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SNAINTON CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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"Belong, Believe, Become."

Introduction

At Snainton we aim to provide our pupils with an inclusive and aspirational education. To do this our teachers will plan high quality learning experiences based on our 4 year curriculum plan. These plans will ensure a breadth of opportunities including those related to our curriculum drivers chosen by staff, parents and pupils.

- Sports and Outdoor Education
- The Environment
- Local and Global communities.

We aspire to delivering outstanding teaching through a range of activities which engage pupils and motivate them to investigate, explore and create. We will assess on a cyclical basis in order to support and extend learning including using targeted and measurable intervention. We will do this in a safe, purposeful environment which leads to outstanding behaviour and learning. Parent's knowledge of their children will be valued and we will work in partnership to develop the whole child.

Leaders will

- Ensure all stakeholders have had a part in forming this policy and know their responsibilities
- Ensure that monitoring of teaching and learning is effective
- Hold teachers to account so that they can do their best for pupils
- Budget effectively to provide good resources for learning
- Develop strengths through sharing good practise in our school and outside
- Know each child and their needs very well
- Continue to provide a safe, caring atmosphere based on Christian values as we move towards an Outstanding judgement for our conduct and learning behaviour
- Work with parents closely enabling them to support their children to reach our expectations
- Share our behaviour policy with everyone
- Communicate well with parents and carers and invite them to share their views on how we can do better

Teachers will

- Foster in pupils a love of learning and excitement in discovering new things
- Provide clear learning objectives for learning and steps to success so pupils know how they will get it right
- Adapt lessons so that everybody learns at their own pace
- Know what good progress looks like
- Have a clear idea of what every child should learn in a day/week/term

- Give the children helpful feedback on their work
- Build pupil's independence and an ability to evaluate their own and others learning in order to improve
- Expect pupils to present their work with care and pride.
- Display good work to inspire others including work done at home
- Regularly assess against national and school expectations to understand the next step in learning for pupils

Pupils will

- work hard even on difficult problems
- work together
- develop good thinking skills
- know when they have done a good job and how to make their own and other people's work even better
- take a pride in their work
- keep the Golden Rules
- care about the local and wider environment
- celebrate difference- Jessica
- not interrupt other people's learning-Hollie
- respect other people Bethany Head Girl

Parents will

- Follow the home/school agreement
- Read with children regularly
- Help children complete homework
- Attend meetings with teachers and the SENCo
- Tell us how we can do better