

Mission Aims



1. **Attitudes** – to foster in children and staff
 - ^alove of learning
 - ^bhigh self esteem and sense of self
 - ^chigh expectations
 - ^dhigh level of motivation
 - ^erisk taking & a willingness to try new things
 - ^fa creative approach

2. To create an **environment** which is
 - ^awelcoming
 - ^bloving
 - ^ccaring
 - ^dsupportive
 - ^eopen & honest
 - ^ftrusting
 - ^gsafe
 - ^hchallenging
 - ⁱpositive

3. To **understand, respect and value difference** in ^aindividuals, ^bcultures and ^cbeliefs.

4. **Equality** of opportunity for all (no discrimination on any grounds including ^agender, ^brace, ^ccreed, ^dculture, ^elevel of ability, or ^fdisability).

5. ^aTo attain high levels of **achievement** – to develop each child's ^bintellectual, ^cphysical and ^dspiritual potential to the full through a ^ebroad and balanced curriculum delivered ^feffectively, ^gutilising the latest technology where appropriate.
6. To develop the **key skills** of ^aproblem solving, ^bcommunication, ^cteam work, ^dindependence, ^eself motivation and ^finitiative.
7. To nurture **links** between the school and ^aparents, the ^blocal community and the ^cparish church.
8. To promote a **Christian ethos** and to apply it to every aspect of the school. To encourage Christ like attitudes and behaviours (love, hope, courtesy, trustworthiness, openness, honesty, forgiveness, grace, patience, self-control, humility, care, self-sacrificing, stewardship) and the Christian values of the school.



Linby cum Papplewick C.E. Primary School Mission & Vision Statement

*Love Life,
Love Learning,
Grow in Faith*

Imagine a special place² for us to explore ourselves and the world that we live in.^{3bc} A school created by a family of caring highly skilled professionals^{2bc} who: love life and learning^{1a}; are committed to every individual^{3a4} recognising that they are uniquely blessed with many gifts^{3a} and to each person achieving personal fulfilment.^{1c}

Sense the buzz of excitement in learning^{1a}, sharing^{1d}, being challenged^{2h} and in succeeding.^{1b} Listen to the laughter^{1a} and the voices that care^{2c}, help and praise^{2di} one another.² Walk around different activities, projects and special events that involve the school family^{7a}, the church family^{7c} and the wider community. Watch children play, sing, dance, paint, throw, investigate, reflect, solve, read, compose, discuss, explore.....^{5bcde 1f} Experience a creative and innovative learning environment^{5f} enriched and enhanced by the latest technology^{5g}.

Enjoy the energy and vitality with which children work in pairs, teams^{6c} and alone^{6d}. Experience the infectious spirit and excitement^{1d} of children as they discover, understand and grow - developing an appetite for learning^{1abe}. Look at how well they communicate^{6b} and tackle problems^{6a}. Notice how they become more independent^{6d}, take more initiative-^{6f} and have the confidence to take risks^{6f1e}. Be enthused by their developing sense of self^{3a} as they are empowered through their learning. Marvel at the high level of achievement⁵. Feel the warmth of God's love and the presence of God's spirit in all that is done - big and small⁸.

This is our school: A place where everyone is special; a place to encounter God; a celebration of life and learning and a centre for new beginnings, built on strong foundations.