



Building Personal Success

### Our Parent Code of Conduct Expectations

Brampton Primary lies at the heart of our community where the children's learning is paramount, and the learning of the whole school community is highly valued.

#### Our Values

We feel that when children feel valued, safe and are well supported and are appropriately challenged, they make good progress and achieve well.

To this end, we work hard to ensure there is very much a family feel here, even though we are a large primary school, with well over 900 pupils. It is also our belief that children achieve most when the home and school are working together, so we see parents/carers as partners in their education.

#### We are a Rights Respecting School

##### Article 3

The best interests of the child must be a top priority in all decisions and actions that affect children.



##### Article 29

Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

The purpose of this code of conduct is to provide a reminder to all parents, carers and visitors to our school about the expected conduct. This is so that we can ensure and present an atmosphere of mutual understanding.

#### Partnership

Our parents and carers are aware that educating children is a process that involves partnership between parents, class teachers and the school community.



A successful partnership requires a good working relationship to equip children with the necessary skills for adulthood. For those reasons we continue to welcome and encourage parents/carers to participate fully in the life of our school.

#### Respect and Care for the Whole School Community when taking Photos and Videos

We are happy for parents and carers to take photos and video for personal use during School performances but request that these images are not distributed or put online if they contain images of other children, adults or staff without consent. This will help protect all members of the Whole School community.



We trust that our parents and carers will assist our school with the implementation of this code of conduct and would like to

**THANKYOU**

for your continuing support to the school.

It is important for parents and carers to make sure any persons collecting their children are aware of this policy.



#### Our expectations of parents and carers

We expect parents, carers and other visitors to:

- Respect the ethos, vision and values of our school
- Work together with staff in the best interests of our students
- Maintain reasonable expectations for staff response to general communications (five working days)
- Treat members of the school community with respect - setting a good example with speech and behavior
- Seek a peaceful and reasonable solution to all issues
- Seek to clarify a child's version of events with the school's view in order to bring about a peaceful solution to any issue
- Correct their own child's behaviour (or those in their care), particularly in public, where it could lead to conflict, aggression or unsafe conduct
- Approach the right member of school staff to help resolve any issues of concern, following up if an appropriate response has not been received.

We trust that parents will assist our school with the implementation of this policy, and we thank you for your continuing support of the school.



### **Behaviour that will not be tolerated:**

- ❖ Disruptive behaviour which interferes or threatens to interfere with any of the schools normal operation or activities anywhere on the school premises.
- ❖ Any inappropriate behaviour on the school premises such as using loud or offensive language or displaying temper.
- ❖ Threatening in any way, a member of staff, visitor, fellow parent/carer or child.
- ❖ Damaging or destroying school property.
- ❖ Sending abusive or threatening emails or text/voicemail/phone messages or other written communications (including social media) to anyone within the school community.
- ❖ Defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments regarding the school or any of the pupils/parents/staff/governors at the school on Facebook or other Social sites.
- ❖ The use of physical, verbal or written aggression towards another adult or child. This includes physical punishment of your own child on school premises.
- ❖ Approaching someone else's child in order to discuss or chastise them because of the actions of this child towards their own child (such an approach to a child may be seen to be an assault on that child and may have legal consequences).
- ❖ Smoking, taking illegal drugs or the consumption of alcohol on school premises.
- ❖ Dogs being brought on to the school premises, unless they can be carried or they are guide dogs.

**This is not an exhaustive list.**

### **Breaching the code of conduct**

If the school suspects, or becomes aware, that a parent has breached the code of conduct, the school may take any of the following actions:

- Send a warning letter to the parent
- Invite the parent into school to meet with senior member of staff or the Headteacher
- Ending a meeting if this behaviour is displayed
- Not replying to communications that are offensive, abusive or derogatory
- Insist that the adult communicates with the school through one member of staff only
- Contact the appropriate authorities
- Consider banning the offending adult from entering the school grounds

**The school will always respond to an incident in a proportional way.**

**Please remember you can communicate in the following ways:**

1. Speak directly to the class teacher
2. Approach a member of the Senior Leadership Team (SLT)
3. Send us an email [info@brampton.newham.sch.uk](mailto:info@brampton.newham.sch.uk)
4. Put a suggestion in our suggestion box

**These issues can be resolved fairly, appropriately and effectively for all concerned.**

**Thank you for abiding by this code in our school.  
Together we create a positive and uplifting environment not only for the children but also all who work and visit our school.**

**Mrs P Kettory  
Head Teacher**



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## **Code of Conduct for Parents, Carers and Visitors**

### **Brampton Primary School**



**This Code of Conduct is an unsigned agreement between the Parent, Carer, Visitor and Brampton Primary School.**

**Rights Respecting School with UNICEF UK  
Promoting and deepening children's understanding of one of the 54 Rights Respecting Articles.**

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