

WALTHAMSTOW MONTESSORI SCHOOL

PARENTS AS PARTNERS POLICY

STATEMENT OF POLICY

The entire WMS team are committed to working with parents/carers as partners to provide a positive environment and quality care for their children.

We believe that the relationship between the School and the parents/carers is crucial to the well-being, development and progress of every child.

1. All parents/carers are welcome to visit the school at any time.
2. Parents/carers will have access to their child's records and will be consulted in respect to the care given at each stage of their child's development.
4. A suggestion system will be put into operation via our regular parent/carer questionnaires.
5. All of the school Policies are available on the WMS website for parents/carers to see. Signed copies are available on request.

It is the policy of the school to ensure that parents/carers have the opportunity to actively participate, in the events held throughout the year. We welcome parent/carer support, ideas and help at all levels and hope for participation in our many exciting curriculum and festival activities.

The school aims to ensure that parents/carers are very involved in their child's education while at WMS. We aim to achieve this by:

- Ensuring that staff consult with and seek guidance from parents/carers when planning and implementing child care practices.
- Ensuring that parents/carers have the opportunity to review their children's progress on regular basis with school staff.
- Ensuring that parents/carers are informed about new policies, procedures and guidelines of the school.
- Ensuring that parents/carers can meet with staff and other parents/carers to discuss relevant issues and concerns.
- Phone calls.
- Newsletters.
- School Website.
- Parents/carers evenings

Parental/carer involvement is an integral part of the philosophy behind WMS.

Complaints

All complaints will be dealt with fairly and promptly.
(Please see our complaints procedure.)

This policy was adopted on dated: **01.09.2011**

Signed (Principal):

Signed (Senior member of school staff):

Signed (Parent Representative):

Date signed: 1/5/19

Date to be Reviewed: 01.05.20