

Rule 1

Listen to everyone and don't shout.

Rule 2

Co-operate and do your best.



**Good To Be Green**  
**(Nursery/Reception)**



As part of our positive behaviour strategy we have a new approach to monitoring behaviour and attitudes in school following a green, yellow and red system.

**The basic idea of the Good To Be Green behaviour system is that we always look for the positive, give opportunities to make better choices and allow regular 'fresh starts', through praise, encouragement and rewards.**

All classes have their own class charters which they agree with the children at the start of the year but we have a set of 5 Golden Rules which were created by a group of children and which all children are expected to follow during their time at Maple Tree. These rules will be discussed in lessons and reminders will be given visually around the school.

Consistency is the key, so all staff in the school will follow the same rules and procedures.

- All children start each session 'green' (morning, playtime, after play, lunch, afternoon), regardless of any cards given in previous sessions.
- Staff will always start with gentle reminders about behaviour where needed, pointing out to the child which rule is being broken or ignored.
- Next step is a first verbal warning, followed by a second verbal warning; "If you do this again it will be a yellow card".
- If the behaviour continues, a yellow card to be given, again with a clear explanation of the reason and a reminder of how to prevent a red card following.
- If necessary, a further verbal warning, again with a focus on making good choices.
- If the unwanted behaviour continues, a red card to be given. At this point there will be an immediate consequence (time out, senior staff input, loss of playtime etc).
- It must be noted that some behaviours will result in an immediate red card.
- Parents will be informed of any red cards given.
- Children who have been green all week will be given a sticker before leaving school on Friday.
- Children who stay green for a complete half term will be presented with a certificate. For a complete term they will receive a small gift, and for an entire school year there will be a treat in July which will be negotiated with the children.

I have received the information about the Good to Be Green behaviour system

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Carer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Rule 3

Always be polite and nice.

Rule 4

Follow instructions

Rule 5

Respect all equipment and others