



## Berrycoombe School

# Positive Relationships and Behaviour Policy

This is a Trust wide adopted policy – individual schools will populate the policy with specific details - please visit the individual school website.

**Review Summary** 

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#### 1. Policy Statement

It is the aim of all schools within Truro and Penwith Academy Trust (TPAT) that every pupil has the opportunity to enjoy their learning, experience belonging success, and realise their full potential. Our Behaviour Policy reflects these aims and recognise that the behaviour of children in our schools has a significant effect on the motivation, social development and attainment of all pupils.

TPAT schools are committed to our shared core purpose, which is at the heart of all we do. This core purpose is to improve the life chances for all children and young people in our schools. Our school's mission/ core values are aligned with that of the Trust:

At Berrycoombe we recognise that wellbeing, relationships and behaviour are inextricably linked. Positive relationships are at the core of effective learning and teaching, and the development of the wellbeing of the whole child. We understand that strong, reciprocal relationships – those with high expectations and clear and consistent boundaries – matter most in terms of pupils' achievements and self-belief. The relationships that benefit children and young people most of all are those which recognise that all behaviour is communication.

At Berrycoombe, we take responsibility for listening to the needs a child is expressing through their behaviour, whilst setting clear boundaries and expectations. The guiding principles of nurture, founded on child development, neuroscience and attachment theory, help us to take a holistic approach to the child or young person.

This policy should be read in conjunction with existing school policies including (but not

#### limited to) the following policies:

- Safeguarding and Child Protection
- Special Educational Needs and Disability
- Exclusions and Suspensions
- Anti-Bullying Policy
- IT Acceptable Use

#### 2. Aims

- To foster in our pupils a sense of belonging within our school and with our Trust values.
- To make the most of opportunities to reward and celebrate positive behaviour and contribution to our schools.
- To reinforce our school culture of respect: respect for others, respect for our environment and respect for the views and beliefs of others.
- To ensure that standards, rules, rewards and consequences are applied and used consistently and fairly.
- To clarify the roles and responsibilities of all parties with respect to behaviour.

- To encourage pupils to be self-disciplined and responsible, and to understand the consequences of their actions on themselves and others.
- To build a community which values respect, kindness and empathy
- To provide guidance for staff, governors and parents/carers on how to support children to selfregulate, manage behaviour and feel safe so they are ready to learn

#### 3. Introduction

Our Behaviour Policy applies in school, when children are travelling to and from school, when children are in uniform, and on any educational trips or visits. Our policy also applies to pupil's conduct out of school when witnessed by a member of staff or reported by a member of the public. Where appropriate, the school will work with external partners, including social care and the police in the implementation of our Behaviour Policy. In line with our school values and ethos, we are committed to:

- Protecting the right to learn, the right to teach and the right to feel safe and be safe
- Valuing all people as individuals
- Promoting equality and celebrating diversity and difference
- Listening and communicating clearly
- Encouraging openness, personal responsibility for own actions, and honesty
- Rejecting all forms of violence and aggression
- Rejecting all forms of sexual violence, abuse and harassment
- Rejecting all forms of bullying
- Actively promoting co-operation, collaboration and fairness
- Protecting and nurturing self-esteem, self-confidence and dignity

#### 4. Behaviour Standards

Our standards for behaviour form the foundations on which we build our respectful school community. We believe that pupils should adopt behaviour that supports their own learning and that of others. Poor behaviour and disruption to lessons prevent the learning of others, and may be intimidating, threatening and unsafe. Therefore, our standards are:

- That pupils arrive on time to school and lessons, ready to learn.
- That pupils consistently follow the school's Uniform Policy and cooperate with the support offered by the school so that they are in the correct uniform and follow the school's expectations for appearance.
- That pupils move around the school in a calm and orderly manner, following the school's circulation plan including 'one way systems' and other instructions where these are in operation.
- That, at all times, pupils act in a manner which is polite and respectful towards other members of the school community and school visitors.
- That pupils follow instructions given by adults in a positive and cooperative way, in lessons, at social times, before and after school and in all school activities.
- That pupils always act in a way which upholds the core British Values of mutual respect, individual liberty, tolerance of difference cultures and religions, the rule of law, and democracy.
- That pupils behave in a way which enables their peers and themselves to achieve their full potential: in terms of their academic progress and their personal and social development.
- That pupils engage positively in dialogue and restorative practices, supported by school staff, to resolve personal issues and any disruption to their relationships with others.
- That pupils always act in a way which keeps themselves and others safe.

