RE

Spiritual

RE supports spiritual development by encouraging the pupils’ discovery of God the creator, of their ‘inmost’ being and of the wonder of the environment. Pupils explore beliefs and experience; enjoy learning about oneself, others and the surrounding world; use imagination and creativity; participate in experiences to encourage curiosity, questioning and reflection in an environment where faiths, feelings and values are valued and respected.

Moral

RE supports moral development by recognising the Christian values identified within the Bible which encourage pupils to recognise right and wrong; respect the law; understand consequences; investigate moral and ethical issues; and offer reasoned views.

Cultural

RE supports cultural development by providing opportunities to develop an understanding of Christianity as a worldwide, multi-cultural faith that has an impact on the lives of millions of people. Pupils appreciate cultural influences; participate in cultural opportunities; and understand, accept, respect and celebrate diversity of other faiths.

Social

RE supports social development by enhancing the pupils’ understanding of what it means to live in a Christian community where Jesus’ command to love one another is out into practice. Pupils develop a sense of empathy, compassions and concern for others; participate in the local community; appreciate diverse viewpoints; participate, volunteer and cooperate; resolve conflict; and engage with the '[British values](http://www.doingsmsc.org.uk/british-values)' of democracy, the rule of law, liberty, respect and tolerance.