ST PETER'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL - OUR VALUES AND INTENT

Our school motto - Together We Believe, Aspire And Achieve - underpins all that we do and is based upon 14 values that were chosen collaboratively between children, families, staff and governors. These values set the tone for the collective ethos which runs throughout St Peter's, something which is commented upon by all visitors and described as 'outstanding' in our most recent SIAMS (Statutory Inspection of Anglican & Methodist Schools) and OFSTED reports.

It is summarised as follows:



and aims to ensure that every child will:

- enjoy his/her learning and take an active role in it.
- achieve and progress, academically and socially, whatever their particular starting point.
- experience school as a safe, caring and supportive learning environment.
- acquire reasoned attitudes, values and beliefs.
- respect other people's religious, cultural and moral values, and learn tolerance and understanding through developing an empathy with other communities, local, national or global. experience responsibility, exercise judgement and develop advocacy and negotiating skills.
- know we value achievement in all areas, whether academic, social, sporting, creative or other.
- appreciate human achievement through the study of major areas of knowledge and experience, inc language, literacy, science, maths, art, music, technology and physical pursuits.
- develop lively, inquiring minds capable of independent thought.
- apply themselves to tasks and understand the importance of hard work.
- acquire the knowledge and skills necessary for life in a democratic society.

To this end, our pledge is that we endeavour to ensure that every child will:

- have a 1:10 adult:child ratio in EYrs
- be taught by communication, speech and language specialists in KS1
- leave Y2 as a reader
- leave Y3 as a swimmer (water confidence level+)
- learn a musical instrument in Y4
- will be taught a broad and balanced curriculum
- partake regularly in music, sport, drama and the arts
- have access to a range of free extra-curricular provision unrivalled across the city
- make good (or better) academic progress in reading, writing and maths throughout St Peter's and ...
- **live, love and learn at St Peter's in an environment founded upon moral and Christian values; children will leave the school with the skills to be lifelong learners and rounded citizens and with the ability to make a positive contribution to their future society.**