



DEPTFORD
PARK

CORE VALUES

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people

Core Values

1. High Standards for all because **every child matters.**
2. Put children and families **first**
3. Take **pride** in what we do
4. **Respect** others
5. **Strive** to be the best
6. Act with **integrity**
7. Act **sustainably**

High Standards for all

- every child matters.
- A rich and broad curriculum, which includes opportunities for all children to learn and achieve.
- Opportunities for spiritual, moral social and cultural development. We prepare children for the opportunities, responsibilities and experiences of life.
- We work in partnership with parents to raise achievement.
- We take active steps to combat disadvantage and aim to provide equal opportunities for excellence.

Putting Children first

- Caring for children as individuals
- Treating children with compassion
- Judging every issue by considering the outcome for the child
- Giving priority to actions that will improve the educational offer and promote well being
- Listening to and acting on the views of children and their carers

Taking pride in what we do

- Leading by example
- Promoting confidence in colleagues, teams and the organisation
- Recognising and rewarding achievement
- Valuing our workplace
- Celebrating success
- Learning from experience

Respecting others

- Showing commitment to working together
- Contributing to effective teamwork
- Supporting and collaborating with colleagues
- Appreciating and celebrating diversity in our children and staff
- Engaging with and supporting our local community
- Working in partnership with others outside the school

Striving to be the best

- Constantly seeking to improve quality and efficiency
- Eradicating waste of resources, time and effort
- Seeing change as an opportunity rather than a problem
- Challenging the status quo
- Tenacity in achieving goals
- Resilience in the face of setbacks

Acting with integrity

- Maintaining the highest standards of behaviour and accountability
- Openness and honesty in communication
- Working to ethical principles
- Respecting confidentiality
- Doing the right thing for the right reasons

Acting sustainably

- Reduce our impact on our environment
- Recycle
- Close doors and windows
- Turn off lights and electrical appliances when not in use
- Conserve water & heating
- Reduce photocopying

Aims and Values

At Deptford Park we believe learning should be fun and that you never grow too old for new learning. We are committed to preparing our young people for life and the challenges they may meet. We are an inclusive school and believe that all children in our community should have access to learning at our school irrespective of ability.

We want:

High Standards for all because every child matters.

A rich and broad curriculum, which includes opportunities for all children to learn and achieve.

Opportunities for spiritual, moral social and cultural development.

To prepare children for the opportunities, responsibilities and experiences of life.

To work in partnership with parents to raise achievement.

To make our school an interesting and stimulating place to learn and visit.

Take active steps to combat disadvantage and aim to provide equal opportunities for excellence.

To make our school a safe place for everyone.

To welcome and respect people from all races and groups.

To help everybody feel that they have a contribution to make to the life of the school.

To help all children see that they can be successful.

We will expect the best of all children.

If we care about the children, we must care about high standards for all. We are committed to learning and continually improving and developing our school