

We, the Governing Body and Headteacher, strongly believe that our federation schools should be welcoming and safe places for our children, staff, parents and visitors alike and that our parents share that belief. We have legal responsibilities for the safeguarding and wellbeing of children and staff, and a duty of care to all users within our federation.

All adults who enter our school sites at any time set examples of behaviour and conduct which influence children and young people and we believe that they should therefore demonstrate high standards of conduct in order to encourage our pupils to do the same. Parents and carers must show respect to all other parents and carers, children and staff.

Adults who do not behave in an acceptable manner may be asked to leave the site and the Headteacher has the right to further restrict their access. The process for restriction of access in relation to parents and carers who have reason to come on to the school site is set out in our Access Restriction Procedure.

Behaviour which is regarded as unacceptable includes:

- Physical abuse, threatening, oppressive or aggressive behaviour or use of offensive language towards other adults, staff or children
- Entering the school sites under the influence of alcohol or drugs
- Smoking anywhere on the school sites.
- Bringing dogs, with the exception of Assistance Dogs, on to the school sites without the explicit permission of the Headteacher

School-related issues which parents or carers have concerning our schools, pupils or their families must be brought to the attention of a member of staff. Parents or carers must not try to resolve any issues themselves by direct action on site. If issues cannot be successfully resolved by speaking to a staff member, parents' and carers' correct course of action is use our Complaints Procedure as appropriate

We expect all communication between parents and schools to be conducted in a polite and respectful manner. Communication may be similarly restricted if it becomes unacceptable

Thank you for your cooperation.

Grewelthorpe & Fountains CE Primary Schools Federation

Policy:	Parental & Carer Behaviour Policy
Signed Chair of Governors:	
Date Signed:	
Governors Meeting Ratified:	13th June 2017
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