• That pupils report concerns or conduct which breaches these actions to a trusted adult in the school.

Specifically, pupils must not:

- Bring banned substances into school (see Appendix 1).
- Act in any way which puts at risk the safety of themselves or others in the school.
- Act in a way which disrupts their own learning, or the learning of others, or prevents a teacher or member of staff from carrying out their role.
- Discriminate against others on the grounds of protected characteristics: age, disability, sexual orientation, religion or belief, gender or gender re-assignment, race, religion or belief, pregnancy or maternity, marital status. Prejudiced behaviour and discrimination is unacceptable and not tolerated within our school.
- Threaten to, or act in any way which is physically aggressive or violent. All members of our school community are required to use non-violent resolution (dialogue and restorative practice) to resolve differences of opinion, relationships and conflict.
- Swear or use foul or abusive language, or language which is discriminatory or prejudiced.
- Act in any way which is illegal or which would constitute a criminal offence. In these circumstances, the school will work in partnership with Devon and Cornwall Police.

#### 5. Behaviour Curriculum

Positive behaviour underpins our school ethos and values and is demonstrated by pupils through their readiness to learn, feeling safe, feeling that they belong and showing respect for others. We teach pupils about our behaviour standards so that they understand our standards, what is required and why, and what is unacceptable. Our Behaviour Curriculum includes a continued and sustained focus on:

- Whole school agreement and consistency around walking around the school site (STAR walking)
- Following a simple agreed protocol for stopping and attending used by all adults. (Star Listening)
- Being ready, respectful and safe at all times

When pupils join our school, we ensure that our standards, along with a summary of our behaviour policy are explained to them, and their parents (see appendix 5). We include a summary of our behaviour standards in our Welcome Pack for families. Explaining our Behaviour Standards clearly to new students is an important part of our induction programme. Activities offered to pupils during our induction programme are selected to provide opportunities for them to understand our standards. Our Behaviour Policy is shared with parents annually, via email and is available on our website.

#### 6. Students with Special Educational Needs

In order to meet our legal duties to avoid substantial disadvantage to a disabled child, to use our best endeavours to meet the needs of children with SEND, and in line with children's needs as set out within their Education, Health and Care Plans, our Behaviour Policy is adapted, as appropriate. Adaptations to provision for children with SEND are led by our SENDCO. All staff are required to make appropriate adaptations to support positive behaviour in response to pupils' special educational needs.

Examples of adaptations to provision which are intended to support children to be able to achieve our standards include:

- Short, planned movement breaks for a child with SEND who finds it difficult to sit still for extended periods of time
- Adjusting seating plans to enable a child with visual or hearing impairment to sit in sight of the teacher.
- Adjusting uniform requirements for a child with sensory issues or who has severe eczema.
- Training for staff in understanding conditions such as autism.

The SENDCO will ensure staff understand students' needs, as appropriate to the member of staff's role within the school. The SENDCo will provide staff with relevant and appropriate information to be able to support pupils with SEND to engage successfully with the school's expectations in a way which is aligned to their individual needs.

When considering a behaviour sanction for behaviour which does not meet the school's standards, the school will take into account whether the child was able to understand the rule or instruction, whether the school was able to behave differently at the time because of their SEND, whether or not the child's SEND would have had an impact on their behaviour. The school will consider whether any reasonable adjustments need to be made to the sanction or school response. At all times, the safety of the child, and others will take precedence.

