

## EAST WEST INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

## **PARENTAL BEHAVIOUR POLICY**

At East West International School, we believe that education is a team effort. Parents work together with the school to provide individualized, international quality education for each child. Parents are encouraged to take an active role in giving us feedback and seeking feedback on their child's progress. We want to hear from you. Please refer to our parent information book for examples of how you can stay in contact with us.

At East West International School, one of our core values is respect for other persons, regardless of their race, ethnicity, gender, age, social standing or wealth. All persons within our community are treated with equal respect. We model this behavior at our school and we teach children to respect others. We expect our parents to also model this behavior and to deal with all members of the school community with respect.

We will therefore not tolerate the following behavior from parents towards any member of staff, parents and students at EWIS:

- Shouting, either in person or over the telephone
- Inappropriate posting on Social Networking sites (such as Facebook) which could bring the school into disrepute or be deemed as bullying
- Speaking in an aggressive/threatening tone
- Physically intimidating, e.g. standing very close
- The use of aggressive hand gestures/exaggerated movements
- Physical threats
- Shaking or holding a fist towards another person
- Swearing
- Pushing
- Hitting e.g. slapping, punching or kicking
- Spitting
- Racist or sexist comments

Persistent aggressive behavior from parents, or intentional campaigning against the school, may result in parents being asked to remove their child/ren from the school. This is at the discretion of the director. Parents may appeal to the School Board.

If any parent has a complaint or a particular issue that needs to be resolved with the school, we want to hear from you. Please use the channels of communication provided.

- 1) Contact the office staff, who will make an appointment with the appropriate member of management at the school. Office staff will not respond to complaints they will simply answer questions on school policy.
- 2) Address the issue calmly and with respect to all persons attending a scheduled meeting.
- 3) Be open to listening and embracing the ethos and educational policies of the school. We in turn will try to accommodate any special needs for your child, within reason.

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		(student's names) have
read and understood the Par	rental Behaviour Policy of East West International School.	
Signature:	Date:	