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Dear Parents/Carers,

### Pledges

As you will know, we really value and promote the personal development and successes of all our wonderful children. We are now excited to launch our Primary School Pledges, across our Trust of schools, that will inspire children, staff and families even further!

We believe that we should send our children out into the world, and their next steps, able and qualified and with basic life skills that will last a lifetime. The Brinsworth Whitehill Pledges encourage students to engage and take part in experiences which will help them to understand the world around them and be able to play a positive role in their community and beyond.

It is divided into the following three categories, which focus on the key areas of personal development we want to enshrine and that run throughout our curriculum:



Within each of these areas, we will offer a Bronze, Silver and Gold level of aspiration which will build up over their time in school, from EYFS to Year 6. Each area is broken down into key successes, experiences and activities that the children will be part of.



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# What are our pledges?

Primary School Pledges		Bronze	Silver	Gold
Lifeskills	<b>Career and Aspiration</b>	Take part in a discussion and activity about different careers	Research different careers of significant people	To take part in an interview process
	<b>Effective communication</b>	Work as part of a team or group	Negotiate and present your ideas	Take a leadership role in a presentation or project
	<b>Well-being</b>	Take part in a discussion about my feelings and the feelings of others	Support someone in a group to feel valued and included.	Be a mentor or support and help someone else feel valued
Cultural experiences	<b>Extra-curricular</b>	Participate in an extracurricular club, event or activity	Represent school in an external event or activity	Achieve external recognition in an event
	<b>Outside school</b>	Go on a school trip	Visit a museum, theatre or musical event	Go on a residential
	<b>Understanding your roots</b>	Understand local Geography, e.g. know about local landmarks etc.	Research local role models	Research key historical events that occurred in Yorkshire
Active citizenship	<b>Volunteering and charity</b>	To participate in a local community event or support a local and national charity through school	Work within a group in a local community event or support a local and national charity through school	To support a charity or a local community event external to school
	<b>Appreciating diversity</b>	Participate and celebrate a cultural event	To learn a different language and about a different country	To understand diversity in our society and take part in conversations and discussions about it
	<b>Democracy</b>	Have opportunities to take part in the school council process	Within a group a take part in a democratic process that effects change	Within a group take part in a democratic process that effects change external to school

Kind regards,

Mrs Oxborough

Head Teacher