

Ballinadee National School

School Rules

Both in and out of school pupils should behave in a way that will bring credit to themselves and to our school.

We expect:

- ✓ Good behaviour and courtesy
- ✓ Helpfulness and co-operation
- ✓ Respect for possessions and property of the school and others
- ✓ Caring for and conserving the environment around the school site

Pupils should care for the safety and wellbeing of everyone associated with the school.

This includes:

- ✓ Walking sensibly in school or in areas where collisions are likely
- ✓ Returning immediately to the teacher if their parent or responsible person is not there to collect them at the end of the day.
- ✓ Avoiding playing games that will distress, offend, or could cause injury to others.
- ✓ Not climbing
- ✓ Not throwing items likely to hurt others e.g. stones
- ✓ Not play fighting-including using sticks or toy weapons e.g. guns, swords.
- ✓ Not using a mobile phone on school premises

Pupils are expected to be appropriately dressed and equipped for school life.

This includes:

- ✓ Wearing school uniform
- ✓ Having the appropriate kit of lessons, including games.
- ✓ Naming all articles brought to school-no responsibility is accepted for loss or damage to valuables brought in.
- ✓ Toys are only allowed with class teachers' permission.
- ✓ Avoiding bringing money into school unless there is a good reason, and always in a labelled envelope.

The school reserves the right to ban any item or practice which, in the opinion of the Principal, could lead to difficulties between children or lessen the image of the school.

Unacceptable Behaviour

The following forms of behaviour are unacceptable in this school

- ❖ Disobedience, answering back, rudeness or aggression to an adult.
- ❖ Racist or sexist comments, swearing and unkind remarks.
- ❖ Physical violence-biting, spitting, hitting, or kicking
- ❖ Bullying
- ❖ Stealing and damaging property
- ❖ Not keeping our school rules

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Code of Behaviour Charter

- At Ballinadee N.S. we will treat one another in a fair and equal way and treat others in the way we wish to be treated
- At Ballinadee N.S. we will listen to and talk respectfully to one another and always tell the truth.
- At Ballinadee N.S. we will value our own and others' work and achievements and always do our best.
- At Ballinadee N.S. we will look after all school and personal property.
- At Ballinadee N.S. we will move carefully and quietly around the building for the safety of others and ourselves.

WE ARE PROUD OF OUR SCHOOL

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Play-Time Charter

- ✓ Always be polite
- ✓ Be aware of other children
- ✓ Make sure no one is left out
- ✓ No litter please-always use the bin or recycle
- ✓ Check with the adult on duty before leaving the playground
- ✓ Stop when the bell rings

