Rydalmere PS Rules of Engagement for Google Classroom

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1. **BEHAVIOUR:** Be responsible for your own actions. Know that if you break these rules, there are serious consequences.
2. **LANGUAGE:** Use complete words and sentences. Use only appropriate language. Try to use proper punctuation. No abbreviations such as idk, instead type, "I don't know". We are not in a chat stream, we are in a Classroom. We know that you are all missing your friends and being able to chat to them, so we are providing other opportunities through Adobe Connect for you to have some social time online with your friends/classmates.
3. **PATIENCE:** Be patient. Just as when you are in the regular classroom, your teacher is helping lots of students and this can't happen all at once. Your teacher will answer your questions/comments as quickly as they can.
4. **SPAMMING:** Do not spam a post or your Classroom stream with inappropriate content such as text, emojis and pictures. This includes typing 'Hi' repeatedly or posting pictures and gifs that are nothing to do with your learning.
5. **SHOW RESPECT:** Listen to other people's ideas. You can try to improve other people's ideas by offering advice in a respectful way, just like in our regular classroom.

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3. **ADOBE CONNECT LESSON BEHAVIOUR:** Your teacher will make sure you know that it is a formal lesson. The rules to follow here are the same as your regular classroom rules.
4. **ADOBE CONNECT SOCIAL/CHAT BEHAVIOUR:** Your teacher will make sure you know that it is a social/chat session. The rules to follow here are the same as our regular playground rules.
5. **SPAMMING:** If you wish to spam the chat 'pod' with text, you may do so during the social/chat sessions ONLY, not during a classroom lesson.