

# Parent Code of Conduct

## We ask parents and carers to:

- Respect the school's values and ethos.
- Work with staff in the best interests of their child.
- Treat everyone in the school community with respect – through words, tone and behaviour.
- Approach the school calmly to resolve concerns.
- Support their child to follow school rules and correct poor behaviour.
- Be responsible for children's behaviour at school events (e.g. fairs, discos).
- Never use staff as a threat to manage behaviour.

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## Behaviour we cannot accept:

- Disruptive, aggressive or threatening behaviour on school grounds or at school events.
- Shouting, swearing or abusive language.
- Threats, intimidation or physical aggression towards staff, pupils or other parents.
- Damage to school property.
- Abusive or offensive emails, messages or posts on social media.
- Smoking, alcohol (except at authorised events), or drugs on site.
- Bringing dogs on site (guide dogs excepted).

If such behaviour occurs, parents may be asked to leave the premises. In serious cases, the school may involve authorities or ban entry to the site.

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## If you have a concern:

1. Speak to the class teacher (via the office).
2. If unresolved, meet with a senior leader.
3. If still unresolved, meet with the Headteacher.
4. If necessary, follow the Governors' complaints procedure.

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## Use of Social Media

We encourage positive use of our school's social media channels. However, social media must **not** be used to:

- Post negative, abusive or offensive comments about staff, pupils or parents.
- Share defamatory remarks or bring the school into disrepute.
- Post photos/videos of children if asked not to.
- Challenge school policies or discuss individual issues publicly.

Any inappropriate online behaviour will be taken seriously and dealt with accordingly.

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## Thank you for your support

By sending your child to Loose Primary School, you agree to follow this Code of Conduct. Together, we can ensure our school remains a safe, respectful and welcoming community for all.