

SHANKLEA PRIMARY SCHOOL

EYFS Behaviour Guidelines

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EYFS Behaviour Statement of Intent

In Shanklea EYFS we have high expectations of behaviour and we believe in promoting positive behaviour through praise and stickers. There are Golden Rules which are explained to the children and are kept beside the smart board. These are reinforced when incidents occur.

Positive behaviour is rewarded with verbal praise and stickers. Individual children may be given Kind Hand rewards or Smiley Face reward when they can choose a favourite activity.

Sanctions

The traffic light system is used in Shanklea EYFS. All adults have a set of traffic light cards which they keep on them during the session attached to their lanyard. Children are praised for positive behaviour and shown the green light card. If a child displays negative behaviour after being reminded of the rules then they are shown the yellow light card as a warning. If the negative behaviour continues or if the child hurts another child they are then shown the red light card and in Nursery they will have to sit on a 'thinking chair' timed for three minutes with a sand timer which the child can see. During the time on the chair the child will be in sight of an adult and other children will be kept away. The child will be spoken to about their actions and asked to apologise to other child if needed. If a child moves onto the red traffic light then they will spend 15 minutes after lunch in the quiet area where they will think about their behaviour. They will be spoken to by a member of staff in the quiet area who is usually a member of the SLT. In reception traffic lights are displayed on the wall, all children will start on green and if needed they will be moved to the amber or red light.

If there are recurring incidents of negative behaviour then these are documented and the child's parents are informed and asked to sign the Behaviour Record book which is kept in a box on the First Aid Notice Board. If required then a meeting will be held with parents or carers.