

Mission Statement of the School

We set high standards and strive for excellence in all we do.

SCHOOL AIMS

School Environment

1. To create a stimulating, challenging and imaginative environment in which, and through which, children are able to achieve the highest standard socially, physically, mentally, emotionally, creatively and intellectually.
2. To create a warm, friendly environment where children and adults are cared for, valued and respected.
3. To provide security and stability for all children through a disciplined environment based upon fairness and consistency.

Curriculum

4. To teach a broad, balanced and relevant curriculum encompassing the National Curriculum, Religious Education, Personal, Social and Health Education and MFL.
5. To enable all children, through the curriculum, to become competent in a variety of skills especially literacy and communication, and numeracy.
6. To ensure progression within each child's learning experiences.
7. To maintain and develop lively and inquiring minds.
8. To promote the ability to question, consider, argue and to solve problems.
9. To provide opportunities for active learning based on first hand experiences, observation, investigation and imagination.
10. To provide quality cultural provision covering: visual arts, performing arts, film and media, literature, sport and health, heritage and tourism.

Developing the Individual

11. To encourage children to become independent and take responsibility for their own learning.

12. To encourage the development of a positive self-image, giving confidence to promote success.
13. To provide for the needs of all children and ensure inclusive practices take place.
14. To respect individual beliefs, appreciate and celebrate differences in culture, and build upon similarities to promote understanding and tolerance.
15. To encourage children to value and appreciate the beauty and quality of the environment, and our corporate and individual responsibility to care for it.
16. To facilitate self-evaluation, professional and personal development of members of the school community.
17. To encourage children to appreciate human endeavour and recognise the influence of humans on our environment, and in our culture.

Links with the Community

18. To establish and maintain a true partnership with parents to promote and enhance the education and development of children.
19. To develop and extend links with the local and wider community to promote community cohesion.