

Worship Committee

- It supports our school in developing our Christian distinctiveness
- It promotes our Christian Values:
- We report to governors on what we have thought about and discussed.
- We work with other adults to develop positive working relationships.

What do we do at All Saints Church of England Primary School?

- Meet regularly with our Head Teacher, Mrs Branch to discuss aspects of our school's commitment to our Christian ethos and values.
- We ask pupils their opinion about our school values and worship
- We feedback to the group any findings we have.
- We help our Head Teacher plan our collective worship and take an active role in collective worship.
- We try hard to develop our spirituality within school.

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/CLUBS

These are wide ranging and vary according to staff commitment and the interests of the children.

Practices are held after school or during the lunch hour and staff are extremely generous with the time they give to support these activities, e.g. choir, dance, sports etc.

All sports teams take part in events organised by Prestwich & Whitefield Junior Schools Sports Association. Events include rounders, football, cricket and netball.

We are a small school competing with many schools that have twice as many pupils. We are proud of the school's past achievements and continue to work towards success with all our teams.

We have regular visits from a variety of theatre companies and we hold a book fair in the Spring Term.

All children have the opportunity to take part in school productions. Parents are also invited to class assemblies where the children share their knowledge of a particular topic they have been covering as part of the curriculum.

All the classes, at some time, undertake educational visits to locations appropriate for their age. These visits, when taken in school time, are classed as part of the school curriculum. Due to current legislation, the school cannot insist on parental payment but ask for a voluntary contribution.

It has to be pointed out that the school is unable to finance these occasions from its own resources. If parents feel unable to help towards these costs, they will not take place.

Celebrations are held at various times of the year including Harvest Time, Christmas and the end of the school year. Parents are invited to these events, some of which are held in church.

A school holiday for Year 6 is offered, when staff willingly give up their time to accompany the children. Each year, we go on an activity holiday, taking a party of about children on an adventure weekend. Last year we went to Robin Wood in Lancashire. As this holiday is mainly outside school hours, **full costs** have to be met by parents.

The school tries to offer the children as wide a range of extra curricular activities as possible, but as many involve time outside school hours, they will always depend on available staff time and other commitments.