Where a child does not have an identified need, the school will consider whether an underlying need may be present and a factor. The school will make an informed decision, based on staff observation the views of the child and parents, and advice from other professionals. The SENDCo will support staff involved in reaching an informed decision and will regularly review children's learning and behaviour records to determine whether there may be additional needs.

#### 7. Recognising and Celebrating Positive Behaviour and Contribution.

Our school values and celebrates the positive contribution, successes and achievements of all our pupils. Our approach to rewarding positive behaviour and contribution is detailed in Appendix 2.

#### 8. Managing Behaviour which does not Meet the School's Standards

Our school has a fair and transparent procedure for managing behaviour which does meet our standards. Our procedure is followed consistently, supports our school ethos of inclusion and equity and is detailed in Appendix 3.

Following a sanction or consequence, the school will consider how to help pupils to understand how to improve their behaviour to meet the school's standards. This may include, for example,

- A reintegration meeting following suspension
- Regular mentoring from an identified member of staff
- A behaviour support plan
- Specific intervention to address an identified need

#### 9. Suspensions and Permanent Exclusions

In line with the TPAT Exclusion Policy, the Headteacher may decide to suspend or permanently exclude a pupil for a serious breach or persistent breaches of the school's Behaviour Policy where allowing a pupil to remain in school would seriously harm the education or welfare of the pupil or others. Further details are available in the Exclusion Policy.

#### 10. Safeguarding

Our School recognises that changes in a child's behaviour may be an indicator that they are in need of help or protection. All our school staff are trained to consider whether a student's behaviour may be linked to them suffering, or being at risk of suffering, significant harm. Where this may be the case, we follow our Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy, and consider whether pastoral support, an early help intervention and/or a referral to children's social care is appropriate. Please refer to our Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy for more information.

#### 11. Roles and responsibilities

At Berrycoombe we recognise that behaviour is based on relationships. The relationships between all stakeholders Berrycoombe staff members, the children in the class and parents are fundamental to long term positive learning behaviours. Wherever possible the class teacher will manage behaviour. This will have a long-term positive impact on stability within a class as staff develop a deep understanding of their children and build warm effective relationships that support children and their learning

#### The Local Monitoring Committee (LMC)

The Local Monitoring Committee is responsible for monitoring this Behaviour Policy, its effectiveness and holding the Headteacher to account for its implementation.

#### The Headteacher (or member of staff with delegated responsibility)

The Headteacher is responsible for:

- Reviewing and approving this behaviour policy.
- Ensuring that the school environment encourages positive behaviour.
- Ensuring that staff have the knowledge and skills to deal effectively with poor behaviour.
- Monitoring how staff implement this policy to ensure rewards and sanctions are applied consistently to all groups of students.
- Ensuring that all staff understand the school's behaviour standards and the importance of maintaining them.
- Providing new staff with an induction programme which includes understanding the school culture, ethos and values, and the rules and routines within the Behaviour Policy.
- Offering appropriate training in behaviour management, and the impact of special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and mental health needs on behaviour, to any staff who require it, so they can fulfil their duties set out in this policy.

#### Staff

Staff are responsible for:

- Modelling respect towards of all members of the school community
- Supporting and caring for pupils
- Modelling the school's values and standards in their own behaviour, leading by example
- Supporting the school's ethos and values and promoting these to pupils
- Having high expectations of all members of the school community
- Making appropriate and reasonable adaptations to the school's Behaviour policy in response to special educational needs, disabilities and mental health needs.
- Celebrating diversity and difference, working together to eradicate prejudice and discrimination.
- Engaging positively in restorative practice, supporting pupils to resolve differences of opinion and conflict in a non-violent way.
- Creating a calm and safe environment for children.
- Implementing the Behaviour Policy consistently.
- Recording achievements and behaviour incidents promptly and referring children for additional support as appropriate and needed.

