

*“Start by doing what is necessary, then what is possible, and suddenly you are doing the impossible” (Saint Francis of Assisi)*



## MAKING A DIFFERENCE

### M.A.D about reaching out!

*“Love one another as I have loved you.” (John 13:34)*

#### Our Commitment to Gospel Values

As a Trust we are deeply committed to living out the Gospel values in everything we do. These values shape our culture, our decisions, and the way we treat one another.

We believe that every person is created in the image of God, and we work to build a community where everyone is valued, supported, and encouraged to reach their full potential. This commitment extends to all—pupils, staff, families, the Parishes and the wider community.

In practice, our Gospel values guide how we educate, how we lead, and how we serve. They call us to act with integrity, to seek justice, and to be a force for good in the world.



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#### Living Out Gospel Values Across the St Francis Trust

Each term, children across all schools within the St Francis Trust will actively commit to living out the Gospel Values in their everyday lives and within their local communities. This shared commitment reflects our Trust-wide dedication to putting faith into action and helping others in meaningful, practical ways.

Examples of how our children might live out these values include:

- † Delivering handmade cards to care homes, Parishioners, or hospital patients to share kindness and joy.
- † Organising litter picks in local areas to care for God’s creation and promote stewardship of the environment.
- † Collecting donations for local food banks or charities to support those in need and show compassion and generosity.



By engaging in these acts of service, our pupils are not only learning about the Gospel Values—they are living them. Together, we aim to build a stronger, more compassionate community rooted in faith, love, and action.

*“Preach the Gospel at all times. When necessary, use words.”*  
St Francis of Assisi

