

Our school is a family school - part of the Catholic family of St John Bosco Catholic Academy. Like any family, it is built on relationships that are loving and caring, though sometimes love needs to be demonstrated by helping people to change their behaviour for the better.

Our approach to behaviour management must never be in conflict with the teachings of the Catholic Church. It must always support the school Mission Statement, helping the children to contribute to building God's kingdom.

We believe that effective behaviour management requires the following features:

- A clear approach that everyone understands
- Plenty of rewards for appropriate behaviour
- A system for resolving poor behaviour choices
- Increased support for pupils who have difficulty with their behaviour

We believe that "Love your neighbour as yourself" - should be at the heart of our approach to promoting good behaviour.

We believe that each member of our community should be treated with equal respect and given equal opportunities regardless of race, gender, age, sexuality, religion or disability. They have the right to feel secure and happy and share the responsibility to make sure that these are the experiences of all members of our community.

The advice, support and training of services such as Behaviour Support or Educational Psychology should be regularly sought to ensure that appropriate provision is available for all pupils and staff. The impact of our policies and practices should be reviewed regularly to make sure we are doing all we can to promote good behaviour from all the children.