



Spiritual Capacities

Nurturing our children's ability to grow spiritually

What is spirituality?

We develop spiritual understanding through relationships with:

ourselves, **others**, the **natural world** and **God**.

These relationships, thoughts and experiences shape our sense of self, purpose and belief in the 'beyond'.

We aim to provide opportunities for children to develop and grow their spiritual understanding.

Our five attributes are a focus for nurturing spiritual capacity to understand ourselves, others, the natural world and God. As a Church school, this has a

Christian perspective of **F-A-I-T-H**. Each attribute is linked to a motivational Bible reference.

...be intrigued and curious, ask questions and respond with awe and wonder

Self-belief

'Ask ... seek ... knock and the door will be opened to you' Matthew 7 v7



...be guided by personal beliefs, faith and values – willing to take a stand

CourAge

'Stand firm... be courageous' 1 Corinthians 16 v13



...be willing to take risks, reflect, learn and grow through failure as well as success

Resilience

'Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus' Hebrews 12 v1-2



...believe in personal potential to achieve, imagine and create

AmbiTion

'Be bold and strong... For the Lord your God is with you' Joshua 1 v9



...be self-aware, empathise with others, have compassion and respect the natural world

Harmony

'Be sympathetic, love one another, be compassionate and humble' 1 Peter 3 v8



In our spiritual walk, we will:

Experience

Respond

Reflect

Go Forth