

## **RE: Intended Outcomes for Pupils**

The intended outcomes for pupils **at the end of their primary education in Church schools** are that they should be able to:

- Talk about ideas about God and discuss deep questions that face human beings.
- State important aspects of Christian belief, and explain why they are important for Christians.
- Appreciate the importance of the person of Jesus Christ for Christians.
- Develop the skills to explore Bible text and to apply it to life.
- Provide examples of Christian practice from different denominations and different nations.
- Begin to make a thoughtful response to Christianity.
- Recognise the significance of faith in God as a way of living, and make links between faith and faithful living.
- Respect the faith of others, and value the journey of faith.
- Notice areas of similarities between faiths.
- Enrich and expand their understanding of truth.
- Speak comfortably about their understandings of faith and life choices.

The intended outcomes for pupils **at the end of their secondary education in Church schools** are that they should be able to:

- Think theologically and explore ultimate questions.
- Reflect critically on the truth claims of Christian belief.
- Develop the skills to analyse, interpret and apply the Bible text.
- Recognise that faith is a particular way of understanding and responding to God and the worlds.
- Analyse and explain the varied nature and traditions of the Christian community.
- Make a well informed response to Christianity.
- Respect those of all faiths in their search for God.
- Reflect critically on areas of shared belief and practice between different faiths.
- Enrich and expand their understanding of truth.
- Reflect critically and express their views on the human quest and destiny.