



## **Home – School Agreement**

A successful education must be based on a strong partnership between students, parents or carers, and the school. All partners must recognise their responsibilities and seek to carry them out to the best of their abilities.

### **The responsibilities of students**

I will:

- come to school every day and on time
- bring all the equipment I need every day
- wear the school uniform and be tidy in appearance
- work hard in my lessons and make the most of the opportunities offered to me
- attempt all homework set and hand it in on time
- be polite, cooperative and helpful towards all others in the school
- follow instructions promptly
- follow the school rules and accept the school's behaviour for learning code
- look after my books and equipment
- ensure that all letters, information, reports and news from the school reach my parents/carers;
- respect and maintain the good reputation of Backwell School in person, communication and online

### **The responsibilities of parents/carers**

I/We will:

- send my/our child to school punctually, correctly dressed and with all necessary equipment
- support my/our child's completion of homework by providing a quiet place to work and regularly check status of home learning that has been set
- encourage a positive attitude to school by taking an interest in my child's learning and participating and supporting school events
- support the authority of the school in its expectations of hard work, good behaviour, respect for others and care of school equipment and premises
- respond quickly to enquiries about my/our child's education and welfare
- make every effort to attend meetings and parents' evenings affecting my/our child's progress
- make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect my/our child's work or behaviour
- ensure that my/our child attends school regularly
- raise any concerns about/to the school promptly through the correct school channels

### **The responsibilities of the school**

The school will:

- aim for the highest standards of work and wellbeing through good teaching and pastoral care
- provide your child with regular feedback both on classwork and home learning
- report regularly on your child's progress and keep you informed of any concerns
- respond quickly to all enquiries about your child's education and welfare
- provide information and offer opportunities for you to know more about and be involved in the daily life of the school
- demand the highest standards of behaviour and administer the behaviour for learning code and disciplinary procedures with firmness and fairness