



Four Acres
Academy

CLASS DOJO POLICY

Introduction

We have adopted a new behaviour system at school called “Class Dojo”. This is easy to use and gives pupils the chance to be rewarded regularly for demonstrating positive behaviour. Children take ownership of their own behaviour and enjoy working hard to win the Dojo points. Class teachers can look at weekly reports to show how successful individual pupils have been and whether they have achieved all of their golden time/fun Friday. In order to achieve this pupils must earn 20 Dojo points or more (except Dragonflies). In addition to this, the person with the highest amount of points in each class will receive a prize.

Class Dojo also allows staff to track negative behaviour that may be demonstrated, although pupils are then encouraged to earn back positive rewards straight after, rather than dwell on the negative. Class Dojo will be used alongside the current school behaviour policy (available on school website).

The weight of the points awarded will be consistent across all phases, however each class teacher will tailor the categories to best suit their classes needs.

Breakdown of “Class Dojo” points (wording may differ between classes)

Positive points:

- Behaviour targets e.g. good listening – 2 points
- Homework – 2 points
- P.E. kit – 2 points
- Resilience – 3 points
- Reading record – 2 points
- Attendance – 1 points
- Superstar (for something exceptional) – 5 points

Negative points:

- Poor presentation – negative 1
- Unkind behaviour – negative 1
- Off task – negative 1

Please note, on occasion teachers may need to deduct a point as a result of an error. This will be called “correction”.

Classes may wish to add behaviour targets to this list in order to suit classes as necessary. Feel free to speak to your child's class teacher should you require any clarification.

Parent Involvement

Class Dojo now forms part of our school behaviour management policy. We are trying to further strengthen the links between school and home. This system can be seen by parents using their own individual usernames and passwords when they log on from home using their own IT device. The system works with iPads, Laptops, PC's and Mobile Phones. Class Dojo gives you the opportunity to track your child's behaviour and attitude in class. It also provides parents with the opportunity to contact teachers if necessary. Please note that teachers are not expected to respond outside of working hours.