

## St Francis of Assisi School Mission Statement



*We love and grow in Christ  
We live and learn in partnership  
We build and share together*

### **We love and grow in Christ**

#### **Aim**

We aim to enable all individuals to grow in an atmosphere of love, kindness and respect, in line with the teachings of Jesus.

#### **Objectives**

- Provide opportunities to experience God through collective worship, prayer and liturgy.
- To be positive role models in living out Gospel Values
- Enable children to become good role models in living out Gospel Values and contribute positively to the ethos of our school.
- Provide a welcoming environment for all people into our Christian community.
- Deliver the Come and See programme in an engaging way , so as to elicit a positive response from pupils
- Recognise and promote kindness, at every opportunity.
- Create regular and meaningful opportunities for reflection about the way that we treat each other.
- Engage pupils in spiritual, moral and ethical issues to enable them to make good choices in life.
- Prepare pupils for the next stage of their physical, emotional and spiritual development, through the use of the Journey in Love programme for Relationships and Sex Education.

### **We live and learn in partnership**

#### **Aim**

We aim to work together in partnership nurture all individuals, recognising their unique gifts, so that they may develop their God given talents, for the good of all.

#### **Objectives**

We will:

- Work together to provide an inspirational curriculum, which encourages the development of a lifelong love of learning.
- Value the uniqueness of each person, providing appropriate levels of support and challenge, according to their needs.

- Celebrate achievement, whilst promoting resilience and determination.
- Develop communication and collaborative skills.
- Work in partnership with outside agencies to provide high quality learning opportunities.
- Enable staff to be excellent leaders of learning by accessing a range of high quality CPD opportunities.
- Use state of the art technology to enhance learning.
- Provide a wide range of extra-curricular activities to enrich learning.

### **We build and share together**

#### **Aim**

We aim to establish and maintain positive links within the wider community in the spirit of friendship, love and equality.

#### **Objectives**

- Ensure that the relationship between home, school and parish is interactive and functional.
- Open our school to use by organisations within the parish to provide events with a community focus.
- Develop our status as an International School by enhancing links with schools in other countries and settings.
- Work with local, national and international charities to raise funds and awareness about issues.
- Work with other schools in our clusters in areas where there is common purpose.
- Engage with other community based agencies to raise children's awareness of the way in which people and professions contribute to the building of community.
- Raise children's awareness of our place as a school and parish within the Archdiocese of Liverpool by participating in archdiocesan events and celebrations
- Work with the PTFA to put on fundraising events, which encourage community use of our school.