

### Curriculum

Our curriculum will be continually reviewed and modified to ensure that we continue to embrace opportunities, both planned and spontaneously, to develop the children spiritually, morally, socially and culturally and also their citizenship. We will continue to promote diversity in our world and also work with our local community. This will be documented through our newsletters, blogs, website and termly magazine. We will use 'Theme Days and Weeks' to further enhance curriculum areas and skills for life. Staff will develop their roles as subject leaders in creating links within the curriculum for their subject, real life opportunities and further develop assessment in order to measure progress through school. We will be looking at maintaining and enhancing our school awards and accreditations. Music and design and technology provision will be reviewed this year.

### English and Maths

All of our children are now following the new English and Maths curriculum which outlines Age Related Expectations within each year group. We will ensure our website offers links to opportunities to develop these areas at home and through our monitoring and evaluation of teaching and learning will continue to offer an enriched curriculum with these areas woven within. We will continue to focus on embedding Grammar and spelling within English session and develop opportunities for challenge for all pupils within maths. We will be reviewing our Teaching and Learning Policy in order to promote children's curiosity, next steps and knowledge of behaviour for learning.

### Computing

We will continue to use our iPads to enhance the teaching and learning in school, looking for new ways to develop this further. Computer Science, including 'coding' will be covered throughout the school and training on new resources will be provided. Our website will be enhanced to include class blogs for all classes and the communication offered through it. It aims to offer a learning Environment which will extend learning in and out of school. E-safety will continue to be a high priority with an 'E-Safety Awareness Day' held in school and a meeting offered for parents to help you support your child in a digital world.



## **Bretherton Endowed CE Primary School**

### **School Improvement Plan 2016-2017**

### **Information for Parents**

*Learning together, growing together,  
achieving together, caring together,  
within our Christian family.*

### Building

This year we will review storage within classrooms to ensure our resources are well maintained. We are consulting on upgrades to the KS2 toilet areas and lighting in class 1 and class 2. Further to the wonderful improvements to our outside provision, we will be looking at how we use it and further supporting staff training in 'outside learning' as required. Although not directly buildings, we will be reviewing our IT server and WIFI coverage within school and upgrading our provision as required.

### Church School Distinctiveness

We remain committed to providing the best Christian education and ethos at our school. In the teaching of RE we will be trialling the Diocese new scheme of work and explore new ideas and resources in a creative way. We will provide opportunities to further develop spirituality in all our school community. Our Ethos Group will take more responsibility for worship in planning, implementation and evaluation. We will look to enhance prayer opportunities within class and class worship and further develop links with our Churches. A timetable for worship linked to Christian festivals and links to world religions.

### Assessment

This will continue to be a major part of our improvement plan this year. We have worked hard on developing a new assessment system for our school and will continue to implement this throughout the year. We will be consulting with parents as to the information they would like to receive about their child's progress and enabling children to be part of the process. We will be ensuring consistency in our pupil tracking to monitor the progress of all our children; ensuring outstanding progress is made by all. Once again we will be working with the Local Authority in moderating assessments across schools in all key stages, using the expertise of our staff.

### Inclusion

We will continue to ensure that we meet the requirements of the Special Educational Needs Code of Practice. We will ensure that our provision and tracking systems ensure that children of all abilities make excellent progress. We will review our support for social and emotional aspects of learning.

### Leadership and Management

We will be updating our Self-Evaluation Forms for both whole school and church school evaluations. This will include contributions from all our school community. We will once again be inviting our Governors in to see the school in action and offering parents 'learning workshops' in areas they require to enhance their understanding of our curriculum. School leadership to communicate changes in Ofsted criteria and new schools measure documents.