### Mavisbank School

### POLICY - WALL DISPLAYS

#### RATIONALE

Wall displays reflect the ethos of a class/school and for that reason the wall displays in Mavisbank School reflect the School Aims. Mavisbank School aims to be a welcoming, friendly school that provides a caring, positive environment which encourages achievements for all pupils and recognises success at all levels.

### **AIMS**

- Wall displays will be aesthetically presented, taking into account the visual needs of our pupils i.e. where possible at the eye level of the pupils, uncluttered and defined by contrasting borders
- Wall displays will maintain the dignity of our pupils and reflect the ethos of the school
- Wall displays will comply with Health and Safety Standards and the Data Protection Act

#### **IMPLEMENTATION**

#### Within classroom

- Provide information about the needs of pupils
- Reflect the learning experience of the pupils
- Reflect the curriculum/theme of the class
- Reflect the ASP's and Work Records
- Provide examples of pupils' work
- Be age appropriate/pupil appropriate
- Be clear, bright and well organised writing should be neat or printed on the computer
- Be changed as the theme/curriculum/learning experiences change

## Open Areas

- Reflect the learning experiences/themes etc.
- Encourage pupils to look at displays
- Provide information for staff and visitors e.g. about the school ethos
- Record achievements of pupils for the whole school to acknowledge
- Be changed according to changes in theme/curriculum etc.

# Specific Areas/Responsibility

- Each class has an open area for which they are responsible
- Each class has a wall of achievement

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