

### **Our faith and values**

Our faith underpins everything we do and our children live and breathe the values from the gospel within the classroom and beyond.

### **Computing**

Using both our computer suite and class sets of chrome books, our children learn how to communicate in the modern world and develop skills needed for their future.

### **Our community**

St William of Perth recognises the wealth of culture in Rochester from buildings to landmarks and great people!

### **Curiosity**

The curiosity approach is used within our EYFS and then throughout the school. The children want to know, the more we teach them.

### **Growth mindset**

All our children are nurtured and encouraged to become independent and confident that they can achieve anything through perseverance and positive

### **Our community**

Through our many assemblies, shows and celebrations, the St William of Perth family come together to share and celebrate learning.

### **Coverage**

Our curriculum coverage is broad, culture rich and diverse where high level vocabulary is used and taught.

### **Environment**

Our children are enthused to learn through curiosity corners, libraries, reading and writing corners available and vibrant displays.

### **Asking questions**

As well as high quality questions being asked by teachers, children are encouraged to be inquisitive and explorative through questions.

### **Thinking and linking**

Links are always made to previous learning and the bigger picture is shared explicitly though overarching questions.

### **Outdoor learning**

Our classrooms are taken out into the forest school, onto the playground, all across the building and out in our local community. Learning happens everywhere.

### **Challenge**

All lessons and conversations are designed to challenge our children so that they not only meet their potential but exceed them and become lifelong learners.

### **Diversity**

The curriculum and values taught is strengthened further through our recognition and celebration of the diversity of cultures in our school.

### **High quality texts**

All learning stems from stories and culture rich literature. Reading is the key to knowledge and understanding.

## **Creative Curriculum at St William of Perth**