



# St Catherine's C of E Primary and Nursery School

## Home/ School Contract

St Catherine's is a Church of England School in the Diocese of Truro. As a result of its historical foundation, it will preserve and develop its religious character in accordance with the principles of the Church of England and in partnership with the Deanery of Trigg Major and the Diocese. The school aims to serve its community by providing an education of quality within the context of Christian belief and practice. It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith, and promotes Christian values through the experiences it offers all its pupils. *On the behalf of the school and the governing body, thank you for agreeing to work in partnership to provide the best for your child.*

### THE SCHOOL WILL ENSURE THAT:

- we are welcoming, open and honest
- we care for your child's safety and happiness
- we encourage your child to do their best at all times by developing their self esteem
- we provide a balanced creative curriculum and ensure individual needs are met
- we set high standards of pupil behaviour, attainment and progress
- we encourage your child to show respect for people, property and the world around them
- we inform you of our expectations of your child and his/her progress via reports and meetings
- we will work in partnership with parents and other agencies to ensure your child is allowed to thrive
- we will set behaviour and learning targets for your child early each year and these will be regularly reviewed
- we will ensure you know about school and class activities via newsletters and the school website
- we will inform you of any changes that may affect your child promptly e.g. club cancellation
- all staff will show respect to all parents and pupils

Head of School signature... *Sarah Chapman*

Name (printed) Sarah Chapman

### PARENTS AND CARERS – I/ WE WILL ENSURE THAT:

- my child attends school regularly
- my child arrives punctually before registration at 8.55am
- my child is collected on time at the end of the school day
- I/we will notify the school on the first day of absence if our/my child cannot attend and give the reason why
- my child follows the school's policy on uniform
- my child is properly equipped for physical education
- my child has, if, applicable a packed lunch which is healthy and nutritious as possible and that my child has a bottle of water in school as being well hydrated helps their learning
- I/we will inform the school of any concerns or problems that might affect our/my child's work or behaviour promptly (to include any changes in family circumstances or contact information)
- I/we support the school's policy, guidance and expectation for behaviour
- my child completes homework (daily reading, weekly times tables revision, weekly spelling) and encourage them to explore other opportunities for learning
- I/we will attend meetings to discuss our/my child's progress and achievements
- I/we will work in partnership with the school to encourage our/my child's progress and achievements
- I/we will support the schools approach to online safety and will not upload any videos, sounds or text that could upset or offend any member of the school community
- I/we will be respectful to all school staff

Parent(s) or Carer(s) signature(s) .....

Name (printed).....

### PUPIL – I WILL ENSURE THAT:

- I follow school rules and school behaviour expectations
- I attend school regularly and in time for registration
- I bring all the equipment needed every day – reading bag, pencil case, PE kit, glasses etc
- I try very hard to complete my classwork and homework to the best of my ability
- I show respect for school staff, other people, equipment, the building and property
- I am polite and helpful to others including all visitors in school and on school trips
- I am tidy in appearance
- I let other pupils learn
- I try not stay up too late on a school night

Pupil's signature .....

Name (printed) .....