#### Specifically at Berrycoombe Staff

The staff at Berrycoombe-

- Speak politely and calmly to all pupils and know their children (relational)
- Meet and greet the children in a positive manner to establish the important connection daily.
- Recognise that each child is an individual who needs to be valued and enabled to succeed.
- Be relentlessly positive and specific focusing on praising the values and behaviours that we want to see.
- Refer constantly to the school rules: Ready, respectful and Safe
- Follow the correct stages of the Behaviour Systems fairly and systematically so that pupils understand the behaviour that is not acceptable. Use a visual cue- good as gold board-to ensure no one is left behind
- Give pupils time to amend their behaviour as requested.
- Ensure that they have a calm response to behavioural challenge with take up time. Staff will be quick to spot a child who is beginning to turn it around and praise that.
- Follow up with reflective dialogue with child- What happened? How did you turn it around? What could you do next time?
- Avoid confrontational situations so that children can maintain their dignity.
- Understand that it is normal for children to test the boundaries of acceptable behaviour.
- Encourage pupils to take care of their school and to be proud of its members.
- Promote attitudes of respect throughout the school day

#### Pupils

Pupils are responsible for learning to

- Be respectful of all members of the school community by allowing everyone to learn and by being accepting of all abilities and efforts.
- Support and care for peers
- Abide by the school's rules and standards
- Listen to, and respect, the views of others
- Take responsibility for own actions, relationships and behaviour
- Follow instructions given by members of staff
- Lead by example and model our school values in thoughts and actions
- Have high expectations of themselves, and each other
- Celebrate diversity and difference, and work together to eradicate prejudice and discrimination
- Engage positively in restorative practice to resolve differences of opinion and conflict in a nonviolent way.
- Develop a positive attitude towards school and learning.
- Be independent by knowing where to find support-use their BLP (Building Learning Power) skills.
- Know what their next steps are.

#### Parents

Parents are responsible for

- Modelling respect towards of all members of the school community
- Supporting the school's values and expectations
- Informing the school of any changes in their child's welfare or circumstances which may affect their behaviour
- Supporting their child to wear the correct uniform and to have the equipment they need, ready to learn
- Encouraging their child to achieve their full potential, and to abide by the school's rules
- Listening to both their child's, and the school's, perspectives in resolving behaviour concerns
- Working in partnership with the school to support their child to meet the school's behaviour standards, and to make a positive contribution to school life
- Engaging positively in restorative practice, supporting their child to resolve differences of opinion and conflict in a non-violent way

• Supporting the school's ethos of celebrating diversity and difference, and work in partnership with the school to eradicate prejudice and discrimination.

#### Nurture Team (NEST-Nurture and Emotional Support Team)

Their role is to support class based staff.

Maintain a space and associated resources (Thrive room) to support children and staff in resolving challenging behaviours and supporting the children back into class

Provide individual assessments and associated programs of work that children can undertake to improve their emotional wellbeing in an attempt to proactively improve children's readiness to learn.

#### 12. Uniform

Our school has clear standards for school uniform and appearance. The school expects parents and pupils to make every effort to rectify any issues with uniform in a timely manner.

- Uniform is readily available from most retailers including supermarkets (Black trousers or skirts and white polo shirts.)
- The Berrycoombe top is available from the office at cost.
- There is a well maintained stock of washed 'old for new' uniform which can be provide free upon request.

#### 13. Behaviour outside of school

Our standards of behaviour apply to a child's behaviour offsite when

- Taking part in any school organised or related activity e.g. a school trip or visit
- Travelling to or from the school including on a school bus
- Wearing school uniform
- In any other way identified as a child of the school

Trip leaders will ensure that parents and pupils understand the standards of behaviour expected during the trip, prior to the trip departing.

The school will apply our Behaviour Policy to any breaches to our behaviour standards that occur whilst pupils are out of school whether or not the above conditions apply, if the behaviour

- Could have repercussions for the orderly running of the school.
- Poses a threat to another child who attends the school.
- Could adversely affect the school's reputation.

