

### Responsibilities of parent/carers

- Having chosen Holy Trinity C of E Infant School for your child, accept the school's Christian values, positively supporting the school.
- Ensure that your child attends school punctually every day during term time, unless there is a good reason for absence (e.g. illness).
- Notify the school by telephone in the event of absence, on the first morning and each consecutive morning.
- Support the school's policies and guidelines on learning, behavior and uniform.
- Attend parent/teacher meetings to discuss your child's progress.
- Support your child with homework that is set, including reading.
- Keep us informed of where to contact you in case of emergency.
- Promptly inform the school of any concerns or problems that may affect your child's learning, behavior or happiness at school.
- Support school in the teaching of safe and secure internet use at home.

### Responsibilities of the children:

- Respect and follow our School Values.
- Respect and follow our Rainbow Rules.
- Try your best and work hard.
- Remember that this is a safe space to make mistakes.

As the parents/carers of.....

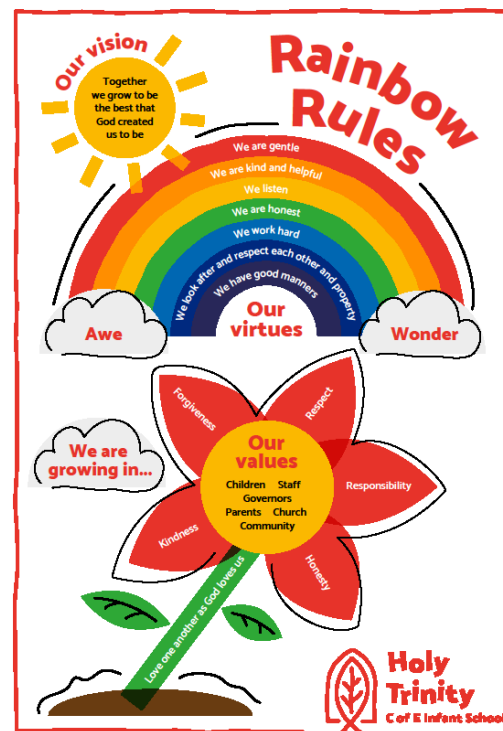
I/we takes note of the content of the agreement and accept the parental responsibilities and the responsibilities of the pupils.

Parents/carers signature.....

Date.....

## Holy Trinity C of E Infant School

### Home School Agreement



Together we grow to be the best that God Created us to be.

*Rooted in: Love one another as God loves us (John 13:34)*

### **Our Values:**

All of our values are underpinned by love. They ensure that we achieve our vision to help everyone to fulfil their potential within a Christian and caring environment and have 'life in all its fullness'.

#### **Respect**

We aim for all children to respect themselves, others and their communities and to take pride in all that they do.

*'Treat people in the same way that you want them to treat you.'* Luke 6:31

#### **Kindness**

We aim for all children to understand what it means to be kind and show kindness and compassion to others.

*'Be kind, compassionate and forgiving to each other, in the same way God forgave you in Christ'* Ephesians 4:32

#### **Honesty**

We aim for all children to understand the importance of honesty, using the language of making good and bad choices.

*'Each of you must tell the truth to your neighbour because we are part of each other in the same body.'* Ephesians 4:25

#### **Forgiveness**

We aim for all children to understand what it means to forgive and be forgiven.

*'If you forgive others their sins your heavenly Father will also forgive you.'* Matthew 6:14

#### **Responsibility**

We aim for all children to understand and show what it means to be responsible, becoming independent and role models to others by always doing the right things even when no one is looking.

*'Whatever you do, do it from the heart for the Lord and not for people'* Colossians 3:23

### **Behaviour**

At Holy Trinity we believe that a positive approach to behaviour helps children to take responsibility for their actions by encouraging them to make the right choices.

Our Rainbow Rules were devised by the children and form the basis of our school's behaviour and reward philosophy and practice. They are displayed prominently around the school. The children are taught about how each of our Rainbow Rules help us to live out our school values and vision.

#### **Rainbow Rules:**

- We are gentle
- We are kind and helpful
- We listen
- We are honest
- We work hard
- We look after and respect each other and property
- We have good manners

#### **Responsibilities of the school**

- To provide an environment that is happy, stimulating, safe and welcoming where each child is valued as a unique individual.
- To provide equality of opportunity so that each child can develop to the best of their ability, regardless of gender, race, culture and religion.
- To support the development of self-esteem and self-confidence so that every child can feel accepted and valued.
- To foster a partnership between parents/carers, governors, school and other agencies.
- To encourage children to show respect for the feelings of others.
- To encourage children to care for one another.
- To foster positive attitudes to learning so that children can develop enquiring minds.
- To provide a broad and balanced curriculum that includes opportunities for children's spiritual, emotional, physical, moral and social development.
- To keep parents/carers informed of their child's progress through termly meetings and targets, and an annual report.

Signed on behalf of the school:

