



*Aiming for Excellence*

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*St. Bridget's Catholic Primary School*

*Mission Statement*

*As a family, we learn, support and care for one another in God's love.*

*We reach for the stars.*

*May your life in this world be a happy one.*

*Links with Parish and Parents Policy*

*The school aims to create a dynamic interaction between home, school and parish which provides preparation for the pupil's entry into the wider community through:*

- Shared assemblies, masses and celebration with parents*
- Open evenings for discussing pupils' progress*

- Annual events, social, fundraising, concerts, Christmas Fair, local schools joint ventures, ecumenical celebrations, PTA functions, Sacramental celebrations, parent workshops, pre-school induction and life-long learning
- Continuing support for those who visit the school seeking work experience
- Welcoming theatre groups, police, service industries and charities into school to raise awareness and promote specific issues as and when necessary
- Sharing information with parents regarding Come and See topics, informing them and encouraging them to share in what the children are doing in Religious Education lessons as well as the rest of the curriculum. This is done by sending home Come and See topic booklets and inviting attendance at rejoice assemblies to celebrate this learning; also termly curriculum outlines, as well as through the weekly newsletter, which informs parents about such things as community schemes, parochial events, in-house achievements and new initiatives or concerns.

*Reviewed by: L Thomas*

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*To be ratified by the Governing Body Spring Term 2015*

