YEAR 5

2015

CLASSROOM AGREEMENT
At St. Joseph’s Primary School, everybody has

**RIGHTS**

1. We students have a right to work, play and learn in a friendly, safe and helpful school.
2. Our teachers have a right to teach in a friendly, safe and satisfying school.
3. Our parents have a right to feel welcome and to know that we work, play and learn in a friendly, safe and helpful school.

**RESPONSIBILITIES**

We all need to care about ourselves, other students, parents, teachers, belongings, our school and equipment.

We think important responsibilities are:

- Treat everyone fairly
- To listen
- To follow instructions
- To help others
- To try our best
- Include others
- To be polite and greet each other nicely
- To cooperate
- Treat school property with care
- To be honest
- Do our class jobs
- Complete homework
- Keep our desks clean
- Wear correct uniform
- Give compliments
- Be positive
Yard Behaviour

We have all agreed on the following guidelines for our behaviour in the yard.

- Be friendly, fair and kind.
- Include others/encourage each other
- Respect others games
- Return our class sports equipment.
- Share and look after equipment/return equipment
- Let others join in games (Include others)
- Play by the rules.
- Ask teacher on duty before going to the office.
- Help others if they are hurt physically or emotionally.
- Put rubbish in bins.
- Share the oval/walls.
- Take turns on the swings-2 minutes each.
- Control our emotions and physical actions.
- Use appropriate language.
- Ask a teacher for entering out of bound areas

Always talk with a trusted friend or teacher if something is worrying you at school. We all want to feel safe and happy. This is really important.
Rewards

We have agreed on the following if we are responsible and follow our rules:

- Weekly teacher award
- Chocolate awards
- Extra fitness
- Extra playtime (reward play)
- Casual clothes day
- Treat once a term if everyone achieves to the best of their ability. This may be a class party, watch a movie, free iceblock, visit to the valley’s centre or trip to a park.

Consequences

If we choose not to follow our rules the following will happen, depending on the severity of the action. The Rethink Room will be used depending on the level of the infringement.

1. Verbal reminder of behaviour expected
2. 2\textsuperscript{nd} Verbal reminder
3. Sit at refocus table
4. Go to rethink (note in diary for parents to initial)
5. If inappropriate behaviour continues meeting made with parents and action plan initiated.
6. Extra homework contract
7. Miss out on recess and lunch (pick up rubbish)
8. Exclusion from class activities

*Serious Behaviour note will be sent home in accordance with the infringement