

# OUR BIRDHAM CHARTER



**Friendship – I will be kind and polite to everyone I meet**

**Perseverance – I will keep trying and never give up**

**Achievement – I will work hard in all that I do**

**Honesty – I will always tell the truth and be trustworthy**

**Respect – I will respect people, property and the environment**

**Responsibility – I will be responsible and reliable**

**Sustainability – I will help to reduce, recycle and reuse**

**Compassion – I will be caring and thoughtful towards others**

**Love – If I do all these things, I can say "I love my neighbour"**

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# Consequences

*If I break the rules of the charter, there will be consequences ...*

- A verbal warning will be issued explaining what I am doing wrong
- A second verbal warning is issued if my behaviour does not improve
- A third verbal warning means a timeout will be issued and I will lose up to 15 minutes of my time
  - If a 15-minute timeout is issued, my parents will be informed
- Any further serious disregard of the Charter will result in an automatic timeout of a minimum of 15 minutes and the involvement of the Deputy Headteacher or Headteacher
  - My parents will be contacted
- In very serious situations I may be excluded from school for a day or longer. If this were to happen then I would be given work to do at home. This could happen if I behaved in a very irresponsible manner and where my actions have severely upset the learning, happiness or safety of others at school. Finally the Governors may decide that they do not want me to be allowed to go to Birdham School. Nobody would want this but it is possible.



***The Birdham Charter will help to keep me safe and happy at school.***

## My Promise

- I have had this Charter explained to me by my teacher and my parents.
- I will keep it safe and look at it from time to time.

*My signature .....*

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