



Strategic Vision for 2016-2019

CORE PURPOSE

To inspire our pupils to have a life-long love of learning that ensures the best possible achievement which makes a real difference to their lives and their futures.

TEACHING AND LEARNING

Our aspirations are:

- to have outstanding teaching across all phases of the school;
- for all children to make more than expected progress from their individual starting points with a significant number exceeding expected progress;
- the gaps for all vulnerable groups of pupils will be closed;

KEY PRINCIPLES THAT SHAPE THE DAY TO DAY LIFE OF THE SCHOOL

- The school ethos is built upon our strong focus on Christian Values.
- All members of the school community are welcomed, valued and respected.
- There is a relentless focus on developing outstanding learning behaviours.
- We use progress data to tailor curriculum provision to the needs of **all** learners
- We inspire pupils by our creative and inspirational approach to teaching across all aspects of learning including the wider curriculum.
- We believe in continuous improvement and invest in staff development both within school and across our local partnership of schools.
- We are committed to safeguarding children.
- We believe that children should have a voice that is listened to, heard and influences our approach to their learning, behaviour and the welfare.



KEY STRATEGIC PRIORITIES FOR THE NEXT 3 YEARS

Teaching – in order to strengthen further teaching so that it is outstanding, we will focus on:

- Ensuring all assessment of pupils' learning is robust and identifies next steps.
- Embedding and strengthening provision in maths to ensure outstanding outcomes by 2019.
- Embedding and strengthening provision in writing to ensure outstanding outcomes by 2019.

Partnership working to accelerate the learning and progress of all learners by:

- building on learning partnerships with parents;
- continuing to build on our partnership with the Church and wider community;
- continuing to develop partnership working across the Airedale Learning Community network of schools.

Staff and governors grow as educators and leaders by:

- Providing increased opportunities for all staff to realise their potential through high quality professional development
- Encouraging and supporting the growth of all staff as middle and senior leaders
- Developing a succession plan to increase the skills and expertise of governors