Where poor behaviour occurs out of school, including when a pupil is travelling to or from the school, the school reserves the right to issue a consequence including a suspension or permanent exclusion (for serious breaches). The school considers behaviour which adversely affects the reputation of the school to be a serious breach of our behaviour standards.

#### 14. Mobile devices

In line with DfE Guidance, mobile phones may be brought into school but must be handed into the front office and collected at the end of the school day.

Pupils are not permitted to wear 'smart watches'.

Responsible and appropriate use of digital devices by all members of the school community is vital to provide a safe learning environment. This includes the use of social media. Please refer to the Acceptable Use Policy for more information.

#### 15. Bullying

Our School considers all forms of bullying to be wholly unacceptable. We do not tolerate bullying of any kind. Please refer to our Anti-Bullying Policy for further details.

#### 16. Zero-tolerance of sexual harassment and sexual violence

Our school will ensure that all incidents of sexual harassment or violence are responded to, and never ignored. Children are supported and encouraged to report anything that makes them uncomfortable, not matter how 'small' they may feel it might be. The school's response will always be:

- Proportionate
- Considered
- Supportive
- Decided on an individual case-by-case basis.

The school will also take into account a child's special educational needs or disabilities.

Where a child's safety is at risk, the school will follow the appropriate Safeguarding procedures, as detailed in our Safeguarding Policy and including appropriate referrals to external agencies including social care.

#### 17. Search and confiscation

Our school has the right to search pupils for 'prohibited items' including knives and weapons, alcohol, illegal drugs, stolen items, tobacco and cigarette papers, fireworks, pornographic images, any article that has been or is likely to be used to commit an offence or cause personal injury or damage to property, and any other item which has been banned by the school rules (see Appendix 1 for Banned Substances).

Where there is reasonable evidence to search pupil's lockers, bags, outer clothing or other possessions, two members of staff will be present. Unless there is an exceptional reason this will include a member of the Leadership Team and a member of staff of the same gender as the child.

Where possession of an item by a child is illegal (items such as knives, drugs, suspected stolen items and pornography) the school will always work in partnership with the police.

If during a search an electronic device is found and it is suspected that it has been or will be used to commit an offence or cause injury, damage to property, disrupt teaching or break the school rules, then the school may examine any data or files on the device where there is good reason to do so. The school may also delete files or data if it is thought there is a good reason to do so. Care must be taken with regards to any decision to delete an image or file, including whether the information needs to be referred to the police.

If a pupil fails to co-operate with a search, the school will apply a suitable behaviour sanction, taking into account the seriousness of the incident and the potential risk to both good order and discipline, and the safety of the child and other members of the school community. A School's general power to discipline, as set out in Section 91 of the Education and Inspections Act 2006, enables a member of staff to confiscate, retain or dispose of a pupil's property as a disciplinary penalty, where reasonable to do so. All confiscated items will be disposed of by the school as appropriate. For the purpose of clarity, our school staff do not conduct strip searches of students and do not have the power to do so. The most recent DfE Guidance on searching, screening and confiscation will always be adhered to.

#### 18. Banned items

In the interests of the health and safety of members of the School community we publish a list of items which must not be brought into school (see Appendix 1). This list is not exhaustive and is intended as a guide. The Headteacher and staff authorised by the Headteacher are able, by law, to search pupils or their possessions where they have reasonable grounds for suspecting that the pupil may have a prohibited item. Sanctions within our Behaviour Policy, including suspension and permanent exclusion, will be applied as appropriate to any pupil found in possession of a banned item or any item that the School deems to be inappropriate and/or dangerous. For the most serious incidents, including where the possession of the item(s) is/are illegal, our School reserves the right to permanently exclude students.

Prescription medicines, painkillers and other medicines must be handed in to Reception for safe keeping during the school day. Please note that the conduct of our pupils is excellent and instances of pupils bringing such items in to school are extremely rare. Repeat offences will result in increasing levels of sanction.

