

BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING, CHILD PROTECTION & DRUGS EDUCATION

The Garstang High School Behaviour for Learning Policy is an easy to understand, firm but fair system that allows teachers to teach and students to learn. A key part of this policy is regular communication between home and school to ensure that we support each other.

Behaviour for Learning Principles

*All students have the right to learn without disruption.
All teachers have the right to teach without disruption.*

Behaviour for Learning Rules

*Students arrive promptly to lessons and bring the correct equipment.
Students wear the school uniform correctly.
Students act respectfully towards all members of staff and their classmates.
Students work to the best of their ability and contribute positively to their lessons.*

All classrooms have:

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Laminated copies of the Behaviour for Learning Rules displayed.
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Awards and Consequences

A's for good behaviour	C's for poor behaviour
A1 - Merits	C1 - Warning
A2 - Postcards	C2 - Loss of Lesson Award
A3 - Merit Total Awards	C3 - 10 Min "Moving-on"
A4 - Attendance and Behaviour Awards	C4 - 30 Min Lunch Detention
A5 - Headteacher Commendation	C5 - 1 hour After School Detention
A6 - Progress Leader Achievement Award	C6 - Isolation
A7 - Headteacher Achievement Award	C7 - Internal Exclusion
A8 - Students of the Year	C8 - Fixed Term Exclusion

Child Protection

Because of day-to-day contact with children, schools are particularly well placed to observe outward signs of abuse, changes in behaviour or failure to develop. Parents should be aware, therefore, that where it appears to a member of school staff that a child may have been abused, the school is required, as part of the local Child Protection Procedures, to report their concern to the Social Services Department immediately.

Drugs Education

All High Schools in the Wyre Borough area have agreed that they will: -

- * Prepare and regularly review school policies on drug related issues in the light of guidance provided by the Lancashire Education Authority and Lancashire Police.
- * Consult with staff, governors, parents and students in undertaking preparation and review of these policies.
- * Provide relevant drugs education within a structured programme.
- * Liaise with other agencies involved in working against drug misuse.
- * Deal with all drugs related incidents appropriately as outlined in the school policy. At Garstang High School this includes the use of Fixed Term or Permanent Exclusion, as appropriate, in accordance with the Governors Policy on Drug Prevention.
- * Offer help, support and guidance to young persons involved with drugs and to their families when possible.