

HEDDON-ON-THE-WALL ST. ANDREW'S CE FIRST SCHOOL

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES 2017 / 2018

'Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God.'

Colossians 2:23

RAISING STANDARDS OF PUPIL PROGRESS AND ACHIEVEMENT

- To raise standards of attainment and progress in Writing, particularly the number of learners achieving the 'Expected or better' grading (including More Able learners);
- To raise standards of attainment and progress in Maths, particularly in the area of application of mathematical skills including in Early Years;
- To further enhance the Behaviour for Learning of target groups to meet our high expectations for all learners.

IMPROVING QUALITY OF TEACHING

- To explore how different teaching methods can enable learners to develop an independent approach to learning and to create learning environments which nurture self-confidence through use of Lesson Study programme;
- To continue to develop the use of Classroom Monitor to enable progress to be easily tracked throughout the year and allow early intervention when required.

LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (MANAGEMENT OF SCHOOL CHANGE)

- To enable the school to seamlessly move from a first to primary model while securing high educational outcomes.
- To continue to explore the move to Academy status with the other Partnership schools involved in the Multi-Academy Trust proposal.