



BELMONT HOUSE SCHOOL

AIMS & CORE VALUES

The School aims to:

1. Encourage all pupils to reach their full potential and to strive for personal excellence.
2. Provide a flexible educational experience which meets the needs of individuals in a welcoming, safe and supportive community.
3. Promote awareness of others, understanding and mutual respect.
4. Maintain collaborative partnerships within the school and the wider community.
5. Nurture a sense of responsibility for local, national and global environments.

Core Values:

- **Commitment**
 - Pupils and staff show a commitment to being prepared for school and to achieve their full potential
 - Pupils show a commitment to their classwork and homework
 - Pupils, parents and staff show a commitment to the life of the School and the wider School community
 - Pupils, parents and staff show a commitment to others
- **Cooperation**
 - Pupils should co-operate with one another during class and extra-curricular activities
 - Pupils, parents and staff show a willingness to co-operate with one another
 - Pupils should co-operate with staff to ensure very good behaviour in classes, the school building and the playground
 - Pupils, parents and staff should co-operate to ensure all pupils achieve their full potential
- **Identity**
 - Pupils, parents and staff are proud of their school and respect school property
 - Pupils, parents and staff show courtesy to others
 - Pupils and staff show self awareness and are confident, individual thinkers
 - Parents, pupils and staff promote the corporate image of the School
- **Individuality**
 - The School promotes pupil and staff self-esteem, self-worth and talent
 - Each pupil is nurtured and personal growth and development is encouraged
 - Belmont House School ensures that different cultures are celebrated, as appropriate
 - The tutor system and small class sizes ensure that each pupil is given personal attention and their individual needs are met

- **Reliability**
 - Pupils, parents and staff keep their word and always try to do their best
 - Pupils, parents and staff are honest in what they think, do and say
 - Pupils, parents and staff always act fairly and consistently
 - Pupils and staff are always on time for school and arrive punctually at classes

- **Respect**
 - Pupils, parents and staff follow school rules, beliefs and values and respect School property and equipment and the possessions of others
 - Pupils, parents and staff listen and respect the points of view and feelings of others
 - Pupils, parents and staff respect the local community and environment, within and outwith the school
 - Parents, pupils and staff express their views via pupil councils, PSE classes, PTA and the Board of Governors

- **Responsibility**
 - Pupils are responsible for their own learning
 - Pupils and staff are responsible for their own appearance
 - Pupils, parents and staff have a responsibility to contribute to the life of the School and the environment
 - Pupils, parents and staff are responsible for their own actions