





	Strategic Area 1 QUALITY OF TEACHING - CURRICULUM ALIGNMENT PURPOSE: We believe effective partnership work between schools - sharing good curriculum practice and expertise will ensure parity in quality and continuity in learning for all our children								
No.	Key Levers	Success Criteria	Actions: Sept - Dec 2023	Actions: Jan to April 2024	Review Summer 2024				
1.1	Curriculum Alignment Plan	Clear understanding of how St Mary's and The Batt Curriculum reflect and interact with each other.  Consistent long-term planning documentation established.  Consistent medium-term planning documentation established.	Planning agreement of common subjects  Long Term Planning grids completed for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2  Termly Medium Term Planning Grid consistent across both schools	Strategy meeting to review curriculum alignment actions / outcomes at mid-point Spring 1	SLT review curriculum at both schools – looking to changes for 2024-25 academic year.				
1.2	Core Subject Alignment	Subject Leaders in Phonics, English, Maths and Science work across both schools.  Planning is aligned and assessment processes consistent in all core subjects.	Phonics, English, Maths and Science Leads review planning and provision in Autumn 1  Agree common formats and approach to planning for EYFS — Autumn 1  Agree assessment strategy for core subjects common to both schools — Autumn 1  Book looks and observations in KS1 at both schools to review parity in provision — Autumn 2	SLT review and compare data for core subjects across both schools – informing adaptations – Jan 24  Year 1 & 2 class teachers moderate outcomes in core subjects through book looks – Spring 1	Moderation of EYFS outcome judgements - Summer 2 Moderation of KS1 outcome judgements in core subjects -Summer 2				
1.3	Wider Curriculum Alignment	It is clear which subjects are taught from the same schemes at both schools.  Subject leads in both schools assist the partner school where subjects are fully aligned.  Where schemes of work are separate alignment grids ensure coverage of appropriate core skills	Share scheme resources and access to subscriptions shared  Subject leaders support with planning documentation in both schools where subjects are shared Autumn 1	Subject leads at St Mary's / SLT create alignments grids of different subjects — and highlight any gaps in core skills - Spring 1  Subject leaders in shared subjects compare parity in provision through book looks and classroom observation. Spring 2	Review outcomes of non-aligned subjects through book looks and pupil voice to compare efficacy — Summer 1				







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1.4	Development	Core curriculum alignment in content	SLT, Core subject and EYFS leads agree	SLT and English lead to review provision for	
	and Alignment	and approach exist for phonics, early	curriculum expectations and assessment	boys within each setting (linked to data	
	of Reception	reading and writing and maths.	strategy for key early learning - phonics,	review)	
	Curriculum and		reading/writing, maths		
	quality of	Consistent assessment approach agreed		Reciprocal visits by EYFS teachers to one	
	provision	across both settings	SLT & EYFS leads agree phase leadership	another's settings to support best practice	
			documents required	Transition programme agreed by EYFS	
		Consistent transition programme	·	leaders - Spring Term	
		agreed across both settings	St Mary's reception class and outdoor area	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
		ag con according	redesigned and updated (in line with SIA	On-going CPD opportunities Inc. visits to	
		Agreed set EYFS leadership documents	advice)	other settings, inclusion and SEND training)	
		across both settings	davice	other settings, inclusion and serve training)	
		across both settings	Monitoring by Core Subject leads - Phonics		
		Mall designed and recovered learning	,		
		Well designed and resourced learning	/ English / Maths in both settings		
		environment promotes learning and	(comparison of approach, learning and		
		supports inclusion	assessment)		
		Effective continuous provision supports	On-going CPD opportunities Inc. visits to		
		learning in both settings	other settings, inclusion and SEND training)		
1.5	Communication	Curriculum Intent Statement written	Whole school Curriculum Intent statement	Exec HT communications detail work on	Review Curriculum Intent statements and
	of Curriculum	and published for St Mary's.	agreed – Autumn 1 (St Mary's)	Curriculum at St Mary's	curriculum efficacy – both schools in light of
					planning for 2024/25- Summer 2
		School Websites fully reflect taught	St Mary's school website stripped of out of		
		curriculum at St Mary's The Batt	date curriculum content		
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			The Batt school website updated with new		
			RE, History, Geography and PE content		
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			New curriculum content uploaded on St		
			Mary's website as available – ongoing		
			ivially 5 website as available offgoing		
			Exec HT communications detail work on		
			Curriculum at St Mary's - ongoing		

