Our Collective Worship Plan

They will soar on wings like eagles
They will run and not grow weary
They will walk and not be faint
Isaiah 40

Respect Responsibility Trust Perseverance Compassion Courage

Our school is the secure base from which we can all 'soar on wings'. Through valuing one another and the world in which we live, we flourish. Through providing rich opportunities, we can imagine fulfilling futures. Through a shared love of learning, we transform lives.

Daily collective worship is one of those rich opportunities we value and look forward to each day. We like to come together as a strong community, it helps us feel happy and safe and allows us time to share our love of learning about God, ourselves, others and the world in which we live.

We approach collective worship in different ways. Children influence our plans and are able to lead their learning. We create opportunities for reflection and praise.

Although we may adapt our plan to respond to significant events, our weekly plan is as outlined below. Each term we have a focus on one of our Christian core values and the content of collective worship reflects this fact. We support the children to relate what they learn, through collective worship, to how we 'soar on wings'.

Our Collective Worship is supported by the commitment of our four Worship Leads who are four of our senior pupils.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Responsibility	Respect	Trust	Perseverance	Courage	Compassion

	Monday
Context	We take strength and inspiration from knowing, trusting and listening to the words of our clergy who support us to love God, love ourselves, love others and the world in which we live through exploration of Biblical stories linked to our Christian core values. *
Led by	Rev Darleen Plattin (All Saints Anglican Church) Mrs Jane Gay (Salhouse Baptist Chapel)
Supported by	Worship Leads Mrs Church (Executive Headteacher)
Attended by	Whole school

^{*}Before the pandemic, we welcomed the 'Open the Book' team to lead collective worship. We look forward to the time when they are able to return.

Tuesday		
Context	We are a singing school (we haven't always been). Every Tuesday, we sing! Worship through song and	
	music is now a big part of our school culture. It brings us together, lifts our hearts and our spirits.	
Led by	Mr Leaver (Teacher)	
Supported by	Worship Leads	
Attended by	Whole School Parents are invited to join us.	

	Wednesday
Context	Exploring current affairs is a challenging aspect of our wider curriculum which focuses on personal and character development. Through exploring current affairs, our children adopt a global perspective growing individuals who go on to have a positive impact on the people and the world around them.
Led by	Class teachers
Supported by	Teaching colleagues
Attended by	Class based collective worship to ensure age appropriate exposure to current affairs.

Thursday		
Context	Collective worship planned and delivered by the children increases pupil engagement, strengthens relationships and grows our teaching and learning community. Pupils are given a strong voice to explore their faith, worldview and take social action.	
Led by	Pupils	
Supported by	Teachers / House and Deputy House Captains / Pupils leading social action at school	
Attended by	Varies (whole school, individual classes, key stage, Houses)	

	Friday	
Context	It is important to our community that we generously celebrate our own and other's lives and achievements. It is a driver behind building individual and community esteem, confidence, motivation, courage and resilience to take a full and fulfilling role in life.	
Led by	Teachers	
Supported by	Colleagues	
Attended by	Varies: Class, key stage, whole school. Parents are invited.	

Greeting	Worship Lead :	Peace be with you
	All:	And also with you
Prayer	Worship Lead or a pupil chosen by Worship Lead	
Lord's Prayer	Worship Lead selects a younger child to support them in leading the prayer	
Blessing	Worship Lead:	Let love and peace be with you
	All:	And also with you.

Harvest	Celebrated at All Saints Anglican Church, Salhouse
Christmas	Celebrated at school
Christingle	Celebrated at school in partnership with All Saints Anglican Church, Salhouse
Easter	Celebrated at Salhouse Baptist Chapel

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