



## Home-School Agreement

### Introduction

The purpose of this Home-School Agreement is to assist us in working together in partnership. In this way, we can help our children and young people to achieve their very best and to be secure and happy because school staff and parents/carers are working together.

### School Ethos

*The school ethos is based on using positive relationships to achieve potential.*

Croft Community School has a caring and supportive environment, which aims to develop individuality, creativity and enthusiasm.

We are committed to setting high standards in all aspects of school life and to encourage pupils to be responsible members of the school and of the wider community.

### Our aims are to provide:

- Quality teaching and learning opportunities.
- A high level of pastoral support and care.
- A welcoming school linked to the wider community.
- Opportunities for individual development.

### The Standard of Education

All pupils receive a broad and balanced curriculum which is differentiated to meet individual interests and needs. The school uses the National Curriculum to ensure that all pupils access the full range of subjects and experiences to which they are entitled, offering appropriate levels of challenge and support to achieve highest possible outcomes.

### The Agreement

The remainder of this leaflet explains what the school, parents and carers, and pupils have agreed to ensure that we all work together effectively to achieve the very best education possible.

**The school will:**

- Provide a broad and balanced curriculum matched to the needs of all of its pupils
- Encourage pupils to attend school each day
- Provide support and strategies to meet individual needs
- Set homework where appropriate
- Keep parents and carers informed about their child's progress through:
  - Annual review and written report
  - Termly parents' meetings
  - Home-School Diary (where appropriate)
  - Newsletters
  - Verbal contact with those families who come into school to drop off/collect their child
- Let parents know of any concerns
- Positively encourage good, respectful behaviour
- Resolve any problems as quickly as possible
- Support children's learning to help them achieve their best
- Maintain effective safeguarding procedures to keep children safe

**Signed:** ..... **Head Teacher**

**The family will:**

- Ensure their child attends school daily each day unless s/he is unwell
- Contact school to explain absence by 9:30 on the first morning of absence
- Encourage their child to complete homework on time
- Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour
- Provide the school with emergency contact names, addresses & telephone numbers, details of any medication and any emergency procedures
- Let the school know about any concerns which may affect their child's progress
- Attend parents' evenings and other discussions on your child's progress
- Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour
- Ensure that pupils come to school in full school uniform, prepared for their day

**Signed:** ..... **Parent / Carer**



**The pupil will:**

- Come to school each day except when unwell
- Tell an adult about anything at school which makes them unhappy or worried
- Be respectful, helpful, and friendly to others
- Work with staff to help them to manage their own behaviour
- Wear school uniform

**Signed:** ..... **Pupil**