#### 19. Malicious Allegations

Where a child makes a false allegation against another child or member of staff, and that allegation is shown to be deliberately invented or malicious, the school will consider whether to use an appropriate sanction within this Policy. In all cases where an allegation is determined to be unsubstantiated, unfounded, false or malicious, the school (in collaboration with the Local Authority Designated Officer where appropriate) will consider whether the child who made the allegation is in need of help and will make appropriate referral to other agencies e.g. social care if this is the case.

#### 20. Monitoring arrangements

The school will collect and monitor a range of information about the behaviour and conduct of pupils. LMC members will receive a termly report on Behaviour.

The school will use the results of this data analysis to make sure it is meeting its duties under The Equalities Act 2010. If any trends or disparities between groups of pupils are identified by this analysis, the school will review its policies to tackle this.

#### DfE guidance:

- The Equality Act 2010 and schools (DfE May 2014)
   <u>https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attach
   ment\_data/file/315587/Equality\_Act\_Advice\_Final.pdf
  </u>
- Education for children with health needs who cannot attend school (DfE January 2013) <u>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/education-for-children-with-health-needs-who-cannot-attend-school</u>
- Keeping children safe in education (DfE) <u>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/keeping-children-safe-in-education--2</u>
- <u>Suspension and permanent exclusion (DfE May 2023)</u>
   <u>https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/school-exclusion</u>
- <u>Searching, screening and confiscation in schools GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)</u>
- Use of reasonable force and restrictive practices in schools GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

• Mobile phones in schools - February 2024 (publishing.service.gov.uk)

#### Appendices

- Appendix 1 Banned Substances
- Appendix 2 Rewards
- Appendix 3 Consequences

#### Appendix 1 Banned Substances

Our School places a high priority on ensuring that children are safe in school and we have high expectations for the conduct of all members of our school community. We take the safety of our pupils and staff very seriously and for that reason, pupils are not permitted to bring the following items to school:

- Aerosol cans
- Energy drinks containing caffeine such as 'Red Bull'
- Lighters or matches
- Fireworks including sparklers and poppers
- Laser pens
- Tobacco, cigarettes, e-cigarettes, vaping fluid or equipment or any other nicotine replacement product or equipment associated with smoking or vaping
- Knives (including penknives), razor blades, catapults or any other weapon
- Alcohol
- Illegal drugs or 'legal highs' or any item associated with the use of illegal drugs
- Any other item that poses a risk to the safety of the school community

The school reserves the right to search students' lockers, bags and property. This will be done with consideration for the child and in the presence of 2 adults, one of whom is a member of the Pastoral Team or Leadership Team. We will always inform parents if a student is found in possession of any item on the above list and we will always confiscate the item immediately.

Possession of an illegal item will result in consideration of a Permanent Exclusion.

#### Appendix 2 Rewards

Our school has values that we develop throughout the year and will return to each year your child is part of our school community. The children will explore these values during lessons and assemblies and have the opportunity to collect 'pebbles for the class jar' when they demonstrate these values. We will focus on one value each term.

Respect	Collaboration
Aiming high	Perseverance
Independence	Being brave



We will recognize and reward positive choices as regards behavior and demonstrating our school values through:

- Specific recognition and praise
- Pebbles in a jar for half termly value focus
- Good as gold boards, platinum and diamond prizes
- Assembly awards
- Wall of kindness display
- Communication home at the end of day
- Whole class special time- negotiated and agreed with children
- Golden Notes

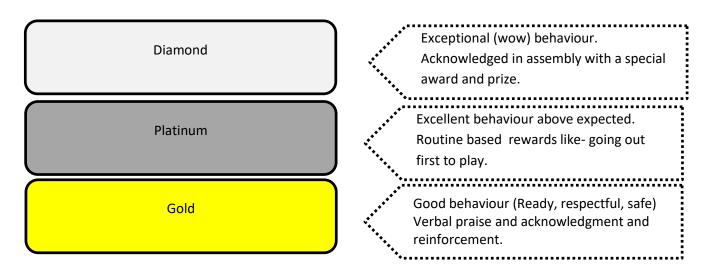
"The best institutions have absolute consistency. I don't care whether the system they use is behaviourist or whether the system they use is extremely old-fashioned, the critical difference is that people sign up to it and teachers act with one voice and one message: "This is how we do it here"

Consistency lies in the behaviour of adults and not simply in the application of procedure.

