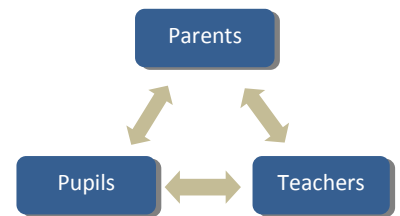




Ark Paddington Green Primary Academy



Whatever it takes commitment by the staff of Ark Paddington Green

Learning

- We believe every pupil at Ark Paddington Green is capable of academic success and gaining a place at university.
- It is through hard work on the part of each pupil, with our support, that their potential will be realised.
- We will make sure we always come to lessons prepared and continually engage pupils in the challenging work that paves the way for success in school and life.
- We will provide rewards for pupils' hard work.
- We will set appropriate homework which will challenge and extend pupils' learning, and ensure it is completed.
- We will take our pupils on relevant, exciting trips.
- We will constantly strive to become better educators.

Pastoral care

- We believe it our duty to care about our pupils' wellbeing, and protect their safety at all times.
- We will ensure that each pupil's teacher will follow their progress and ensure that their individual needs are met.
- We will go out of our way to get to know each of our pupils as individuals.

Parent-academy communication

- We believe that through regular communication, a relationship of trust between school and home can be created.
- We promise to welcome parents into the school community.
- We will hold parent meetings and organise parent workshops and other events frequently across the year.
- We will make sure that pupils and parents will be able to contact their teachers by email and will reply to all communications from parents as soon as possible, usually within 24 hours.

Character and Behavior

- We believe that good character and behaviour is vital to success at university and beyond.
- We will implement the Ark Paddington Green behaviour policy consistently and fairly.
- We will ensure all learning environments are safe. We will protect pupils from poor behaviour choices by insisting on high standards and holding all pupils accountable for their actions.

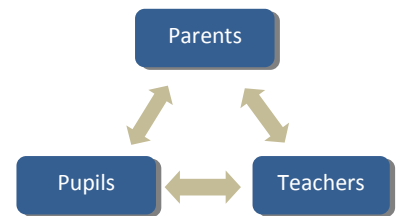
We understand that this commitment will require us to go above and beyond the average expectations of a school. We sign it voluntarily because we believe that Ark Paddington Green is a partnership between the parents, staff and pupils that exists to create the best possible education for our pupils.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Position at the school: _____



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Whatever it takes commitment by parents/carers

Learning

- We believe our child is capable of academic success and gaining a place at university.
- It is through hard work on the part of our child, with our support, that they will reach their potential.
- We will allow our child to go on a variety of trips because we understand these are a vital part of our child's learning. We agree that our child will attend residential trips and will stay away for one or more nights for these trips.
- We understand that our child will have homework regularly, including reading and that it will increase in length as they progress through the school. It is our responsibility to see that homework is completed. If homework is not completed our child will have to stay after school to complete it.

Healthy living

- We understand that the academy will provide a healthy, balanced diet using the family service approach, and we support the choices made by the academy.

Attendance

- We will ensure our child arrives on time to school.
- We will not plan for family holidays or other extended absences during term time. If we take our child out of school in term time we accept that we may be fined by the local authority.
- We will make certain that our child attends school every day, except in cases of illness or another legitimate reason. Wherever possible we will schedule medical appointments outside of school hours. If our child is absent, we will telephone the school before 8:00a.m. on the day of the absence to report the reason.

Uniform

- We will make sure our child wears the full academy uniform to school each day.
- We understand that incorrect uniform will result in us having to bring the proper items to school.

Parent-academy communication

- We will always make ourselves available to the school by providing the school with up-to-date mobile numbers, e-mail and home addresses.
- We will read all reports carefully, attend all parent meetings and sign our child's reading log every night.
- We will treat Ark Paddington Green teachers with respect and courtesy.

Character and Behaviour

- We believe that good character and behaviour is vital to success at university and beyond.
- We know that pupils learn from our actions, therefore, we will model good choices for our children.
- We will discuss behaviour choices with our child helping him/her to reflect meaningfully.
- We support the academy's behaviour policy including the consequences for misbehaviour.
- We understand that if our child breaks the school rules in a serious way we will come to the school when requested to discuss the matter.

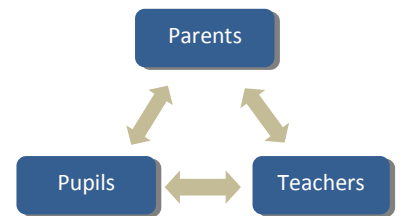
We sign this commitment voluntarily because we believe that Ark Paddington Green is a partnership between the parents and the staff that exists to create the best possible education for our child.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Print name and relationship to child: _____



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Whatever it takes commitment by pupils of Ark Paddington Green:

I will do **WHATEVER IT TAKES** to learn.

- I will always work, think, and behave in the best way I know how, and I will do whatever it takes for my teammates and me to learn.
- I will arrive on time to school every day.
- I will raise my hand and ask questions in class if I do not understand something.
- I will complete all my homework neatly and to a high standard.
- I will read every day for a minimum of: Nursery and reception – 10minutes, Y1- 15minutes Y2- 20 minutes, Y3 and 4 - 30 minutes, Y5 and 6 - 45 minutes.
- I will eat the food that the school provides because I know that it will give me the nutrition I need for learning and growing.
- I will discuss any problems I am having at school with my parents and teachers.

I will do **WHATEVER IT TAKES** to build a safe and respectful community.

- I will always treat everyone at Ark Paddington Green with respect. I will always listen to and care for my teammates.
- I will wear my uniform smartly every day.
- I agree to follow the school rules and I understand there will be consequences if I fail to do so.
- I am responsible for my own behaviour.

I believe I am capable of academic success. I am ready to do whatever it takes to gain a place at university.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Pupil name: _____