

5th September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to inform you about an exciting academic year ahead for our students as they engage in a range of activities centred around the Arthur Terry Way, our behaviour curriculum.

The Arthur Terry Way focuses on explicitly teaching the rules and routines of the school, as well as fostering desirable character traits and learning habits. This curriculum is designed to create a positive learning environment where teachers can teach effectively, and students can learn to the best of their abilities. Our goal is to challenge students through their learning experiences, helping them to become the very best versions of themselves. We of course appreciate that every child is different and will ensure that all of our students receive appropriate support alongside this.

To this end, one element we are introducing this week is our conduct card. This initiative encourages students to consistently demonstrate positive behaviour whilst actively reminding students of our high standards if they are not displaying them.

If a student wears their uniform correctly and displays appropriate conduct, they will not need to produce their conduct card. Regular production of a student's conduct card for displaying incorrect uniform standards or conduct around school will lead to a sanction being issued. Student's who do not need to produce their conduct card over a period of time will be rewarded using our Praise and Behaviour policy. It is the students responsibility to have their conduct card on their person at all times; that said, to be clear, if their uniform is smart and their conduct is in line with our expectations they will not be asked to show it. Therefore, should a student lose their card or it become damaged beyond repair etc, they simply need to maintain the standards expected of every student, meaning they are not asked to produce it. Students will be re-issued with a fresh conduct card at the start of each term.

For more information relating to the The Arthur Terry Way, Please click the link below.

<https://arthurterry.bham.sch.uk/files/2024/09/September-Training-Presentation-Website.pdf#september-training-presentation-website/>

We believe that these activities and the introduction of conduct cards will significantly contribute to a harmonious and productive school environment where your children will thrive and grow, both as learners, and as well rounded young people, ready to contribute to the wider world. We appreciate your support in reinforcing these values at home and encouraging your child to participate fully in this week's activities.

Thank you for your continued partnership in your child's education.

The Leadership Group