

PRIESTTHORPE PRIMARY SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN MARCH 2015-JULY 2016

A. To raise the attainment and achievement of all pupils



1. To develop a new system for assessing progress in English and Maths to replace current levels

2. To raise standards of attainment in areas of under-performance

3. To develop the use of assessment

B. To continue to improve the quality of teaching



1. To develop a clear understanding of the new expectations for good or outstanding teaching

2. To improve the teaching of phonics and spelling

3. Improve the teaching of maths in line with new expectations of a mastery curriculum

4. To secure 100% good or better teaching across school

C. To develop outstanding behaviour



1. To promote responsibility and further develop pupils' attitude to learning

2. To enhance lunchtime provision

3. To develop pupils' positive contribution through pupil leadership and voice

4. To promote pupils' spiritual, moral, social and cultural development

5. To improve attendance

D. To develop a broad and balanced curriculum for Priestthorpe



1. To develop curriculum provision in line with Wordsmith texts

2. To develop tracking and assessment for foundation subjects

3. To collate and present evidence of progress in foundation subjects

4. To ensure that teaching facilitates links in a creative way

5. To improve the teaching of computing and science

6. To increase the frequency of visits and visitors

E. To develop the quality of leadership and management across school



1. Further develop Governance

2. Develop the role of middle leaders so that they impact on learning

3. To identify opportunities and plan for succession across school

4. Ensure that monitoring is clearly focussed to bring about rapid improvement

F. Improve the use of the building and environment to support learning



1. To develop the learning environment within classrooms

2. Develop the use of the building to maximise learning potential

3. Identify priorities to improve and maintain the fabric of the building

G. To further develop the links with families and the local community



1. Develop the role of volunteers in school

2. Increase links with the local community

3. Improve staff involvement in the life of school and the community

4. Predict and prevent— increase parental involvement and engagement

5. Continue to develop the web-site and learning platform

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