



Ryhall CE Academy

ETHOS STATEMENT

Our Vision:

Ryhall CE Academy provides an inclusive learning environment that embraces excellence and academic rigour. Set within a framework of spiritual, intellectual, physical, emotional, moral, social and cultural development, we aim to:

- ignite a passion for life-long learning;
- develop great thinkers who embrace challenge;
- promote curiosity, enthusiasm, independence, self-belief and confidence,

inspiring all who learn and work here to live 'life in all its fullness'.

'I have come in order that you might have life—life in all its fullness'

(John 10:10 Good News Translation)

Our strong Christian ethos encourages:

**compassion,
friendship,
hope,
trust
respect
and resilience**

and we believe these values should underpin everything we do, both during and beyond the school day, including the decisions that we make. These, together with the value of resilience, provide a strong sense of perseverance and lifelong learning, honesty, mutual respect, happiness, enjoyment and high standards. Whilst they are a visible presence around the school, our values are far more; all members of the school are actively encouraged to live them out every day. Our 'strapline'

'look back with pride and move forward with confidence;

encourages children to face their fears, demonstrate endurance, believe in their ability and value all that is strong and good about themselves.

¹ Church of England Vision for Education, July 2016