

Aims and Values

Our Vision statement:

“Settle Church of England Primary School and Kirkby Malham Primary School Federation provide a place where all children are Loved, Valued and flourish to achieve their potential”.

Together we will:

Achieve

Be the very *best* people that we can be.

Make our school and our community the *best* place to study and to live

Encourage everyone to do and to achieve their very *best*

Rise to challenge and always give our *best* effort

Believe

We have courage to *believe* in ourselves and each other

We *believe* that life is to be enjoyed and we will make the most of all the opportunities that are presented to us

We *believe* we should try our hardest to live in peace and harmony with each other

We *believe* that we can create a better world

Care

*Provide a safe, caring community in which we will act with **fairness, forgiveness** and **compassion**, treating others as we would like to be treated.*

We *Care* about friends and family and are thankful for all who help us

We *Care* about others and are polite and courteous, listening to and respecting each other

We are *careful* with our choices and are always responsible and truthful

We *care* about the greater good and put others before our personal needs

We *care* about difference, are respectful of all try to see everyone's strengths

Crucial to achieving this the school will encourage the concept of life-long learning and working in partnership:

Learning for Life

- Ensure that all children experience success and that the curriculum is 'experience led'
- Provide the highest quality of teaching and learning for ALL
- Make learning, challenging and enjoyable and foster the development of important life skills
- Use a variety of teaching and learning styles within a curriculum which is creative, broad and balanced, making effective use of a wide range of resources
- Monitor and evaluate our performance, as we aim to continually raise standards
- Inspire children to be passionate about learning.
- Promote a healthy lifestyle

Working in Partnership

- Develop an active learning partnership between our federation of schools
- Work in collaboration with our families, the diocese and the wider community
- Foster an atmosphere that encourages personal and professional development for everyone at school
- Help all children to become responsible citizens with a positive multicultural awareness