

## **Core Values for**

## **English**



| Core Value | Meaning   | Example  |
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| Character  | Character is a set of personal traits or dispositions that evoke specific emotions, inform motivation and guide conduct.                                | <ul> <li>Where does this apply in English?</li> <li>Within English, we foster intellectual curiosity, cultural awareness, and linguistic competency.</li> <li>We aim to enrich student experiences, viewpoints, and ideas to become well-rounded and critical individuals, whilst supporting students to become effective communicators and function successfully within society.</li> </ul>   |
| Resilience | Resilience is the ability to adapt and cope in difficult situations and have the confidence to seek support from others.                                | <ul> <li>Where does this apply in English?</li> <li>Within English, students develop into independent, resilient, and thoughtful learners, but more importantly become life-long learners that possess the self-belief and skills required to fulfil their potential.</li> <li>We teach students about the importance of a growth mindset.</li> <li>Within our Mastery curriculum, we teach the importance of mastering a skill to enable students to overcome any difficulties faced within the subject.</li> </ul> |
| Aspiration | Aspiration is the ability to form dreams, hopes, or ambitions to achieve a life goal. Developing aspirations provides a sense of purpose and direction. | <ul> <li>Where does this apply in English?</li> <li>We will always encourage and provide students with opportunities to stretch and challenge themselves within lesson.</li> <li>We will encourage them to aspire for more by completing wider reading of the topics they are studying in lesson and to take opportunities to improve by acting on feedback provided by their teachers.</li> </ul>   |