(Paul Dix, 2017)

#### Good As Gold

Each classroom will have a good as Gold board that recognizes those children making good choices about their learning, behavior and relationships. This provides a visual reminder to staff that the focus around behaviour should be positive.



#### Specific Strategies to support positive outcomes

Staff at Berrycoombe will support children to make positive behaviour choices and support children to make more positive choices and change their behaviour.



- Wonder (I wonder if it felt that no one understood you?)
- Imagine (I imagine it was horrible when that happened?)
- Notice (I noticed you cheered up when we talked about your brother.)
- Empathise (That sounds frightening when they left you alone.)

Two deliberate approaches will be adopted by all adults in the first instance when challenging low level poor behaviour-

- 1. Assumed misconception (the adult makes the assumption the child has misunderstood (e.g. 'you seem to have got confused, you are not meant to be here at the moment!)
- 2. Positive acknowledgement of the behaviour you want o see (e.g. 'can I see all books out and everyone reading at this table')

#### Appendix 3

#### Consequences

There are 6 steps that will be followed to support that change, as well as challenge behaviours that we don't want to see at Berrycoombe.

	Take up time between each step- walk away so compliance can happen discretely		
1	<b>Redirection</b> - gentle nudge in the right direction. State the behaviour you want to see. Notice those doing the right thing. Assume misunderstanding.	Low level	
2	<b>Reminder</b> of the expectation you want to see often related to basic rules- Ready, kind respectful and safe.	Low level	
3	<b>Caution 1</b> -Turn it around- Delivered privately. State the issue and outline consequence. (You are not ready to learn. You might need to stay in at playtime to catch up)	$\leq$	
4	<b>Caution 2</b> - Reflect-Stay in at play to reflect. A chance to reflect on behaviour, private, discreet and away from other children ( <i>use statements from WINE acronym to support</i> ) What is going on? Are you Ok? It's not like you? You seem to be struggling?	Bo∭ Bo∭	
5	<b>Caution 3-</b> Reflect and catch up- the 5 minute chat from step 3 and 5 minutes to catch up on work not completed	10	
6	<b>Leave to reflect-</b> Time out to reflect on behaviour Time in with Nurture (NEST) team		

Where a child has repeatedly had caution 3 or had to leave their classroom, a phone call home and ultimately a meeting with parents/carers is necessary to work out a way forward.

KS1 pupils may need quick immediate feedback around choices. Warnings are replaced with finger cues signs for clarity. Appropriate positive encouragement and take up time is expected between warnings.





) First warning

Second warning

You need to leave

#### Possible interventions

Berrycoombe might carry out one-to-one or small group interventions to help pupils manage behaviour, such as:

- Mentoring or coaching.
- A behaviour plan.
- In-school small group support outside mainstream lessons.

#### In-school measures

Alternative measures that allow the child to remain in school are:

- Detention (lunchtime or after school)
- Removal from the classroom (internal exclusion)
- Educated in 'The Hub' for a specified period of time

#### Appendix 4



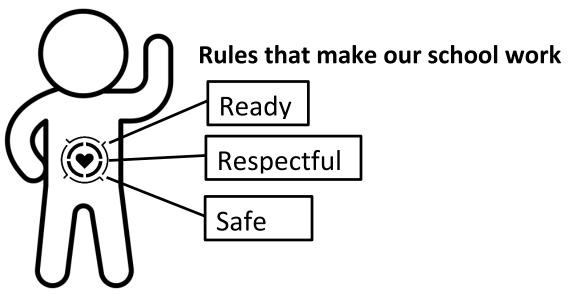
Berrycoombe school has a thorough understanding of how to promote positive relationships and learning experiences, and have a wealth of individual and group strategies to achieve this. The school is supported through membership and training of the Thrive network.

