

Statement of Principles Shortstown Primary School

Statement from the Governors:

- The Governors at Shortstown Primary School believe that the following principles should inform the Behaviour Policy:
- Respect and consideration for others will be central to our policy.
- All members of the school have the right to work and learn in an atmosphere that is conducive to learning and the responsibility to ensure that others have the right to do so.
- Good teaching that stimulates, challenges and supports pupils provides the best incentive to have good attendance and to behave well.
- Positive behaviour management techniques are more effective than sanctions.
- Rewards and sanctions must be used consistently and respond to individuals and situations.
- Every pupil is entitled to support that meets their needs.
- Expectations of behaviour and dress must be consistent for all members.
- The school is committed to strengthening the partnership between pupils and their parents/carers.
- The school is committed to providing a healthy and safe environment for everyone in school
- Social and educational inclusion will strive to eliminate all forms of discrimination and bullying.
- Each member of the community must be valued as an individual, but not to the extent that it impinges on the learning of the majority.

This statement was developed with help of parents, staff and governors.