

**An extract from our
Instrument of Government :**

"Trinity School aims to serve the community by providing an education of the highest quality within the context of Christian belief and practice. It encourages an understanding of the meaning and significance of faith, and promotes Christian values through the experience it offers to all its students."

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We are a city centre comprehensive school, which seeks to know and to care for each member of the community of the school. We hope that we offer a range of courses in our curriculum, and of activities beyond that, which make this an active and exciting place to be at school.

We seek to educate the whole person, placing their academic work within the activities of the rest of our students' lives. We hope that they make excellent progress, and do very well in their exams. We also hope that they learn respect, kindness and consideration from us as well as from their homes.

We work hard and aim to make a difference to young people's lives, so that they, in turn, can enrich the lives of others.

AIMS OF THE SCHOOL

Within the traditions of the Church of England, we seek to be a place which fosters the importance of faith, hope and love. Our aim is to provide an excellent education for all.

We will work in partnership with parents/carers and the community to help our students to:

- achieve their unique potential;
- develop their curiosity, creativity, knowledge, skills, understanding and appreciation of the world and human achievements;
- develop self-discipline, self respect and an awareness and respect for moral and spiritual values and the needs and rights of others;
- understand the society in which they live and the factors which are changing it and to equip them to play a full part in society;
- appreciate that education is a life-long process and to enjoy a rewarding experience which will encourage them to pursue their interests in later life.

**TRINITY SCHOOL
CARLISLE**



**HOME SCHOOL
STATEMENT**

2016-2017

**Standards, Responsibility,
Opportunity for all.....**

Student

Form

House

We will seek to work together, staff and students, parents and carers, and governors, so that all members of Trinity School are happy and confident in their work, so that our young people do as well as they can, and make a positive contribution to the school and community.

Staff

Students

Parents and Carers

We will seek to:

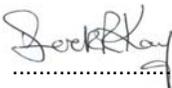
As a student of Trinity School, we hope that you will always be able to:

Our partnership with you is at the centre of our work as a school. We hope that you will always be able to:

- ◆ Create a safe, orderly and stimulating environment in which students are safe and happy, and treated with respect, so that learning can take place.
- ◆ Teach lessons and provide a curriculum which matches the needs and abilities of all our students.
- ◆ Plan and organise lessons and homework to ensure that students make very good progress.
- ◆ Assess and monitor the progress of our students regularly.
- ◆ Discuss students' work, progress and hopes with them.
- ◆ Maintain close contact with parents/carers about the progress and well-being of our students.
- ◆ Set high standards of dress, appearance and punctuality.
- ◆ Have high expectations of our students and of each other.
- ◆ Deal with students in a courteous, fair, kind, respectful and consistent manner.
- ◆ Provide opportunities for extra-curricular activities in a wide range of areas.

- ◆ Be proud of your school, and of yourself, and what you can achieve and contribute.
- ◆ Work as hard as you can in all lessons, concentrating on your learning, and taking responsibility for it.
- ◆ Behave responsibly and well, in school and out, showing respect to others, being kind and considerate.
- ◆ Come to school on time, with the correct equipment, and wearing the uniform smartly. Avoid unnecessary days off, so as to avoid falling behind.
- ◆ Do your homework well and hand it in on time.
- ◆ Show respect for school property and the environment so that we can all work in orderly and attractive surroundings.
- ◆ Grasp opportunities and join in with some of the many activities which the school organises.
- ◆ Make a positive contribution to your community, in your form and your House, school and more widely.
- ◆ Expand your horizons, enjoying finding out about our world, and how we can best sustain its future.

- ◆ Ensure that your child attends school regularly and punctually, maintaining an awareness of your legal responsibility in this regard.
- ◆ Encourage good behaviour, truthfulness, integrity, and high standards.
- ◆ Make sure that your child arrives with the right books and equipment, and dressed smartly in school uniform.
- ◆ Check exercise books and Planners, and write notes in them if you need to.
- ◆ Attend Parents' Evenings.
- ◆ Encourage your child to develop as an independent learner, with good study skills, using the school libraries and ICT facilities.
- ◆ Encourage your child to discuss progress with us and to ask for help.
- ◆ Let us know of any circumstances which could affect progress in school.
- ◆ Keep in touch, by phone, or letter, or email, so that we can tackle any problems swiftly, and also enjoy your child's achievements with you.
- ◆ Take advantage of what the school can offer you, through our Adult Education programme, swimming pool and leisure centre.

Signed  J.L. Johnson
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