

Vernon Park Primary School On line Learning Code of Conduct

At Vernon Park Primary School, we aim to provide all children, parents and the wider school community with a safe, caring and inclusive environment where high-quality learning experiences enable all children to be the best that they can be.

Kindness and Empathy, Friendship and Respect, Honesty and Responsibility, Tolerance and Fairness, Support and Inclusion, Challenge and Resilience.

This code of conduct closely matches our expectations of pupils in lessons when they are in school, which we would like to mirror to help our children to benefit from our home learning offer.

I understand that by joining the sessions I agree to follow the code of conduct outlined:

- I will make sure that my communication online is always supportive of my learning and the learning of others. I will communicate in a polite way at all times.
- I will only use Google classroom for online learning and will only upload or forward, browse or download materials that are related to my learning and will only do this when asked to by my teachers.
- During all Google Meet sessions, my parent/carer will be near me (in the room or a nearby room with the door open).
- I will not use my school account to create groups, initiate calls or initiate meetings and I will exit sessions when the teacher tells me to do so.
- I understand that in Google Meet sessions I must remain muted unless my teacher unmutes me or directs me to unmute.
- When taking part in an online session, I will make sure that my environment is quiet and free from distractions. I will ensure the background (and foreground) is appropriate (check what is visible behind/ in front of you).
- I will ensure that I am suitably dressed (fully dressed and not in pyjamas!).
- I will listen carefully during the session and answer any questions I am asked sensibly.
- I will regularly check my Google Classroom to help ensure that I keep on track with my learning.
- I will not take photos of my screen or record online interactions.
- At the end of google meetings, my teacher will ask me to 'hang up' before closing the meeting. I will do this promptly as directed by my teacher.
- I understand that should I fail to follow this Code of Conduct, I will be muted and there will be a follow-up consequence for my actions. Remember with social media, when you type something it's always there and you can't take it back. So be careful of what you say and write.

Vernon Park Primary School will assume that this code of conduct is agreed and will be adhered to. If you would like to discuss any of the points addressed, please contact the school in writing or by email to headteacher@vernonpark.stockport.sch.uk