## King Ina Church of England Academy

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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

We have had a great first month back at school. The children's behaviour for learning has been fantastic; they are ready to learn, they have been working hard in their lessons and have importantly enjoyed all the activities and the learning.

We have seen outstanding work from our newly appointed Sport Captains from Year 6 whose role this year includes leading games on the field for children during break and lunchtimes. We have also been really impressed with our new Peer Mediators from Years 5 and 6, who are doing a great job of helping the children to manage friendship problems at playtimes. Please see our King Ina Facebook page for regular updates and photographs of the children at work:: King Ina C of E Academy - Home | Facebook

We spent a lot of time in September helping the children to understand and remember our Golden Rules, discussing behaviours we should see if children are following the rules and behaviours that break the rules. We give a huge range of rewards to children who are following the Golden Rules throughout the week, culminating in Golden Time at the end of the week. Included in this is a half termly whole school reward for those children who have been following the Golden Rules consistently. Those children who have repeatedly broken the Golden Rules throughout the half term or who have received a yellow card will not be able to take part in the whole school reward. Please see our school Behaviour Policy on our website for further details.

Please find attached an electronic copy of our Home School Agreement for the academic year 2022-2023. Your child will also bring home a paper copy of the agreement.

The agreement includes:

- Our School Values
- Our 7 Golden Rules, which relate to Golden Time at the end of the school week
- The School's Declaration
- A Parent Declaration
- A Pupil Declaration

In order to enhance the children's understanding, we ask that you take the time to read and discuss the agreement with your child at home. Once you have done this, we ask that you and your child sign the declarations on the **paper copy** and then return the agreement to your child's class teacher. The electronic copy is for you to keep for reference.

We are committed to working with parents and families to help achieve the very best for every child and thank you in advance for your support.

Best wishes

Mrs S Svenson Headteacher