

Behaviour Principles

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Governors' Statement of General Principles for a Behaviour Policy

Good behaviour is promoted through providing a positive environment and ethos, together with high quality teaching and learning, and procedures which:

- encourage young people to have respect for themselves and for others;
- encourage young people to have a respect for the rights of others;
- encourage young people to have a respect for the property of others and the school environment;
- encourage young people to show respect to other people and be tolerant of other peoples' points of view;
- increase and widen young peoples' sense of belonging in The CE Academy;
- ensure fair and honest treatment and place an emphasis on addressing causes for behaviour rather than just treating outcomes;
- promote partnerships between school and home through the early involvement of parents/carers;
- encourage young people to accept responsibility for their own behaviour and to understand the reasons for behaving in a socially acceptable way;
- encourage an environment which fosters and reinforces good behaviour;
- encourage consistency of response to behaviour;
- employ de-escalation techniques in response to potentially challenging behaviour;
- promote self-esteem, self-discipline and positive relationships;
- promote an environment that is free from discrimination of any sort;
- ensure a code of conduct is clearly displayed in every classroom.

Items which are illegal or considered dangerous are not allowed on CE Academy campus sites. If staff suspect that a young person has illegal or dangerous items in their possession they should not search them. Staff must contact SLT.

It is CE Academy policy to not physically intervene or restrain in response to challenging behaviour. All staff have the power to use reasonable force to prevent pupils from committing an offence, injuring themselves or others, or damaging property.*

*The Headteacher should be informed of any incident that has led to the use of these powers. All such incidents will be recorded.

This Statement of Principles will be reviewed every 2 years or as necessary and shared with Governors.

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