HARLINGTON LOWER SCHOOL HOME/SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Together, as partners in the education of the children at Harlington Lower School, we aim to uphold this agreement to develop a happy, caring atmosphere within the school and to value each individual irrespective of race, culture and religious belief.

The Parents/Guardians

I/We shall:

- ensure that my child arrives at school on time, properly equipped with named belongings
- notify the school by email and provide an explanation if my child is absent.
- attend parents' evenings and discussions about my child's progress
- support my child in homework and other opportunities for home learning
- read with my child at home
- contact the school with any concerns or problems that may affect my child's work or behaviour
- support the school's values, policies and guidelines for behaviour, uniform, dress code and homework
- aim to become involved in the life of the school and support school/ Friends events and functions
- get to know as much as possible about my child's life at school
- foster a positive attitude towards education and the school and use discretion when discussing issues or grievances in front of children, as these may have negative effect on their outlook
- not use social media in such a way to cause grievance to the school or bring disrepute to the school, other parents and/ or children

Parent/Guardian's signature

The Child

I shall:

- work hard and try my best at all times
- be helpful, kind and polite to others
- take pride in myself, my class and the school
- behave well in school and in the playground
- treat other people and my surroundings with respect
- remember to bring the right equipment to school (book bag and PE Kit)
- return library books weekly
- tell an adult at school or at home if I am worried about any part of my school life
- complete my homework on time and to the best of my ability (Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4)
- follow the school rules of being respectful, responsible and staying safe

The School

We shall:

- provide a safe, welcoming, caring environment for children, thus encouraging learning
- nurture a positive learning attitude and provide a broad and balanced curriculum
- contact parents if there is a problem with attendance, punctuality or equipment
- let parents know about any concerns or problems that affect their child's work or behaviour
- achieve high standards of work and behaviour throughout the school
- provide information on the child's progress at regular meetings and in a written Summer report
- provide simple homework tasks when appropriate in addition to regular reading, spellings and time tables
- encourage parents to be involved in school life and activities
- encourage and support every child to do their best at all times developing independence and responsibility in the community
- encourage children to show a care for their surroundings and other people through following the school rules
- deal effectively with any incidents of misbehaviour or bullying

Head teacher's signature

Mrs C. White

Trustees

We will:

- endeavour to raise the standards of education in our school by working with the Senior Management Team and staff
- attend training sessions when appropriate
- attend meetings regularly
- demand the highest educational standards
- consider the school aims and policies
- decide the conduct of the school
- appoint, promote and support staff
- plan and ensure the effective use of resources and finances
- act as a link between the school and the community

Chair of Trustee signature

Mr K Kingham

Friends of Harlington Lower School

We will:

- raise the profile of parental contributions
- develop social relationships through holding events for adults / children
- organise fund raising events
- ensure funds raised are put back into school through the purchase of equipment, facilities or experiences
- work with staff and parents on shared projects

Chair of FRIENDS signature

Mr & Mrs Fishpool

CHILD'S NAME.....

Child's signature