



Settle CE Primary School

AIMS AND VALUES

THE SCHOOL WORKS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE CHURCH AT PARISH AND DIOCESAN LEVELS TO:

1. Provide the framework, encouragement and resources *for all* pupils to achieve their potential within a supportive Christian culture and atmosphere;
2. Increase the self-confidence and self-esteem of all pupils and provide them with opportunities to develop their own values, interests and talent.
3. Foster in our pupils the skills, knowledge, values and experience needed to make informed life choices.
4. Foster an atmosphere of tolerance, understanding and respect for the rights, aspirations and cultures of others that mirrors the school's Christian Foundation and beliefs
5. Ensure that when pupils leave the school they are able to contribute positively to their surroundings
6. Ensure the school operates to effective and highly efficient financial standards

TO ACHIEVE THESE AIMS WE:

1. Provide a broad and differentiated curriculum that offers a wide range of knowledge, skills and experience relevant to individual needs as well as fulfilling the requirements of the National Curriculum, Foundation Stage and Christian Foundation.
2. Develop a strong sense of being an inclusive Christian community in which all pupils feel valued and are encouraged to achieve the highest standards possible.
3. Establish and practice a policy of using praise and rewards in order to recognise and encourage the achievements of all pupils
4. Ensure that staff are supported and valued and that the commitment to appraisal and staff development is maintained
5. Develop links with other schools, colleges and organisations in the wider community
6. Create a pleasant working environment and ensure that the school is equipped and resourced to the highest possible level within the constraints of the school Budget
7. Monitor the quality of provision in and across the school on a regular basis
8. Monitor the methods and processes for dealing with finances on a regular basis and in line with the Financial Management Standard in Schools.