of self-discipline
- work hard to achieve their level of ability
- work and move around the school quietly
- listen to other people and work together
- act responsibly and follow the instructions of people in charge
- be aware of their own safety and the safety of others at all times

We try to instil a sense of right and wrong through personal and social education, which takes place in lesson times, assemblies and discussions.

The school strives to create a happy and orderly atmosphere in which meaningful work and play can take place effectively. Self-discipline is positively encouraged. Children are reminded regularly of our rules and what is expected of them. The safety and welfare of the children form the basis of the rules that exist. Should a serious problem arise, parents will be informed and fully consulted at the earliest possible opportunity. Minor misdemeanours are dealt with informally in accordance with school policy.

School procedures are outlined and fully discussed at regular parent/teacher consultations. Interim changes are notified by letter. Newsletters are produced at least once every half term (parents in any doubt about these matters should contact the Headteacher).

Occasionally, we take children on visits to the local library, the church and local secondary schools. Please sign the form which grants us permission to take the children out of school if required. **They will always be adequately supervised.**

The form also makes reference to permission regarding photographs of the children. We need your permission for photographs being taken which may subsequently be printed in the local press. Please sign the form granting permission. In addition, if you are taking photos of activities at school, you will be asked to sign another form on the day.