

Shocklach Oviatt C. E. Primary School Values and Ethos

At Shocklach we create a stimulating and caring environment, grounded in Christian belief and practice, so that all members of our school community feel happy, secure and valued. Children and staff are encouraged to aim high and believe in themselves in order to achieve their full potential.

Our Mission Statement: *We aim high in our hearts and minds as we blossom in God's garden.*

The School Aims

We commend the following statements with the aim that they will be shared by everyone at Shocklach.

Education should encourage people to have high expectations of themselves and others. Achievements of all kinds should be fully recognised to ensure all members of the school community have confidence in their individual abilities.

We aim to provide excellent quality teaching in all areas of the curriculum, enabling children to become confident and independent learners, producing work of the highest standard.

We aim to build a sense of community where everyone feels valued and safe in and out of school.

We aim to nurture the spiritual and moral development of all members of our school community in the belief that everyone should, through education, be better able to contribute to the common good.

We aim to positively promote the belief that all individuals are of equal worth whatever age, ability, gender, race.

We aim to involve those with parental responsibility in the education of their children.

We aim to create a safe, welcoming, inclusive, positive and stimulating environment for children, visitors and our whole school community.

We aim to develop a healthy lifestyle.

We aim to ensure that children and staff are motivated and fulfilled, so that they enjoy school life.

We aim to endeavour to promote learning which has breadth and, through a curriculum that is stimulating to the whole school community, will fully encompass the requirements of the National Curriculum.