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We pride ourselves on having good relationships with parents, carers and pupils, believing, by working together, we can achieve more.

This document sets out the vision and values at Beckfoot Heaton and forms an agreement between staff and children and their families to make sure that every child achieves a great life. We define our vision as:

At Beckfoot Heaton, we work together so that every child achieves a great life – succeeding in an ambitious career and making a positive difference to the world.

Everyone at Beckfoot Heaton – staff, families and children show the following values to achieve our vision.

Growth – We are curious to find out more. We *enjoy* getting better. We believe we can.

Commitment – We work hard. We are motivated to *learn*. We never give up on ourselves or each other.

Integrity – We are kind to ourselves and others. We make the right choices to *succeed*. We do the right thing.

Outlined below are the rights and responsibilities of school, families and children, to ensure all are given the best possible chance of succeeding in school and in life.

All parents, carers, staff and children will:

- Understand and act upon our vision and all three values
- Work as a team to achieve success – listening carefully to each other's thoughts and feelings.

School will:

- have high aspirations for what your child can achieve
- provide a broad and relevant curriculum to meet the needs of your child to ensure they love learning

- develop your child’s independence and social skills so they progress confidently through school and beyond making a positive difference to the world
- provide support to help your child progress and achieve high standards of work
- communicate, ensuring you and your children are well informed
- provide opportunities to become involved in school life

Families will:

- have high aspirations for what my child can achieve and tell my child this
- ensure my child attends school, on time, properly dressed, rested, fed, and equipped for the school day
- inform school on the first day my child is going to be absent for any reason, providing medical evidence where requested
- be open, informing school of any concerns, problems or issues which may affect my child’s work or behaviour
- support school’s policies and ethos and set a good example to my child
- positively praise my child for their attitude, effort and successes at school
- attend family events to learn how to support my child’s development and learning or make alternative arrangements to speak with the teacher

Children will:

- come to school every day, on time, dressed in the correct school uniform
- follow the Heaton routines
- respect the school building and environment, cleaning up after themselves
- embrace challenge and be open to learning new things, knowing not being able to do something *yet* is not a problem
- take responsibility for their actions
- keep growing to be a great learner and a great person

We invite parents and children to sign this document as a declaration of their support of this agreement, and the promise to adhere to the guidelines and rules set out by school. Parents and children who do not sign this are not exempt from following our vision and values.

Name

Signature

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