

## **Statement of Behaviour Principles**

### **Purpose**

This document contains the Governors' statement of principles for Behaviour. It is used to guide the Headteacher in drawing up the school Behaviour Policy. The actual production and implementation of the Behaviour Policy is the responsibility of the Headteacher, with the support of the governors.

### **The Governors' Values, Beliefs and Principles**

The Governing Body of Little Hadham Primary School wish the school to promote these values, beliefs and principles in the School Behaviour Policy:

- We are building a safe, secure, caring and happy learning environment.
- Everyone values and respects themselves and each other, reflecting the Protective Behaviours Themes:
  - We all have the right to feel safe all the time.
  - Nothing is so awful that we can't talk about it.
- Children are encouraged to foster a sense of enquiry and develop questioning skills, incorporating challenge and resilience.
- High expectations are held by all in both work and behaviour.
- We believe in fostering positive relationships and developing partnerships between parents, staff, children and the wider community.
- We embrace diversity and promote equal opportunities and inclusion for all.
- We encourage self-esteem and confidence in both independent and collaborative learning.
- We promote the development of life skills, including staying healthy.

The governors expect the Behaviour Policy and any other related policies or procedure to be produced in accordance with equality legislation and the duty to eliminate discrimination.

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