Strategic Area 2 QUALITY OF TEACHING - IMPROVING CLASSROOM PRACTICE TO ENSURE LEARNING 'STICKS'

PURPOSE: We believe children deserve high quality teaching methods (grounded in educational research) which enable them to achieve their best and prepares them for next steps and next stage learning







No.	Key Levers	Success Criteria	Actions: Sept - Dec 2023	Actions: Jan - April 2024	The Batt C.E. School  Review - Summer 2024
2.1	Improve	Performance management practice	INSET training Growing Great People - Sept	Check In Meeting 2	Final Review Meeting - June 24
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	management	work on relevant 'next steps' in their	23 - Cillis Woyse	Check in Meeting 3	
	processes –	professional development.	Complete 22-23 Appraisal process (light		
	improve not	professional development.	touch)		
	prove	Staff are more personally invested in	(500)		
	prove	their own development.	Plan Appraisal cycle to include leadership, teachers and support staff - delegate		
		Staff development is collaborative and	responsibilities		
		built on an open and supportive	·		
		approach towards individual	Documentation shared		
		improvement.			
			Target Setting Mtgs		
		Culture of continuous improvement is			
		established.	Check In Meeting 1		
2.2	Understanding	There is a shared understanding among	Staff meeting to consider Rosenshine's	Staff visit other schools - to observe practice	
	what good	staff of what good teaching & learning	Principles	elsewhere Jan-April 24	
	teaching &	looks like (based on research evidence	Staff CPD library established - staffroom		
	learning looks	and beginning with Rosenshine's	online		
	like	Principles).			
		S. (C.)	Staff visit each others classes as part of		
		Staff have opportunities to reflect on	Growing Great Teachers Project		
		their own practice through observation,			
		partnership working, visiting other			
		settings etc.			
		Staff can identify strengths within their			
		own practice and areas for			
		development.			
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		Pupil outcomes improve due to more			
		effective and reflective practice.			
2.3	Understanding	In school CPD supports teachers in		Whole School CPD on Memory, Cognitive	
	importance of	reflecting on memory, cognitive load		Load & Retrieval Practice - Spring 1	
	memory,	theory and metacognition in relation to			
	cognitive load	learning.		Additions made to Staff CPD library - Spring 1	







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	theory metacognition	Staff understand the process of learning and are able recognise the importance of memory, cognitive load theory and metacognition.  Staff make use of this understanding to improve the efficacy in their own teaching.  Pupil outcomes improve due to more effective and reflective practice.			
2.4	Retrieval Practice	Knowledge organisers are established in all subjects and used to ensure children learn and retain essential knowledge and vocabulary.  Teachers experiment with and share different approaches to encourage retrieval and ensure learning sticks.  Teacher employ a range of retrieval practice opportunities within their classroom and across subjects to support children in retaining essential learning.	Review of knowledge organisers in wider curriculum areas through book look - Oct 23	Retrieval practice methods trialed by staff - Spring Term  Staff meeting report back on retrieval methods	Effective Retrieval practice methods written into school assessment policy and Subject Intent Statements in preparation for Sept 24 - Summer 2
2.5	Assessment Practice	Assessment practices and recording for core subjects is agreed – including common assessment points, assessment methods at each point and data to be collected.  Staff are confident in use of Target Tracker to record assessment – and how data can be used (including effective use of 'groups') to inform next steps for individuals, groups and cohorts and	Core Subject Assessment Timetable Agreed  Assessment methods for English, Maths and Science established and formalised - Autumn 1  Target Tracker Training at staff meeting - Expectations, groups and reports  CAP 1/ Data Review  CAP2/ Data Review	Staff meeting to discuss development of retrieval and assessment practice based on knowledge organisers in wider subject areas - Spring  CAP 3/Data Review	Assessment Practice in wider subject areas finalised and agreed for Sept 24(incl. expectations around retrieval practice) - June INSET 24  CAP 4/ Data Revie / Statutory Data Review (DS) - June 24







