

# Darlinghurst Academy



## Home School Agreement

### The Darlinghurst Aim:

Here at Darlinghurst Academy we are invested in shaping the lives of our children.

Everyone is committed to doing their best for each and every child.

To do this we ensure that everyone knows they belong here - a place where children and adults feel confident, take risks, whilst achieving excellence together.

We know that each of our children come to Darlinghurst Academy with different experiences, skills and talents and we are determined to match our provision to help them shine bright, letting their individual talents light their way.

We believe that each and every day counts so that we can share and achieve excellence together.



**Childs Name:**

**Class:**

**As Darlinghurst Academy staff** we shall:

- Care for pupils' safety and happiness and treat them with respect.
- Encourage pupils to be their best in all aspects of school life.
- Provide parents and carers with regular information including newsletters, meetings and reports to discuss progress.
- Provide a balanced, relevant curriculum that meets the needs of the pupils.
- Offer targeted work and personalised learning through extra support for those children with specific educational needs.
- Base our decisions and actions on our Core Values.
- Offer opportunities for home learning (e.g. reading), in line with Darlinghurst's Homework Policy.
- Have high expectations of parents and pupils, insisting that all discussions are respectful, not tolerating aggression or threatening behaviour.
- Ensure that our children learn in a supportive, caring and safe environment (without fear of being bullied).
- Have a consistent approach to dealing with behaviour and incidents.
- Provide an environment where pupils feel safe and secure, are encouraged to talk and are listened to.
- Prepare children to be 21st Century citizens including developing skills for life.
- Promote and support equality and diversity.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**As parents/carers** we will:

- Make sure my child attends school, starting the day in good time (8:40am the classroom's open)
- Collect my child on time at the end of their school day at 3:30pm
- Notify the school on the first day of absence if my child is unable to attend and provide a note of explanation.
- Aim for my child's attendance to be 100%. Lets raise attendance together - every day counts.
- Support my child in their home learning (e.g. reading with them on a daily basis).
- Support my child's learning by working in partnership with outside agencies and staff where necessary.
- Support the school's behaviour policy.
- Set a good example to my own and other children when on school premises.
- Approach the teachers and other staff, parents and pupils in a respectful and non-threatening manner.
- Attend parent's evenings and participate in discussions about my child's progress.
- Ensure all payments for services provided by the school will be kept up to date.
- Provide my child with the expected Darlinghurst school uniform, PE kit and book bag.
- Follow the photo policy in order to safeguard all children.
- Provide my child with a healthy balanced lunch (where applicable)

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Demonstrate all of the Academy values and be ready to learn.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Aim to achieve house points and receive postcards.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Do my best to be friendly and show respect to everyone including myself.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Always consider my presentation best.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop independence and seek help when needed.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Care for our environment and support the Eco Team.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Work hard to enjoy an active and healthy lifestyle.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Be an active citizen, contribute to Academy life and support the Junior Governors.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Use social media sensibly and safely.</li></ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Follow the behaviour system and say no to bullying. <b>S.T.O.P.</b></li></ul>	

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

As a community we will:

**Aa**  
is for  
**Achievement**

**Achievement**  
Always do your very best.  
Together, we will succeed!

**Belonging**  
Be happy and help to make our school a caring, welcoming place.

**Confidence**  
Challenge yourself every day. Ask, discover, explore and create.

**Determination**  
Don't ever give up! Believe that you can and you will.

leads to

**Excellence**

**Always try to do my best. Together we will succeed**

**Bb**  
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**Leading to .....**

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