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17th November 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

St Anne's takes pride in our welcoming, nurturing and inclusive environment. However, since September, the behaviour of several of the children in our school are beginning to damage this ethos for the rest of the children and staff are becoming increasingly frustrated by the lack of respect and refusal to follow the rules of the school.

I want to try and reassure parents and carers that inappropriate behaviour in any form is treated very seriously at St Anne's and <u>will not be tolerated.</u>

Firstly, any unacceptable behaviour is logged onto our system (which can also be accessed by the local authority) and depending on the disruptive behaviour eg verbal abuse and physical assaults on staff and/or peers, fixed term exclusions are issued.

If we are not meeting the needs of pupils, we place individual pupils onto pastoral support programmes which limits the time pupils spend in school and in order to try to reduce the challenging behaviour that often has impact on others.

If a pupil continues to accrue a number of fixed term exclusions, then parents are at risk of having to find another school for their child due to <u>permanent exclusion.</u>

Throughout this process, Mrs Stephens and I meet with parents to share our concerns, for parents to have a voice and so that we are explicit with our next steps.

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In the past, we have received feedback from some parents that they feel exclusions don't work. That might be the case if parents don't work with school and ensure that work set for pupils during the exclusion period is completed at home. If children are allowed to spend time at home playing on their play stations, going out into town, or having treats etc then this is giving mixed messages to the children and naturally children will be happier spent at home. Children should not want to be excluded if they know there will also be a sanction at home. It is essential therefore that parents work with staff at school so that we can reduce the exclusions and the challenging behaviour that is now a cause for concern.

I haven't completed a permanent exclusion since for several years and I hope that I never have to, however there are a number of pupils that are very close to it!

St Anne's will always support pupils vulnerable to learning or have learning needs however we will not tolerate pupils that CHOOSE to misbehave.

If you have any questions relating to this letter, please arrange an appointment to see me.

Yours sincerely

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