

The Federation of St James the Great and St. John's Catholic Primary Schools



Behaviour Principles

All members of the communities of St James the Great and St. John's Catholic Primary Schools are committed to ensuring that everyone is treated with respect.

As Catholic Communities we are fortunate in having strong links with parents, the parish and our local community. Through our Mission Statements we will respect each other, each other's family, culture, beliefs and language. The 'we' means everyone: children, parents, governors, staff and visitors. Our Behaviour Policy is simple therefore:

At St James the Great and St. John's Catholic Primary Schools everyone is expected to behave appropriately in the context in which they find themselves.

We know that some things are appropriate in some circumstances and the same behaviour might not be appropriate in other circumstances. We recognise that behaviour will often be a communication of feelings. We may be angry or happy, sad hungry or tired. We will always try to communicate these feelings in an appropriate way.

To help us succeed in this, we use ideas and strategies that are appropriate within each school setting. These are more fully detailed in the Behaviour Policy and is shared with new members of our community when they join us.

Reviewed by the Governing Body: November 2021 **Signed by:** J McManus **Date:** 24/11/21