The Thrive Approach helps adults to develop empathy and compassion for those in their care, including through understanding the potential origins of their behaviour. As an attachment-aware approach, Thrive shows how behaviour can be positively improved, while giving children and young people a sense of security and enabling them to build emotional resilience. Ultimately, this can lead to children and young people leading fuller, healthier lives and developing the capacity to thrive.

By understanding what a child/young person's behaviour is communicating about their unmet social and emotional needs, Berrycoombe staff working with the child/young person are then in a position to make a positive difference to their life. However, without this connection and understanding, it can be difficult to meet the child/young person's needs. The result for the child/young person can be social disengagement, underachievement in education, exclusion and potential issues in adult life.

Berrycoombe School welcomes the close involvement of parents/carers and by choosing to send their child to our school, we expect that parents/carers will support the school's positive relationship and behaviour support policy. Parents/carers will be invited to work with the School in order to support the child to develop.

#### Appendix 5 Simple guide for prospective parents



### Adult Commitment to behaviour

#### All Staff

- Know your children (relational)
- Meet and greet to establish connection daily
- Relentlessly positive and specific
- Use visual cue- good as gold board-to ensure no one is left behind
- Calm response to behavioural challenge with take up time. Quick to spot a child who is beginning to turn it around.
- Follow up with reflective dialogue with child- What happened? How did you turn it around? What could you do next time?

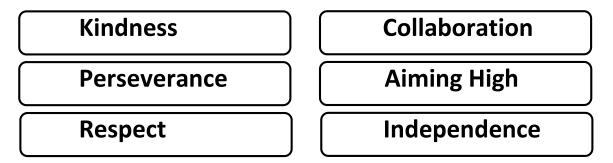
### Our school community's Values

#### In addition the senior leadership Team will

- Know specific children (relational)
- Meet and great on the gates
- Work alongside and support class teams and Nurture teams
- Share good practice and ensure it develops
- Support in the analysis of behaviour data to shape future practice
- Review and support practice for children who need extra beyond written policy

### We focus on a different value every half term

### They are so important we return to them each year



### **Recognition and rewards**



### (We see more of what we celebrate)

#### Class and whole school

- Specific recognition and praise
- Marbles in a jar for half termly value focus
- Good as gold boards, platinum and diamond
- Assembly awards
- Wall of kindness display
- Communication home at end of day
- Whole class special time- negotiated and agreed with children

### How we relate to children



- Use the WINE acronym
  - Wonder (I wonder if it felt that no one understood you?)
  - Imagine (I imagine it was horrible when that happened?)
  - Notice (I noticed you cheered up when we talked about your brother.)
  - **Empathise** (That sounds frightening when they left you alone.)

# How we support children to change their behaviour (6 steps)

	Take up time between each step- walk away so compliance can happen discretely	
1	<b>Redirection</b> - gentle nudge in the right direction. State the behaviour you want to see. Notice those doing the right thing.	Low level
2	<b>Reminder</b> of the expectation you want to see often related to basic rules- Ready, kind respectful and safe.	Low level
3	<b>Caution 1</b> - Turn it around- Delivered privately. State the issue and outline consequence. (You are not ready to learn. You might need to stay in at playtime to catch up)	$\bigcirc$
4	<b>Caution 2</b> - Reflect-Stay in at play to reflect. A chance to reflect on behaviour, private, discreet and away from other children (use WINE) What is going on? Are you Ok? It's not like you? You seem to be struggling?	5 () () () () () () () () () () () () ()
5	<b>Caution 3-</b> Reflect and catch up- the 5 minute chat from step 3 and 5 minutes to catch up on work not completed	10
6	Leave to reflect- Time out to reflect on behaviour	

## Where a child has had to leave or repeatedly had caution 3 a phone call home and ultimately a formal meeting with parents is necessary