



St Thomas CE Primary School

Personal development overview 2024-2025

The St Thomas core values are recognised and revisited throughout the year. They include respect, faith, love, and friendship.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Whole school focus area	<p>Collective Worship: Thankfulness Generosity The Words of Jesus</p> <p>School bible stories & School values: embedding and revisiting the core values of our school.</p> <p>Black History Month: stories from multi-cultural backgrounds are shared and workshops/videos are delivered. Competition on inclusion and equality.</p> <p>Harvest festival: Church visits; school donation to food bank.</p>	<p>Collective Worship: Trust Compassion Advent and Christmas</p> <p>Festival of remembrance: whole school service</p> <p>Anti-bullying week: odd socks day, ambassadors lead an assembly and devise new ways to tackle bullying. Visitors and workshops are delivered.</p> <p>Children in need: fundraising</p> <p>Christmas carols: Service in local church</p>	<p>Collective Worship: Perseverance Courage People Jesus meets</p> <p>Safer internet day: workshops</p> <p>Holocaust Memorial Day: themed assemblies and stories shared.</p> <p>National storytelling week: competition based on school themes and values.</p>	<p>Collective Worship: Justice Forgiveness Holy week & Easter</p> <p>World book day: West End Theatre workshop using texts in dance/drama.</p> <p>Mental health week: mindful moments x3 a day</p> <p>Science week: Eco school focus</p> <p>Comic relief: fundraising</p>	<p>Collective Worship: Service Friendship Parables of Jesus</p> <p>Earth day: eco school focus on using less energy.</p> <p>Spelling Bee: whole school spelling competition</p> <p>Art week: focus artist week and whole school gallery.</p>	<p>Collective Worship: Truthfulness Respect Miracles of Jesus</p> <p>Sports day: themed activities</p> <p>Refugee week: fundraising</p> <p>Transition: moving into new classes/school taster sessions</p>

PSHE Core theme	Being Me in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me (Compulsory RSHE curriculum objectives)
Citizenship	<p style="text-align: center;"> Faith team Prayer team School council Eco-warriors Anti-bullying ambassadors Librarians Bronze, silver, and gold collective worship awards Monitors School football team </p>					
Daily	<p style="text-align: center;"> Collective worship Afterschool clubs Breakfast club SMSC Lunchtime awards Playground chat/circle time </p> <p style="text-align: center;"> School rules: Respect everyone and everything Use all opportunities to do your best. Look out for the safety of others. Each choice you make is your own responsibility. Speak and listen politely </p>					
Weekly	<p style="text-align: center;"> School dojo class of the week British Value Friday Assembly SMSC: covered in PSHE curriculum. </p>					
Termly	<p style="text-align: center;"> Inspire workshops with parents/carers and family members. Top 2 dojo winners of each class prize English champion Maths whizz Handwriting award Sports award Superstar award Collective worship awards </p>					

Extra-
curricular
activities

LIEP Faith visits: Mosque, Sikh temple, Gurdwara, Church, Synagogue and Buddhist temple

Birmingham Royal Ballet company

West End Theatre Workshops

Severn Trent Birmingham

Hatton Farm

Twycross Zoo

Botanical gardens

Sea life centre

Black Country Museum

REP theatre

The Old REP theatre

The Hippodrome Theatre

Aston Villa Football Club

Community walks

Think Tank

Back to Backs

West Midlands Safari Park

Lego Discovery centre

National space centre

Cadbury world

Hoo Farm

Aston Manor Hall

Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park

Ikon art Gallery

Birmingham Museum and Art gallery

Y6 overnight residential