



# St Gerard's Catholic Primary School

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## **Addendum to the Behaviour Policy – June 2020**

### **Rationale:**

Due to the COVID-19 measures, we will not be able to follow all aspects of our Behaviour Policy. In light of this we need for children to behave differently when they return to school, and adhere to any new systems that we have put in place. To support that we have produced this addendum to be used during the Covid-19 situation.

### **Pupil Expectations:**

- Follow any altered routines for arrival or departure
- Follow school instructions on hygiene, such as handwashing and sanitising
- Follow instructions on who pupils can socialise with at school
- Expectations about sneezing, coughing, tissues and disposal ('catch it, bin it, kill it') and avoiding touching your mouth, nose and eyes with hands
- Tell an adult if you are experiencing symptoms of coronavirus
- Follow the rules about sharing any equipment or other items including drinking bottles
- Follow amended expectations about breaks or play times, including where they may or may not play
- Follow the rules of using specific toilets
- No coughing or spitting at or towards any other person

### **Termination of placements**

If parents are contacted to collect their child due to behaviour, there will be three steps before a child's placement is terminated:

**STEP 1:** Parents contacted to collect their child. The child will not be able to return to school until the following day.

**STEP 2:** If the child continues to make choices which put others at risk, parents will be contacted to collect their child and they will be unable to return to school for one week.

**STEP 3:** If the same child continues with this unsafe behaviour for a third time, their placement will be terminated.

If standards of behaviour are not met and are extreme, the Headteacher reserves the right to end the placement.

**Adopted by the Governors: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2020**