

#### Hesketh-with-Becconsall All Saints Church of England Primary School

# 'What you are is God's gift to you, what you become is your gift to God.'

## **School Improvement Newsletter - Issue 15**

Dear Parents & Carers,

Thank you for your support as we continue our journey of school improvement together.

Today's focus provides an update with regard to our Academy Conversion and what this means in reality for our school.

Kind regards,

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Rachael Ainsworth Associate Headteacher

'Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.' Psalm 147:5

#### **Academy Conversion Update**



## **The Learning Together Trust**

On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024 our school officially became part of the Learning Together Trust as the fifth school in their family of Trust schools.



St. Wilfrid's Church of England Primary Academy



Canon Sharples Church of England Primary School & Nursery



St. David's Haigh and Aspull Church of England Primary School



Adlington St. Paul's Church of England Primary School



Hesketh-with-Becconsall All Saints Church of England Primary School

Hesketh-with-Becconsall All Saints prides itself on our school family feel and by joining the Learning Together Trust our family has got a lot bigger!

#### **Learning Together Trust Purpose**

The Learning Together Trust has a single legal and moral purpose: to advance education for the public benefit. They are a family of schools, who work in partnership, to ensure that every child within each school receives the best education, rooted in Christianity, that equips them for success in the next phase of their learning and later life.

#### **Learning Together Trust Values**

Our Christian Values, which are rooted in scripture, are at the heart of our Schools and our Trust. They help us to live out the Church of England Christian Vision of Life in all its Fullness.

Trust: 'The Lord is your strength and shield. Trust Him.' Psalm 28:7

Love: 'Let all that you do be done in Love.' 1 Corinthians 16:18

Hope: 'Always put your Hope in God.' Psalm 42:5

#### **Learning Together Trust Mission Statement**

'Learning Together...to achieve success for all God's children.'
With Christ at the centre of all that we do, we will create a culture of collaboration and excellence and take our Trust on a journey of growth and success.

#### **Learning Together Trust Prayer**

Dear Lord,

Thank you for our Trust family,

Guide us to do our best in everything that we do,

Let us follow Jesus; to Love and Trust one another,

Make us beacons of Hope in our communities,

For with you, we know that all things are possible.

Amen

## How will being part of the Learning Together Trust impact on our school?

There are tremendous benefits to being part of the Learning Together Trust for our school.

- The children will be inspired through the highest quality education, underpinned by Trust Values and Christian Distinctiveness.
- The staff will continue to benefit from continued professional development working alongside colleagues from the Trust family of schools.
- The school will be provided with the pastoral care, support network, resources and developmental challenge to add value.

This is underpinned by the Learning Together Trust Vision

#### 'With God, all things are possible.' Matthew 19:26

- 1. Our children will be Resilient, Respectful, Responsible, Reflective and Ready to thrive and succeed in life.
- 2. Our schools will be Resourced with the 'best' staff.
- 3. Our Trust will have a Reputation for Excellence:
  - School of choice
  - o Employer of choice
  - Trust of choice

The children also benefit from Learning Together Trust Experiences

All children in the Trust family enjoy a menu of experiences during their time at primary school to enhance cultural capital.

Children take part in these experiences together, collaborating with children from other schools in the Trust family. These experiences are paid for by Learning Together Trust and parents and carers are not required to contribute.

**Nursery:** A den making experience

**Reception:** A country walk with outdoor entertainment

**Year 1:** A visit to a contemporary circus

**Year 2:** A visit to a live music event

**Year 3:** A visit to an art gallery

**Year 4:** An experience of water sports

**Year 5:** An experience of a winter sport

**Year 6:** A University visit

Year 3 will be going on their Trust 'experience' to Liverpool on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024**, where they will enjoy a visit to The Tate Gallery RIBA and Maritime Museum and experience a ferry across the Mersey on a 'River Explorer Cruise'.

All in all, the future of our school as part of the Learning Together Trust is bright!

**Coming in Issue 16... Pupil Premium Grant**