

## Home- School Agreement

### Ethos & Values

**At Frederick Nattrass Primary Academy, our motto "Reach for the Stars", embraces the idea of a learning journey through school and our belief in the potential of our pupils.**

Our vision and aspiration for all our children is that they can become confident, secure, caring individuals who achieve personal success and develop a love of learning.

### The Northern Education Trust Shared Values

We share with all Northern Education Trust Academies a set of guiding principles and commitments which include the One Academy Rule.

### Guiding Principles

"The welfare of others is the first concern of all."

"The education of every child is held to be of equal value in this comprehensive community school."

### Commitments

A commitment to:

- The one academy rule: "All pupils and adults are expected to behave in a responsible manner, both to themselves and others, showing consideration, courtesy and respect at all times."
- The achievement, personal development and well-being of children and young people, where the welfare of others is seen to be the first concern of all no matter their starting point
- Promoting and supporting parent and carer engagement in the development of learning and educational experience of their children
- Professional development and welfare of all the staff who are employees of the Northern Education Trust
- Understand the community context within which the academy operates and to engage in appropriate activities with other agencies and community groups in order to promote community cohesion and economic regeneration
- Having an aspiration to be the best, not just nationally but internationally
- Outstanding learning and teaching which engages pupils and is active, collaborative and encourages independence
- Student voice intended to empower and involve young people in the development and delivery of their own education and the life of their academy
- A modern curriculum which meets the needs of all learners, has clear progression routes internally and to both employment and further and higher education
- The development of professional networks, within our group and beyond, providing school to school support, opportunities for pupils, and sharing professional development
- Community involvement with our schools and to lifelong community learning

This can be done most effectively when all staff, parents/carers and children understand their responsibilities and work together towards the same goals, as detailed in our home - school agreement. Please read the home - school agreement and share it with your child. Please sign and return it to school. If you have any concerns or questions please contact me. I enclose a copy for you to keep at home as a reference.