



Acklington CE First School

A School Definition of Spirituality

Spirituality is awareness that there is something far greater than we are, something that created the whole universe and the life on it. It is a sense of awe and wonder about the way life came to be and the way things grow, connect, and develop. It is knowing that we are important and significant and that we are part of a great mystery. It is knowing that our contributions matter even if they don't always make sense or seem fair. Being spiritual is not about being quiet – an active imagination, a joy in discovering new skills, a zest for learning something new can all be signs of an exuberant spirituality.

As a Church of England controlled school we fully embrace the spirituality of every child and seek to develop and enhance their spiritual journey. Our predominantly Christian character allows each child to deepen their relationship with God and explore the Holy Trinity through explicit and implicit teaching, ritual, and experience. We seek to help every child know that they are loved by God.

