

Home / School Agreement

When you choose to send your child to our school, we all make a commitment to enter this home/school agreement.

School

Our school will:

- Provide a balanced and diverse curriculum of the highest quality to meet the needs of all children,
- Provide a safe, secure and caring learning environment,
- Teach and encourage the children to do their best and to achieve their full potential as a valued member of the school community,
- Develop in each child positive values and a caring attitude towards the school community and the environment,
- Promote high standards of behaviour and have a clear and consistent approach to rewards and sanctions so we can maintain a safe environment for all children,
- Offer children opportunities to develop a sense of responsibility, form healthy social relationships and build their self-esteem,
- Regularly meet with parents to communicate the progress of their child, celebrating their strengths and explaining how we can support them in their areas for development,
- Be welcoming and offer opportunities for parents to become involved in the life of the school,
- Contact parents as soon as concerns are raised about their child's learning, attitude, wellbeing or behaviour,
- Communicate between home and school through accessible notices, policies, meetings, book looks, newsletters, text, email and the school website,
- Respond to communications from parents and carers in a timely manner, following school policies,
- Encourage good attendance and punctuality, and address any concerns with parents or carers.

Parent

As a parent/carer I will:

- Be committed to support the school's vision, ethos and values,
- Encourage my child to demonstrate a positive attitude towards our diverse, multi-cultural society,
- Encourage my child to try their best so they can reach their full potential,
- Be committed to ensure that my child achieves a high level of attendance and not take children out of school during term time,

- Ensure that each day my child is punctual, properly equipped and ready to learn,
- Ensure that my child wears the correct school uniform and brings their PE kit to school where necessary,
- Inform the school if my child is absent by telephone or email every day that they are absent with a clear explanation of why they are absent,
- Raise any concerns or problems that might affect my child's ability to learn or behave appropriately,
- Collaborate with the school in order to achieve the best outcomes for my child,
- Support my child with home learning opportunities and support my child to read daily,
- Attend meetings with my child's teacher and other staff, aiming to be positive and productive, working towards moving my child on in their learning and supporting their wellbeing,
- Support the school to make sure my child maintains good behaviour,
- Inform the school immediately of any changes to parent/carer and emergency contact details,
- Treat all members of the school community with care and respect face to face, in meetings, by correspondence and on social media,
- Communicate with all school staff in a polite and respectful way at all times
- Support the school approach to online safety and not deliberately upload or add any images, video, sounds or text that could upset or offend any member of the school community,
- Understand that I should communicate with staff during core school hours, and although they may at times respond outside of those hours, I can't always expect that,
- Read and follow the school's policies,
- Read all communications sent home by the school and respond where necessary.

Child

I will:

- Support the vision of the school:
Be ready,
Be respectful,
Be responsible,
- Work hard, listen carefully to instructions and follow the school rules,
- Try to do my best work and ask for help if I need it,
- Come to school regularly and on time,
- Behave well at all times to maintain the safety of myself and others,
- Be polite, friendly and helpful to other children and adults,
- Tell somebody if there is something I am not happy about or am worried about,
- Read with my parent or independently every day,
- Wear my school uniform with pride and wear the correct school uniform every day,

- Bring all the equipment I need every day which may include my PE kit, forest school kit, bag and reading book,
- Look after the school equipment and be respectful of the school environment,
- Behave appropriately on the way to and from school.

Vision

Bengeo will be a happy school where children develop the curiosity, resilience, passion and emotional intelligence to achieve and thrive.