



NEW SWANNINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear parents/carers

GOLDEN RULES

At New Swannington all our children understand the importance of appropriate behaviour and actions to ensure we all have the opportunity to be taught and to learn in a safe and calm environment.

To ensure this can happen, The Golden Rules in school have been simplified and they also reflect the character words we use with the children.

We have 3 Golden Rules across school:

- Be kind
- Be safe
- Be respectful

The rules have been shared with the children in assemblies and our expectation is that all the children and adults in school follow these rules so that we are all happy and safe at all times. Being consistent across school is essential to ensure fairness and provide clear boundaries and expectations for the children.

I have spoken to the children about taking responsibility for their actions and behaviours if they are not following the Golden Rules and our whole school Behaviour Policy has been updated and amended in line with this.

Low level disruption in the class room is being managed by high expectations, swift intervention and consistency. If the need arises the child will stay behind at the end of the lesson and talk through their actions and behaviours with the adult. The expectation is there is no reoccurrence; they will be asked to apologise if this is needed and then the matter has been dealt with.

If the child continues to disrupt, parents/carers will be contacted by the class teacher so that we can all work together to understand why the behaviours are happening and how we can address these.

More serious actions and incidents such as, but not limited to, fighting, discrimination, aggressive behaviour and bullying will not be accepted or tolerated at all. If this occurs, the child will be spoken to by Mrs Ramsell or Mrs Palumbo. Parents will be informed to ensure we are all working together to prevent a reoccurrence.

Mrs Smith and/or additional outside agencies may also be involved to support the child if this is agreed and deemed an appropriate action.

Thank you for your continued support.

Judy Ramsell
Headteacher