Crocodile Club

Behaviour Management Policy

Crocodile club recognises the importance of positive and effective behaviour management strategies in promoting children's welfare, learning and enjoyment and will follow the school approach to behaviour management. As a school we use our five rules

- 1, listen to the person who is meant to be talking
- 2, do as you are asked straight away
- 3, move around the school sensibly
- 4, be kind
- 5 do your best work

The aims of our behaviour Management policy is to help children to:-

- Develop a sense of caring and respect for one another
- Build caring and co-operative relationships with other children and adults
- Develop a range of social skills and help them learn what constitutes acceptable behaviour
- To enable children to interact with each other whilst at the same time and to having their own space.

Behaviour Management Strategies

The club staff will manage behaviour according to clear, consistent and positive strategies.

- Staff and children will work together to establish a clear set of ground rules.
- The ground rules will apply equally to all children, staff and parents/carers.
- The clubs rules will be put out display in view of children and those coming into contact with the club.
- Challenging behaviour will be addressed in a calm but assertive manner.
- Staff will work as a team by discussing incidents where necessary working with the school staff to resolve such incidents.
- An incidents book will be maintained where such incidents occur.
- The play space will be well resourced and planned to meet the needs of the children and young people and therefore offering a variety of play/activity opportunities.
- When confronted with negative behaviour staff will be clear about distinguishing between disengaged, disruptive and unacceptable behaviour.
- Staff will use physical interventions only as a last resort it is recognised that such interventions will be very rare and may be part of an individual care plan where specific training will be needed to support the care plan.

Bullying

The club is committed to providing an environment for children and staff that is safe, welcoming and free from bullying. Bullying of any form is unacceptable in the club. The club will follow guidance form the School anti Bullying policy.

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