

The promotion of St Margaret's ethos and values enhances all aspects of spiritual development across the school.

Links with the local churches and the community of Calne enrich the children's understanding of religious beliefs. The School Chaplain regularly visits for assemblies, and officiates at celebrations in our Chapel.

## St Margaret's Preparatory School



## Spiritual Development

Reflection and evaluation time is an important part of our daily routine. The broad and balanced curriculum caters for each child's spiritual development, particularly through RE and PSHEE.

Opportunities are given for children to question and share ideas within lessons. Pupils and staff are happy to share their views in a positive and supportive environment, and show respect for others.

Fundraising initiatives support charities and encourage the children to appreciate differences, as well as demonstrating understanding, tolerance and compassion.

Children regularly share their own beliefs and backgrounds and these are celebrated in class and in assemblies. Outstanding skills are recognised through the EASY certificate programme.

Children are encouraged towards an awareness of the natural world and develop the skills of appreciation and empathy. Staff model appropriate behaviour and pupils seek to love and forego selfishness. They also use imagination and creativity in their learning.