Barrow Hill Primary Academy

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Home School Agreement

We have revised our home school agreement to reflect the changes we are implementing to ensure that staff, children and the local community remain as safe as possible. All parties must agree and follow the agreement.

The School

The school will;

- Provide as safe an environment as possible which has been cleaned and prepared as thorough risk assessment has dictated in response to the COVID-19 pandemic;
- Adhere to the social distancing rules as set out by the government in so much as is reasonably possible;
- Continue to provide a curriculum that meets the needs of your child's well-being, mental health and academic needs
- Contact parents/carers if your child displays any of the recognisably associated symptoms of COVID-19 and ask you to take them home, self-isolate and follow current government guidance
- o Inform you if staff or children in your child's 'bubble' show recognisably associated symptoms of COVID-19. Under the guidance of health care professionals, this may mean you will all need to self-isolate.
- Continue our clear and consistent approach to rewards and sanctions for children as set out in the Behaviour Policy as well the expectations and procedures outlined in this agreement;
- o Communicate frequently through text messages and the school website alongside phoning in emergencies or if one of the triggers mentioned above is activated.

Signed: RSVolden-Page

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The Parent

To best support my child and the school, I understand that:

- o I will not attempt to 'mask' any symptoms my child may have by using overthe-counter drugs, as this puts other children and staff at risk.
- o If my child, or anyone in my household, shows symptoms of CV-19, I **will not** send them to school. We will self-isolate for up to 14 days as a family & will be tested. I will let the school know the results as soon as possible via telephone;
- When dropping or picking up my child, I will stick strictly to the school's published timings for my child's bubble & will adhere to the 2-metre social distancing rules;
- o Apart from packed lunch (if not having a school packed lunch) & water bottles, my child will not bring any items into school or take any items home, from school.
- If my child forgets their packed lunch or water bottle at home, I will deliver it to school in a clean, labelled container and place it outside the school gate for collection by a member of staff
- o If my child, or another child in the 'bubble', shows symptoms of COVID-19 at school, I will collect my child as soon as is practically possible;
- o I will remind my child about social distancing rules but accept they are difficult to follow and that my child may not always do this successfully;
- o My child must use good respiratory and hand hygiene;
- o I will not be allowed into the school without a pre-arranged appointment, made only via telephone or email;
- I need to support all staff in their efforts to create an 'as safe as possible' environment;
- o I must read all letters/messages that are sent home;
- o I will inform the school immediately of any changes to parents/carer and emergency contacts details.
- o If my child is deemed unsafe, he/she will be sent home and cannot return to school until they can be safe.
- I will support my child with their learning at home prioritising listening to them
 read and practicing their tables.

Signed:



The Child

I will do my best to:

- o Follow the instructions, first time, every time
- Follow the social distancing rules around school and in the playground including not attempting to mix with children outside of my bubble;
- Not bring things into school from home, or take things home from school (apart from my hat, packed lunch and water bottle);
- o Only use the equipment provided to me by school and no other;
- Only enter and exit the school building from the designated gate and by following the one-way system;
- Follow good hygiene: coughing and sneezing into elbow or tissue (catch it-bin it-kill it);
- Follow good hand hygiene use soap and water for 20 seconds or a hand sanitiser regularly throughout the day;
- o Behave well at all times to maintain the safety of myself and others;
- Put my hands up if I want to gain the teacher's attention or I need to move from my desk/zone
- o Not touch my face;
- Tell an adult if I feel poorly;
- o Work hard and be the best I can be;
- Follow these expectations and know that if I don't, I could be sent home and would not be able to come back into school until I could show I would be safe again.
- o Practice my learning at home including reading and practicing my times tables.

Signed: