

# The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School



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Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope everyone had an enjoyable half term. It was great to see all of the children looking refreshed and ready for a new term.

I just wanted to share with you a few concerns and reminders. Some parents have expressed concern to me regarding the use of inappropriate language on school premises, and aggressive behaviour of parents /carers towards other parents/carers on site. I want to take this opportunity to remind you that this is a clear breach of part of the Home-school Agreement, and absolutely not acceptable in front of the children.

Children look to adults for models of behaviour and it is against everything we are all trying to demonstrate to them if adult's behaviour is inappropriate.

If you have a problem or concern, we recommend you come to the office and we will deal with it in an appropriate manner. We would ask parents not to approach other parents regarding concerns about other children or speak about other children in public spaces.

The school site is, and should always be, a safe place for children and their parents and carers. If you see or hear anything which you feel goes against our ethos, please report it to the office immediately. Thank you to those of you who already have done so.

This is a timely reminder that there is no automatic right to have access to the school site, and should negative behaviour which leaves children and their parents feeling unsafe continue, a ban from school premises can and will be imposed.

We are extremely grateful to have such a large number of supportive positive parents and carers in our school community and recognise that this behaviour is not representative of our parent/carers community.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Yours sincerely,

Carmel Dodds

**Head Teacher**



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