

# St Catherine's RC Primary School: Who we are and what we want to achieve

In the words of St. Catherine and our **Mission Statement**, we aspire to *'Be who God wants us to be and so set the world on fire.'*



**St. Catherine's**  
RC Primary School

Our **Vision** has been put together to explain our ambitions for our school:

“Inspired by the Word of God, we continually strive to be the best Catholic School we can be. Within a stimulating and nurturing environment we welcome and support one another; reach out within our community and beyond; and work together to live out the Gospel values in every aspect of our life at St. Catherine's.

More specifically this means that we aim to:

Shape the whole person	Strive for excellence	Create inspiring learning spaces	Build Community
<p>This means that we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognise and nurture the talents, skills and strengths in everyone</li> <li>• Appreciate our uniqueness as individuals and support our vulnerabilities</li> <li>• Encourage growth in Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural terms throughout our developmental journey</li> <li>• Live and grow together in faith</li> <li>• Look outside ourselves, seeing our role within the wider world</li> <li>• Support the health and well-being of each person</li> <li>• Grow in confidence, inspiring each other</li> </ul>	<p>This means that we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lead by example</li> <li>• Are passionate about continuous learning</li> <li>• Ensure every single child achieves their fullest potential</li> <li>• Deliver a high quality, broad curriculum which results in high standards</li> <li>• Support every member of the community to help them to flourish</li> <li>• Never give up: building resilience and perseverance</li> </ul>	<p>This means that we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide high quality, inspirational learning environments and facilities</li> <li>• Meet the needs of the whole school community</li> <li>• Listen to the needs of those who use our school</li> <li>• Develop Stewardship - looking after what we have: appreciating, respecting and protecting the natural world created by God.</li> <li>• Are creative in our use of resources</li> </ul>	<p>This means that we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop close collaboration with partner schools and other organisations</li> <li>• Strengthen the links between home and school - working together and supporting each other</li> <li>• Build strong relationships with our parish and broader community</li> <li>• Reach out to those in need with compassion and love; becoming missionaries of the Word in action.</li> </ul>

Our core values are central to fulfilling our Vision and Mission, In all aspects of school life we demonstrate:

Love	Faith	Respect	Perseverance	Compassion	Inspiration
------	-------	---------	--------------	------------	-------------