

## **Behaviour Statement**

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At Longney C of E Primary Academy, children and adults are part of a community built on respect and trust underpinned by our Christian Distinctiveness as a Church of England Academy. This policy is underpinned by our Living Values: Respect, Courage, Perseverance, Friendship (our core values), Forgiveness, Compassion, Trust, Truthfulness, Thankfulness, Joy, Hope, Generosity, Service, Justice and Love and our Vision statement:

### ***“Building Community, Enriching Lives”***

The Governors work closely with the Head Teacher and staff to help guide and develop Longney C of E Primary Academy’s behaviour principles. The opening paragraph of our Behaviour policy best summarise the approach taken by our Academy:

At Longney C of E Primary Academy, the staff and Governors, believe that, in accordance with our Vision and our Living Values, all staff will work collaboratively and constructively with children to ensure they understand the expectations we have for them in terms of their behaviour and conduct in Academy. This is based on a commitment to spend time ensuring that children are given clear boundaries, encouraged to reflect on and learn about how their behaviour affects others and to support them in developing empathy with those around them. This will be fostered within a calm and purposeful environment in which the development of respectful relationships is seen as a priority.

We will communicate clearly with parents about important issues or events regarding the behaviour of their children and work in partnership with them to support their child/children.