

Behaviour Principles – Written Statement



***‘Learning for life,
building a firm foundation’***

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Written Statement of Behaviour Principles

As required by the guidance from the Department for Education on “**Behaviour and discipline in schools - Guidance for governing bodies**”, the following is a statement of general principles in ‘*determining measures to promote good behaviour and discipline amongst pupils*’ DFE, p2

The **All Saints Governing Body** believe that children behave well when they feel safe and secure and believe that behaviour is an expression of need. We strongly guide the school to develop approaches that reflect this belief and support our pupils to develop their emotional well-being.

We also expect the school to provide effective support for pupils with difficulties.

In addition, we ask school to provide clear guidance for their staff on:

- a. Screening and searching pupils
- b. The power to use reasonable force or make other physical contact;
- c. The power to discipline beyond the school gate;
- d. Pastoral care for school staff accused of misconduct; and
- e. When a multi-agency assessment should be considered for pupils who display continuous disruptive behaviour.