



## Home School Agreement

### Mission Statement

*We want every child to be safe and happy in our school. We believe that the key to this is for us all to have self-respect and respect for others.*

### The School:

- ✚ We will value and care for your child as a unique individual.
- ✚ We will provide the best possible education we can for your child, meeting his or her individual special needs.
- ✚ We will give you regular information about your child's progress.
- ✚ We will let you know about school activities and what your child will be taught each term by means of termly topic webs, school newsletters, text messages, timetables, news items and a calendar on the school website.
- ✚ We will share information about the school's policies via the school website.
- ✚ We will provide homework activities as appropriate for your child.
- ✚ We will provide a home-school book for daily written communication between school and home.
- ✚ We will keep your child safe and contact you if there are any concerns about your child.

### The Family:

- ✚ I will make sure my child attends school regularly
- ✚ I will work with the school to encourage my child's development, independence and positive behaviour
- ✚ I will respect other parents and speak about others positively.
- ✚ I will attend Annual Reviews and Parents' Evenings to discuss my child's progress.
- ✚ I will share with the class teacher or headteacher any major events at home that may affect my child's wellbeing.
- ✚ I will check the home-school book for messages every day
- ✚ I will let the class know what my child has been doing at home and of any changes to routine or health needs.
- ✚ I will let the class teacher or headteacher know if I have any concerns so they can be followed up quickly.

**Together we will make sure that every child at Rutherford can be the best they can be.**