RICHARD TAYLOR SCHOOL

RICHARD TAYLOR CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Bilton Lane, HARROGATE, North Yorkshire, HG1 3DT Telephone: 01423 563078 Fax number: 01423 701103 e-mail: admin@richardtaylor.n-yorks.sch.uk

Head Teacher: Mr S ymonds BA Hons

To Parents of Reception children

Dear Parents,

We have always considered our relationship with parents to be of paramount importance as we recognise that children achieve more when school and parents work together. At Richard Taylor we have been very fortunate in the variety of support we have received from all parents and we know that your children have benefited as a result of this approach.

All schools had to adopt a written home-school agreement and associated parental declaration. This agreement is the responsibility of the governing body and it has to cover certain aspects of school life. It has to be signed by the headteacher, the parents and the child. Attached to this letter is a copy of our home-school agreement. We would like to ask you and your child to sign the agreement and return it to school. We appreciate that reception children will need help with signing their name and we are not concerned about the standard of the writing. If your child is unable to sign their name please encourage them to record their agreement in an appropriate manner.

If you have any problems with this agreement please don't hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Symonds

Andrew Symonds

RICHARD TAYLOR CHURCH OF ENGLAND AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Name of Child

The school's Mission Statement is at the heart of everything we do in the community. The aim of this agreement is to set out the actions that everyone should take to make the Mission Statement a reality in the daily life of our school.

THE SCHOOL

We shall try to:

- Encourage your child to do his/her best at all times
- · Care for your child's safety and happiness
- Ensure that your child achieves his/her full potential as a valued member of the school community
- Provide a balanced curriculum and meet the individual needs of your child
- Achieve high standards of work and behaviour through building good relationships and developing a sense of responsibility
- Keep you informed about general school matters and your child's progress in particular
- Be open and welcoming at all times and offer opportunities for you to become involved in the daily life of the school
- Uphold the Christian ethos of our school

THE PARENTS / GUARDIANS / FAMILY

I / We will try to:

- · See that our child attends school regularly and on time
- · Make the school aware of any concerns or problems that might affect work or behaviour
- Attend Parent's Evenings and discussions about our child's progress
- · Support the school's policy and guidelines for behaviour
- · Support our child in any opportunities for home learning
- Help our child to be responsible for having the appropriate books and equipment in school when required
- Inform the school if our child is going to be absent

THE CHILD

ı	wil	l trv	to:
ı	wii	ιuv	w.

- Do my best at all times
- Follow the school and class rules
- Care for other people in my school
- Look after the school building and equipment and respect other peoples' property

TOGETHER WE WILL:

- Tackle any special concerns
- Encourage your child to keep the school and class rules
- Support the child's learning to help him/her achieve his/her best

Signed:	(Headteacher)
Signed:	(Parent/Guardian)
Signed:	(Child)
Signed:	