



St. Martin's CE Primary and Nursery School

*Being the Best You Can Be: For Ourselves and For God's
World*

**By enrolling your child at St Martin's
you are entering into this agreement.**

The school will:-

- Ensure your child's physical, social and spiritual well-being will always be our priority and we will foster feelings of confidence, self-worth and belonging.
- Deliver a balanced and carefully planned curriculum, which aims to meet the needs of each individual child.
- Provide a range of extra-curricular activities designed to enrich your child's experience.
- Ensure that homework is communicated via Dojo every Monday to include reading, maths and spelling/grammar.
- Actively welcome parents/carers into the life of the school
- Ensure that teaching staff are always available, by mutual agreement, to discuss any concerns you might have about your child's progress or general well-being.
- Ensure that the website provides up to date information relating to policies, curriculum and other general school matters.
- The school will keep you informed on a termly basis about your child's progress. If there are any concerns the school will be pro-active in contacting you.
- Ensure that teaching staff keep up to date on important educational developments and initiatives.

Parents/carers will:-

- Ensure that their child attends school regularly, is punctual and that absences are properly notified by contacting the school office before the start of school.
- Sign up to Class Dojo, Tapestry, Bug Club (Phase 1) and My Maths in order to receive communication and to support their child with reading.
- Ensure that their child is in school and is ready to learn by 8:30am and is collected promptly at the end of the day.
- Make arrangements with the school by signing the necessary permission slips if their child has permission to go home on their own.
- If children cycle or scooter to school they must wear a safety helmet. Children who cycle, scooter or skateboard to school must dismount at the school gate.
- If parents want to make arrangements for older children to walk to and from school; this can be done in partnership with the school.
- Support and actively promote the school's aims, policies and procedures.
- Read with their child every day and support their child with his/her homework and wherever possible actively facilitate opportunities for home learning.
- Read regularly with their child. Reading with your child is the most beneficial way in which you can support their learning.
- Ensure that the office has up to date medical and contact details and provide updates as necessary.
- Ensure their child goes to bed at a reasonable time in preparation for the following school day.
- Attend Parents' Evenings, workshops and discussions about their child's well-being and progress at school.
- Ensure that children wear named school uniform and have their named PE kit in school every day. Parents also need to ensure children bring suitable clothes for forest school or other pre-planned activities.
- Ensure they familiarise themselves with information provided by the school.

Children will:-

- Come to school enthusiastic and ready to learn.
- Always remember to be polite and thoughtful towards others.
- Enjoy school and help other children to do the same.
- Complete the homework set.
- Respect their own and everybody else's right to enjoy school.
- Wear safety helmets if they ride their bikes, scooters or skateboards to school. Children will dismount at the school gates.
- Strive to be the best they can be!

