**GREAT MOOR JUNIOR SCHOOL**

**BEHAVIOUR POLICY - FUN CLUB**

**November 2024**

**Overview**

Fun Club aims to provide a happy, caring environment with engaging activities for our children to do. Therefore, we set high expectations of behaviour through encouraging and praising good behaviour. The children are encouraged to respect themselves, each other, adults and property. Understandable rules are applied to be fair and consistent.

Parents will be informed of persistent unacceptable behaviour. The child may be monitored by staff to identify any further problems. If a child’s behaviour does not improve, senior staff will advise parents of this.

**Rules**

Our rules are clearly explained and modelled to the children on an ongoing basis. Whilst attending Fun Club, children are expected to:

* Show respect to one another. Unwanted behaviour is likely to hurt, injure or upset another child, themselves or an adult. It may also cause damage to property.
* Choose and participate in a variety of activities.
* Ask for help if needed.
* Enjoy their time at Fun Club.

**Positive behaviour is encouraged by:**

* Staff acting as positive role models
* Praising appropriate behaviour
* Sticker rewards
* Informing parents about individual achievements

**Dealing with inappropriate behaviour**

* Challenging behaviour will be addressed in a calm, firm and positive manner.
* In the first instance, if necessary, the child may be removed from the activity.
* Staff will explain why the behaviour is deemed inappropriate.
* Staff will encourage and facilitate mediation between children to try to resolve conflicts through discussion and negotiation.
* Staff will consult with parents to formulate clear strategies for dealing with persistent inappropriate behaviour.
* Incidents will be recorded on CPOMs.
* Children will be given a fresh start after the incident.
* Good behaviour will be reinforced.

**When dealing with unwanted behaviour staff will not:**

* Shout at the child.
* Label the child.
* Humiliate or frighten the child.

If after consultation with parents and the implementation of behaviour management strategies, a child continues to display inappropriate behaviour, hurting other children or refusing to do what staff ask, the child will be put on an agreed monitoring period and if behaviour does not improve, Fun Club may decide to exclude the child. The reasons and the processes involved will be clearly explained to the parent in a meeting with a senior member of staff.

**Dealing with and establishing good behaviour**

Rewards can be:

* Social rewards: smiling, clapping, praise.
* Activity rewards: let the child choose an activity or toy they would like to play with.
* Token rewards: give the child stickers.