



Written Statement of Behaviour Principles

for

The Pathfinder Church of England Primary School

- Every pupil understands they have the right to feel safe, valued and respected, and learn free from the disruption of others
- All pupils, staff and visitors are free from any form of discrimination
- Staff, volunteers and visitors set an excellent example to pupils at all times
- Rewards, sanctions and reasonable force (in exceptional situations) are used consistently by staff, in line with the behaviour policy
- The behaviour policy is understood by pupils and staff
- Staff, volunteers, visitors and pupils know who they can talk to if the behaviour of anyone in the school is not in line with school policy
- The behaviour policy explains that exclusions will only be used as a last resort, and outlines the processes involved in permanent and fixed-term exclusions
- Pupils are helped to take responsibility for their actions and be involved in the decision making of logical consequences
- Families are involved in behaviour incidents to foster good relationships between the school and pupils' home life

The governing board also emphasises that violence or threatening behaviour will not be tolerated in any circumstances.

This written statement of behaviour principles is reviewed and approved by the full governing body every year.