

**Sand Hutton and Warthill Federated
CofE (VC) Primary Schools**

Curriculum Statement.

Principles

- The schools curriculum should provide opportunities for all children to learn and achieve.
- The curriculum should promote pupil's spiritual, moral, social, and cultural development and prepare them for the opportunities responsibilities and experiences of life
- At all stages of development learning should be a stimulating, enjoyable and a worthwhile exercise in its own right.
- We will work in collaboration with families and our local communities in order to achieve our aims.
- Equality of access and opportunity underpins all our provision.

Aims

We aim to provide a curriculum that is:

- Engaging, Enjoyable and Exciting
- Broad, so that it provides a wide range of knowledge, skills and experiences
- Balanced so that each element is given sufficient time to contribute effectively to learning.
- Relevant so that it is directly related to the learner's experience
- Coherent so that each element is linked to make the learning experience more meaningful
- Progressive so that what is taught builds upon what has gone before, in order to develop skills, knowledge and concepts in a systematic and appropriate way.
- Differentiated so that what is taught and how it is taught is matched to aptitude and ability.

The schools will provide educational opportunities that allow the children to:

- Experience challenging, stimulating, worthwhile and enjoyable learning and teaching
- Work successfully with others in groups and teams
- Develop a wide range of physical skills and the understanding to enjoy a healthy and safe lifestyle
- Develop their own individuality and independence, enabling them to discover and recognise their own strengths and limitations and set their goals accordingly

See also the schools' Statement of aims and values and Teaching and Learning Policy