

Friday 9th June 2023

Parent Code of Conduct

Dear Parents/Carers,

At Norbridge Academy we are fortunate to have a supportive and friendly school community, who recognise that educating children is a process that involves partnership between home and school. As partners you will understand the importance of good working relationships to equip children with the necessary skills for adulthood. Therefore, it is important to remind all parents and carers the clear expectations of behaviour for all members of the school community on and off the school site.

We expect parents and carers to treat all members of the school community with respect – setting a good example with speech and behaviour.

Behaviour that will not be tolerated.

- Disrupting or threatening school operations (including events on the school grounds and sports team matches).
- Displaying a temper or shouting at members of staff, pupils, or other parents.
- Aggressive behaviour towards another child or adult.
- Posting defamatory, offensive, or derogatory comments about the school and its staff on social media platforms.

If the school suspects, or becomes aware, that a parent or carer has breached the code of conduct, further information will be gathered, and school may then:

- Send a warning letter to the parent.
- Invite the parent in to meet with a senior member of staff.
- Contact the appropriate authorities.
- Seek legal advice from our legal team (in cases of conduct that may be libellous or slanderous)
- Ban the parent from the school site.

The final decision for how to respond to breaches of code of conduct rests with the head teacher. A full copy of the parent code of conduct can be requested from the school office.

Thank you for your continued support.

Norbridge Academy