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		raise issues for whole school improvement.  Wider Subject leads are clear on how progress and performance in their subjects can be measured and can monitor children's learning effectively on this basis.			
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3.1	Collective CPD	Whole school CPD (ie. Common CPD accessed by all relevant staff) supports SDP targets.	Common CPD timetable established for the Year - Autumn 1	CPD on Memory, Cognitive Load & Retrieval Practice - Spring 1	
		Whole school CPD enables Leaders and staff to speak common language around teaching and learning and improvement.  Pupil outcomes will improve as staff knowledge and understanding around teaching and learning develop.s	CPD Growing Great People - INSET Sept 23 (Chris Moyse)  CPD Rosenshine's Principles - Oct 23  Staff CPD library established - staffroom online - Oct 23  CPD - Collective Teacher Efficacy esp. in relation to vulnerable learners - Nov 23	Additions made to Staff CPD library - Spring 1	
3.2	Individual CPD contributes to whole school improvement	Individual CPD carries expectation that it will support individual and whole school development.  Central record will allow for review of how effective CPD is, how it informs practice of individual and/or others and its impact.  Pupils will benefit from impact from external CPD by individual teachers.	Central CPD register established on Drive and communicated  Expectations set with regards to individual's undertaking CPD opportunities as part of Growing Great People programme  Central Register monitored	Up-keep of Central Register - On going  Staff 'cascade' training via staff meetings (ongoing)  Classroom visits and Growing Great People Check in Meetings evidence positive impact of CPD - Ongoing monitoring  Central Register Monitored - April 24	Up-keep of Central Register - On going Staff 'cascade' training via staff meetings (ongoing)  Classroom visits and Growing Great People Check in Meetings evidence positive impact of CPD - Ongoing monitoring  Central Register Monitored - June 24







					Review and Future planning meeting for CPD - June 24 (SLT/Govs)
3.3	Outward focus learning from best practice	Expectation develops that staff will visit other settings / schools as part of their development.  Sharing of best practice from both within and outside both schools will become the norm.  Culture open to learning and improvement through engagement with other settings/schools/practitioners/ collaborative training will be developed.  Pupil outcomes will improve as staff knowledge and understanding around teaching and learning develops.	Expectations set with regards to individual's visiting each other's classrooms as part of Growing Great People programme  Expectation set with regards to individual's visiting other settings to observe/share best practice as part of Growing Great People Programme  Staff visit each others classes as part of Growing Great People Project	Staff opportunities to visit other schools - to observe practice elsewhere Jan-April	
				DREN WITH SEND AND DISADVANTAGE tes or background and will work to ensure they	
No.	Key Levers	Success Criteria	Actions: Sept - Dec 2023	Actions: Jan - April 2024	Review Summer 2024
4.1	Understanding our vulnerable learners	All staff are fully aware of vulnerable children within their cohort and their needs. Pupil and parent/carer voice informs our understanding of and practice with vulnerable learners.  Vulnerable learners are championed in our school – with enhanced opportunities to participate.  Robust monitoring of progress and outcomes for vulnerable learners ensures we are meeting their specific needs.	Central systems correctly record status of children (SEN/PPG/Medical) as appropriate  Groups are set on Target Tracker so effective monitoring of progress of vulnerable groups can take place  Class Audits undertaken by SENCo to records SEND & Vulnerabilities in each class - Autumn 1  Vulnerable Groups are monitored at CAP1 & 2 in Oct / Dec 23	Vulnerable Groups are monitored for progress and attainment at CAP3 in March 24  Termly attendance monitoring and follow up with families takes place  Ongoing monitoring of parent engagement (parent/teacher meetings etc) / pupil engagement in clubs etc with strategies to encourage greater take up developed across year	Vulnerable Groups are monitored for progress and attainment at CAP4 in June  Termly attendance monitoring and follow up with families takes place  Ongoing monitoring of parent engagement (parent/teacher meetings etc) / pupil engagement in clubs etc with strategies to encourage greater take up developed across year  Monitoring informs PPG Strategy Report Dec 24







