

Eastway Behaviour Principles

- Every pupil understands they have the right to feel safe, valued and respected, and learn free from the disruption of others
- · The Code of Conduct is clear, understood and followed by all
- We have agreed and consistent classroom expectations and predictable routines to ensure psychological safety
- · Eastway has a culture of love and respect and relationship building is a priority
- Adults working in school know that all children must be free from harm and humiliation. We never shout, belittle and isolate pupils
- · We praise in public and remind in private
- We use the PACE approach to work with pupils when they are dysregulated
- Recognising and Regulating Emotions is explicitly taught at Eastway
- All pupils, staff and visitors are free from any form of discrimination
- Staff and volunteers set an excellent example to pupils at all times
- All agreed strategies are used consistently by staff, in line with the behaviour policy
- The behaviour policy is understood by pupils, families and staff
- All staff have a responsibility to remind pupils of the Code of Conduct and our Eastway Expectations
- At Eastway we recognise that the 'behaviour we accept, is the behaviour we expect' so there is a collective responsibility for all
- We have an agreed language to remind all pupils of our expectations. We use the child's name, we link the behaviour we do not accept to our Code of Conduct and say thank you.
- Eastway will only use suspensions as a last resort, and in line with the updated DfE Guidance 2023 and only the headteacher can use suspensions, including internal.
- Pupils are helped to take responsibility for their actions and all adults in school know it is their responsibility to teach child to recognise and respond appropriately
- Families are involved in behaviour incidents to foster good relationships between the school and pupils' home life
- A child's behaviour is never discussed in front of a child, this is public shaming tactic
- Staff training on behaviour, attachment, trauma, social, emotional and mental health is a priority, regular updates are included annually and as part of induction.

The Governors at Eastway also emphasise that violence or threatening behaviour will not be tolerated in any circumstances.

This written statement of behaviour principles is reviewed and approved by the Governors on and will be reviewed every 12 months.