

Ashton St. Peter's Church of England VA Primary School

3 Year Strategic Plan September 2019 – 2022

This Strategic Plan sets out the vision and broad ambitions for the School over the next three years. It is the job of the Board of Governors, working with the Headteacher and senior leaders, to agree a strategic plan for the coming three to five years. It is then for the senior leaders to turn the strategic plan into a School Development Plan, updated each year, and to implement this in practice with the support and scrutiny of governors.

Vision

Our children and adults will be grounded in God's word. We maintain a Christian family focus, aiming to support parents in raising their children as flourishing citizens, enabling them to handle life's challenges with courage and perseverance. We provide high-quality learning, preparing children to flourish academically and spiritually, fulfilling their God-given potential.'

Our aim is for all of our children to become happy, caring, responsible, independent learners who achieve personal success and feel secure and valued in our Christian environment. *"Behaviour is outstanding as a result of the shared Christian vision and associated values - SIAMS Report 2019"*

To achieve this we provide a strong, Christian ethos which encourages the children to love and respect one another and to love God. "Values Education" is embedded through Christian collective worship and throughout the whole curriculum. We provide opportunities and positive role models to allow children to develop independence and responsibility. We plan and implement a broad and balanced "Creative Curriculum" which is challenging and inclusive to all and are continually looking for ways to innovate and improve what we do. *"The Christian vision and values underpin relationships, enabling pupils to disagree well and practice forgiveness and reconciliation. SIAMS Report 2019"*

Significant strategic challenges over the next three years include:

- Regaining a GOOD Ofsted judgement and meeting the new requirements
- Developing the curriculum to meet the new challenges
- Robust financial management
- Improving the learning facilities by maximising the use of external funding

Strategic Priorities 2019 -22

- Develop revised leadership arrangements and support the new Headteacher
- Improve outcomes for all groups of learners
- Continue to place emphasis on pupil and staff well being to support resilience
- Provide a rich enhanced curriculum which provides wide experiences and life skills for our children
- Work with partner schools to improve pathways to secondary education
- Strengthen strategic governance