

GAYHURST SCHOOL COOKIE POLICY

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1. INTRODUCTION

This Cookie Policy explains how Gayhurst School (“we”, “our”, or “us”) uses cookies and similar technologies on our website gayhurstschool.co.uk.

By using our website, you agree that we can place cookies on your device in accordance with the terms of this policy.

2. WHAT ARE COOKIES

Cookies are small text files that are placed on your computer, smartphone, or other device when you visit a website.

They help the site to function properly, improve user experience, and provide information to website owners.

3. TYPES OF COOKIES WE USE

We use the following categories of cookies on our website:

a) Strictly Necessary Cookies

These cookies are essential for the website to function correctly. They enable basic features such as page navigation, access to secure areas, and form submissions. The website cannot function properly without these cookies.

b) Performance and Analytics Cookies

These cookies help us understand how visitors interact with our website by collecting information such as the number of visitors, pages visited, and time spent on each page. This information is collected anonymously and used to improve the performance of our site.

c) Functionality Cookies

These cookies allow the website to remember choices you make, such as your language preferences or the region you are in. This helps to provide a more personalised experience.

d) Targeting or Advertising Cookies

We do not use advertising or marketing cookies on our website. If this changes in the future, we will update this policy and request your consent before placing them.

4. **THIRD-PARTY COOKIES**

Some cookies may be set by third-party services that appear on our website, such as Google Analytics or embedded content (for example, videos or maps).

We have no control over these cookies but take care to ensure that all third-party providers comply with data protection laws.

5. **HOW TO MANAGE COOKIES**

You can control and manage cookies in several ways:

- Most web browsers allow you to view, delete, or block cookies through your browser settings.
- You can choose to delete cookies already stored on your device.
- If you block all cookies, parts of our website may not work properly.

For instructions on how to control cookies, refer to your browser's help section.

6. **CHANGES TO THIS POLICY**

We may update this Cookie Policy from time to time. Any updates will be posted on this page with an updated "Last Updated" date.

7. **CONTACT US**

If you have any questions or concerns about our use of cookies, please contact:

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