

## A Unique 0-11 Centre for Learning

# Our Aims and Values Mission Statement

At Bridgewater we will ensure each child meets their full potential and experience a wealth of opportunities which will raise their aspirations and broaden their horizons. Through strong links with a range of partners, we will ensure they leave us having been taught to think, solve problems, work collaboratively and express themselves showing respect. This will enable them to be capable, confident and resilient individuals.

Our vision is to maintain outstanding outcomes for our children by "working together to improve learning for all" which summarises our common values (Vision Day 6th October 2017)

#### Aims:

- To ensure education is based on inclusivity and promotes excellence in all aspects, for all children in our school.
- To have effective and robust safeguarding procedures.
- To ensure children learn in a rich and stimulating environment and are encouraged to respect and take pride in their school.
- To make effective use of outstanding provision which maximises opportunities for all children, parents and the wider community.
- To use and share our extensive expertise to remove barriers to learning.
- To maintain high standards of teaching and learning.
- To deliver a creative and innovative curriculum which meets the needs and interests of all children within and beyond the school day.
- To ensure systems for tracking progress and intervention enable all children to flourish and make accelerated progress.
- To ensure the vision and values of the school are consistently applied by a highly motivated, professional, skilled and nurturing staff.
- To ensure all children are at the heart of all that we do and that they feel safe and cared for.
- To continue to develop the well-being of both children and staff, ensuring a good learning/working environment where every contribution is valued.
- To ensure financial management is effective to enable the school to be as richly resourced as possible in staff, equipment and materials.

### As a school community we are committed to:

- Providing learning opportunities that are personalised to meet individual needs and aspirations.
- Preparing our children for life beyond school and enhancing the opportunities open to them.
- Supporting our children to become happy, confident individuals who are respectful of the needs of others.

#### In order to achieve this we recognise we must:

- Continue to provide high quality teaching and learning that takes account of different learning styles and the most recent research into learning.
- Have strong leadership and challenging and supportive governance.
- Encourage and challenge children to become critical thinkers who are able to compare, contrast, analyse, make judgements and question inquisitively.
- Create a positive environment based on trust, respect and understanding where everyone works in partnership to overcome barriers to children's learning.
- Promote, encourage and support independence.
- Welcome and support parents/carers to become equal partners in the provision of education made for their children.
- Give children a voice which is heard.
- Provide opportunities for all members of the school community to learn and progress their knowledge, skills and understanding.
- Constantly evaluate the provision we make for our
- Children, identify areas for development and take the necessary action to improve.
- Provide high quality wraparound childcare.

We will measure all our policies, procedures and working practices against this statement of purpose.