

The Winterton Federation Written Statement of Behaviour Principles

Rationale and purpose

1. This statement has been written in accordance with [Section 88\(2\) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006](#) and [DfE guidance Behaviour and Discipline in Schools, January 2016](#).
2. The purpose of this statement is to provide guidance for the Executive Headteacher and team in drawing up The Winterton Federation Behaviour Policy so that it reflects the high expectations, values and ethos set out by The Winterton Federation Board of Governors.
3. The Winterton Federation Behaviour Policy is publicised to staff and families on The Winterton Federation website. Staff and Governor codes of conduct are used at Induction Training and revisited annually.

Foundations

The principles are underpinned by The Winterton Federation Strategy which is informed by the following foundations

1. Article 28 of the United Nations Rights of the Child - That all children have a right to a good quality education.
2. The Church of England vision for education “Educating for Dignity and Respect: Our commitment to the dignity and ultimate worth of each person, rooted in each being created in the image of God and loved by God, is further shaped by the person, teaching and example of Jesus”
3. Our agreed values and The Winterton Federation Code of Conduct

Be polite and respectful and full of hope, Be a hard worker and a good friend
Be truthful and trustworthy, Be kind, helpful and forgiving
Live peacefully with yourself and others
Be your best self

ALL DAY, EVERY DAY

Church School Values: TRUST; PEACE; FRIENDSHIP; HOPE; TRUTHFULNESS; FORGIVENESS

4. It is recognised that some pupils will need additional support to reach the expected standard of behaviour. Where possible, this support should be identified and put in place as soon as possible to avoid misbehaviour occurring in the first place.

The Principles

1. The Governing Board of The Winterton Federation believe that excellent behaviour leads to excellent learning. To achieve this aim for every pupil the board expects the highest standards of behaviour of themselves, the staff and the pupils in the way they conduct themselves daily and in all their relationships.
2. The Governing Board of The Winterton Federation believes that The Winterton Federation values and code of conduct should guide this excellent behaviour and inform the behaviour policy and any relevant codes of conduct.
3. The Governing Board of The Winterton Federation believe that our fundamental approach to behaviour should be one of positivity where good behaviour is modelled by ALL adults and praised when identified in our children?
4. The Governing Board of The Winterton Federation ask that expectations and any relevant rules should be clearly set out and clearly communicated in order that all adults and pupils understand, without ambiguity, what is expected of them in relation to their conduct both inside and outside The Winterton Federation campus.

These principles inform both the governor and staff codes of conduct as well as the behaviour policy and are used in conjunction with our Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy, Anti Bullying Policy, Exclusions Policy, Dignity at Work and any other relevant policy.

This statement was written and approved by the Governing Board in the Autumn Term 2022. It will be reviewed annually by the Keeping Safe and Well Committee and brought to the board, in line with the Department for Education guidance, and in line with The Winterton Federation Behaviour Policy.