

Hethersett VC Primary School empowers its children and their families to flourish and grow. Creativity, compassion, responsibility, the love of learning to gain knowledge and wisdom, combined with Christian values shape our inclusive education. Together we are stronger, respecting ourselves and others to create a successful and healthy future.

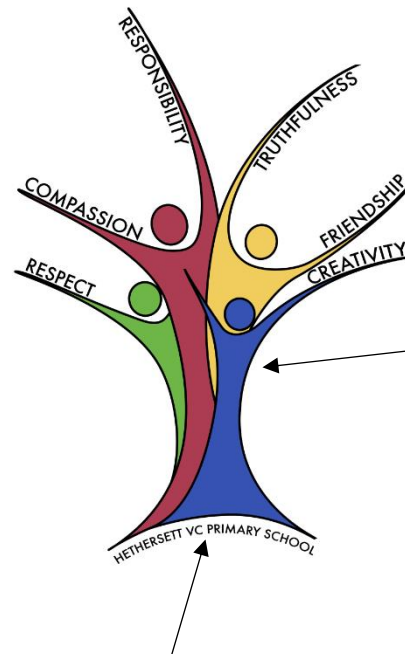
Our vision is closely linked to the Church of England's vision for education:

Educating for wisdom, knowledge and skills

Educating for hope and aspiration

Educating for community and living well together

Educating for dignity and respect



The school logo represents people coming together to form a tree (the colours are our house colours) – we represent our core values on a symbolic tree to make it easier for us to relate to them and remember them. They are rooted in everything we do and will help the children to grow in strength and understanding whilst at the school.

The 'core' values on the school logo were chosen by children, parents, staff and governors and are Christian values taken from Values for Life.

Our Vision and the Parable of the Good Samaritan

At our school, we are dedicated to **empowering our children and families to flourish and grow**. Our vision is deeply rooted in values of **creativity, compassion, responsibility, and a love of learning**, all intertwined with **Christian principles**. This vision aligns beautifully with the timeless message of the parable of the Good Samaritan.

In this parable, the Good Samaritan exemplifies **compassion** by helping a stranger in need, regardless of their differences. Similarly, we strive to instill compassion in our students and families, encouraging them to support and care for one another.

The Samaritan's sense of **responsibility**—taking it upon himself to ensure the injured man received care—reflects our goal of nurturing a sense of responsibility in our students. This responsibility extends to their own growth and the well-being of their community.

Our commitment to fostering a **love of learning** and the pursuit of **knowledge and wisdom** is mirrored in the Samaritan's wise and thoughtful actions. He didn't just offer immediate help but ensured long-term care, demonstrating foresight and understanding.

Finally, the emphasis on **Christian values** and **respect** in our vision is akin to the Samaritan's actions, which transcended cultural and religious boundaries, promoting unity and mutual respect.

Together, these elements create a nurturing environment where children and families can flourish, much like the Good Samaritan's actions created a moment of healing and connection. We believe that by working together, respecting and uplifting each other, we can build a successful and healthy future for all.