



St. Francis Church of England Primary School

School Development Plan 2019-2020

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Our Vision

Our aim at St. Francis Church of England Primary School is to guide our children to live fulfilling lives, rooted in the values taught by Jesus, based on the Gospel value of love for one another.

Our Mission Statement

Love Faith.

"Let your light shine before people, so that they will see the good things you do and praise your Father in heaven."
Matthew 5:16

Love People.

"In everything, do the good things for other people that you would want them to do for you."
Matthew 7:12

Love Learning.

"Wise people are always learning. Wise people always want to listen."
Proverbs 18:15

Our School Rules

We listen to each other.

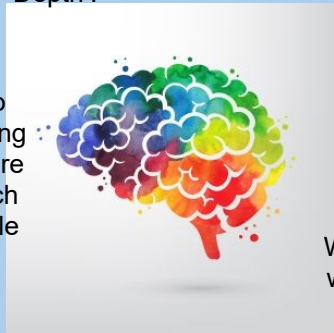
We follow instructions given by safe adults.

We treat each other as we want to be treated.

We know and celebrate that we are all different.

Love Faith. Love People. Love Learning.

We are going to review our strategies to ensure that there is good challenge to enable more children to attain 'Greater Depth'.



Children's Learning

We are going to review the teaching of writing to ensure our children reach their best possible outcomes.

We will continue to ensure that our children are making expected progress from their starting points.

We will continue to implement strategies from last year to further improve progress measures, especially in writing.

We will continue to review our lunchtimes to ensure excellent behaviour happens during unstructured times.

We will continue to monitor standards to ensure all children feel safe.



Behaviour for Learning and Christian Distinctiveness

We will be placing a focus on the impact of collective worship on children's behaviours and attitudes.

We want to review the opportunities we give to reading so we can ensure reading is a top priority to improving all areas of the curriculum.

We need to make sure girls' maths attainment improves.

We need to make sure boys' writing attainment improves.

We need to ensure that the excellent work completed around maths is embedded.

We are going to be reviewing the consistencies of vocabulary teaching throughout school.

We will improve our community links and charity work—outward facing.

We are going to be rating our classrooms in terms of learning behaviours—do our children have the right skills to learn?

We will be looking at strategies to maintain excellent behaviour.

We will be looking at how we learn from Bible stories and the character of Jesus.

What we are doing to improve our school in 2019-20



We are going to ensure that there are relevant links to our local area throughout the curriculum.

We are going to be planning visits and visitors throughout the year to enrich the children's learning.

We are going to be looking at developing strategies to improve children's metacognition (their ability to think about their thinking)

We want to give more opportunities for parent/carer workshops.



Quality of Teaching

We are going to continue to place an importance on teacher development to ensure the very best outcomes for our children.



Curriculum Development

We are going to be reviewing our curriculum offer to ensure it is relevant to our pupils and is progressive as children get older.

We are going to ensure learning is sequenced throughout the year groups and is knowledge rich.

We will be looking at how we support children to store their learning into their long-term memory and how we build on prior learning so new learning is connected correctly .

We are going to be working with an expert consultant to ensure we meet the new government Relationship and Health education requirements.

We want to make sure there are opportunities for parents/carers to come into school to be a part of your child's learning



Parental Engagement

We want to ensure that parents/carers are kept up to date about their child's progress.

We want to make sure that parents/carers voice is captured throughout the year.

We will continue to effectively monitor standards and collaborate with external agencies to quality assure our work.

We are reviewing our key objectives for reading, writing and maths.