

School Development Plan Priorities 2024-2025

St Nicholas Primary School

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St Nicholas Primary Church School

OUR STRATEGIC GOALS

Goal 1

PEDAGOGY: Across the curriculum, ensuring **High Quality Teaching*** for all teaching and activities, meeting the needs of all pupils and maintaining high expectations for all pupils. This is so that all pupils make good progress from their starting points.

Goal 2

ENGLISH: Refining the teaching of children's **writing**, ensuring all children demonstrate technical accuracy and flair in composition at an appropriate level across the curriculum so that more children achieve **ARE**.

Goal 3

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR STAFF: Leading on the development of the **Flourishing People (Professional Growth)** approach for teachers and TAs, in improving and maintaining the very highest standards in our daily work to be the best version of ourselves.

Goal 4

FOUNDATION CURRICULUM:
Part 1: In History and Geography, refining key knowledge taught and sequencing of learning for pupils, leading to pupils remembering and articulating more key Historical and Geographical knowledge over time
Part 2: Across the foundation curriculum, **refining assessment processes** to ensure teachers are assessing against the identified key knowledge pupils will learn.

School Mission Statement and Values

Our School Motto

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Our School Mission Statement

'At St Nicholas we walk in Christ's footprints to nurture and encourage one another to be life long learners to do all the good we can, to all the people we can, wherever we are.'

Our School Values

- Compassion
- Endurance
- Hope
- Trust
- Forgiveness
- Koinonia (community)

BWMAT CORE RESPONSIBILITIES

MORAL & ETHICAL VALUES

Our distinctively Christian ethos underpins all the work of the Trust and every aspect of curriculum delivery. We reinforce values of kindness, respect, forgiveness, perseverance and love.

Alongside an outstanding education, we deliver a focus on the quality of our children's characters.

We guarantee year-round support for the most vulnerable and less well-off, as well as those who suffer discrimination and those living with disability.



EDUCATIONAL & ASPIRATIONAL VALUES

Every child will experience the highest quality teaching and learning. This teaching and learning will be delivered in the best possible environment.

Teaching staff are committed to the best and most innovative practice and research. All children from all backgrounds are given the chance to change their lives positively through learning.

Every school is on a trajectory to become or remain outstanding. Outstanding leaders in all our schools.

