

## St Michael's STARS Expectations September 2025

At St Michael's Primary School, we believe that every child deserves a calm, respectful, and inspiring environment in which to learn and grow. That's why we've introduced our **STARS expectations**; a simple, consistent framework that supports positive behaviour across the school.

### **What does STAR stand for?**

#### **Learning Matters**

Sit up straight, arms folded  
Track the adult – "Magnet Eyes"  
Ask and Answer like an expert  
Ready and respectful at all times

**These behaviours help children stay focused, engaged, and ready to learn.**

#### **Manners Matter**

We encourage children to:

- Say "Please", "Thank you", and "Good Morning"
- Track the adult with "Magnet Eyes"
- Ask how others are feeling
- Be Respectful at all times

**These simple acts of kindness and courtesy help build a caring school community.**

#### **Walking Safely**

Children are expected to:

- Stand straight, arms by their side
- Take care and be safe
- Allow others to pass and open doors
- Be Respectful at all times

**This ensures safe and considerate movement around the school.**

#### **SUPER STAR Qualities**

We celebrate children who go above and beyond by showing:

- Speaking up
- Taking responsibility
- Aiming high
- Resilience

**These values help our pupils become confident, independent learners and thoughtful members of society.**

#### **Consequences & Reflection**

When expectations aren't met, children will:

- Reflect and discuss with an adult
- Complete missed learning
- Practise safe and respectful behaviours

Our approach is always supportive and focused on learning from mistakes.

If you have any questions or would like to know more about how we support behaviour and wellbeing at St Michael's, please don't hesitate to get in touch.