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		Attendance, engagement and outcomes of vulnerable learners is improved.	Termly attendance monitoring and follow up with families takes place  Ongoing monitoring of parent engagement (parent/teacher meetings etc) / pupil engagement in clubs etc with strategies to encourage greater take up developed across year  PPG Strategy developed and published -		
			Dec		
4.2	Collective Teacher Efficacy	Existing culture, expectation and language used in school with regard to vulnerable learners by all stakeholders is challenged.	CPD - Collective Teacher Efficacy esp. in relation to vulnerable learners  Quick win engagement strategies (e.g. 10%	Learning Walk reviews provision for disadvantaged learners - Spring Term  Pupil Voice collected from vulnerable	Parent Voice collected from vulnerable learners Inclusion Team Meeting - reviews individual
		Focused strategies in practice and	kinder / 2x10) are established - Autumn 2	learners	outcomes and targets strategy - Summer 1
		funding (PPG/LAC/EHCP/Sports grants) are developed to better support engagement and achievement by	Inclusion 'team' established to champion needs of vulnerable learners - Autumn 2	Inclusion Team Meeting - reviews individual outcomes and targets strategy - Spring 1	Inclusion Team Meeting - reviews individual outcomes and targets strategy - Summer 2
		vulnerable learners.	'Measures' for success agreed by inclusion team - Autumn 2	Review of funding spend and impact to date - Feb 24	Monitoring informs PPG Strategy Report Dec 24
		Inclusion Team works together to champion children and robustly monitor	Directory of supportive agencies developed	Inclusion Team Meeting - reviews individual	Review of funding spend and impact - July 24
		outcomes of vulnerable learners to inform future strategy. Effective partnerships built with external agencies in support of vulnerable learners.	in school	outcomes and targets strategy - Spring 2	
		Attendance, engagement and outcomes of vulnerable learners is improved			
4.3	Reviewing SEND provision	Role of SENCo is clearly defined – and interactive with children, staff and parents.	Parent forum allows feedback on issues - identification of needs, transitions, communication, reviews, provision & support - Autumn 1	Learning Walk reviews provision for learners with SEND - Spring Term  Pupil Voice collected from vulnerable	SEND strategy re-developed for Sept 24
				learners	







		Paperwork is streamlined and kept to a	Review of SENCo Role undertaken with		
		minimum.	focus on efficacy and sustainability -		
			Autumn Term		
		Communication with parents and carers			
		is frequent, responsive, direct and built	Review of paperwork kept in school - how		
		on trusting relationships.	do we make this manageable and focused		
			on improving outcomes.? - Autumn Term		
		Monitoring of provision is robust and			
		ensures individual needs are met.			
4.4	Developing	Base provides well resourced	SEN Base established - inc. decoration &		
	SEND Base	environment for children with	furnishing		
	(Batt Only)	additional needs / interventions outside			
		of classroom.	Teachers trial use of base - creating		
			intervention groups who will use it and		
		Timetabling is flexible – and supports	staffing with existing TAs - Autumn 1		
		partnership working between classes			
		SENCo is able to identify and model	Timtabled use established - Autumn 1		
		effective interventions to support needs			
		of pupils with SEND.	Class teacher/Pupil/Parent voice feedback		
			on SEN Base use - Autumn 2		
		Engagement and outcomes of pupils			
		with SEND are improved.			
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				tian belief) will enable our children to flourish i	n all areas of life
No.	Key Levers	Success Criteria	Actions: Sept - Dec 2022	Actions: Jan - April 2023	Review Summer 2024
5.1	School Vision/	All stakeholders confident of vision and	Worship in Autumn Term 1 re-iterates	Community Voice (Parent/Pupil) collected	
	Values	core values (and school's USP) which	vision and values with children.	Spring 1	
		are woven into the Development Plan.			
			Whole Staff Meeting re-iterates vision with		
		Vision and Values are 'visible' in school.	staff - linking to action 'Love' in		
			behavioural approaches, flourishing of		
			adults, inclusive practice - Autumn 1		







5.2	Christian Distinctiveness	Collective worship & celebration of community is a strength.	School Websites reflect vision and values Sept 23  Displays / Signage in school Entrances / Halls Nov23  Documentation all reflect vision of school ongoing  Collective Worship Plan in place making clear pattern of worship and 'themes' for the year and responsibilities for delivering worship  Arrangements for church worship across the year established  Opportunities for community to join school worship on a regular basis planned for the year	Worship Committee begin regular activity in school (pupil lead worship, prayers,etc) - January onwards  Staff / Pupil voice collected re: worship  Parent Voice collected re Christian distinctiveness Spring 1	
			Worship committee established (involving pupils) with a plan of how pupils can assist and lead in worship on a regular basis - Nov 23		
5.3	Student Service and Courageous Advocacy	Increased opportunities for pupil leadership Pupils plan an active role in school, church and local and global community	School Council Elected  House captain Role established  Exploration of Global Learning offer (UNISEF - Rights Respecting School / Christian Aid Global Neighbours)	Global Learning offer launched - Jan 24 onwards  House Captains run community building charity event Spring 2	Year 2 Archbishops Young Leader Award - Summer 1 - event Summer 2 Gather evidence for Global Learning recognition - June







			House Captains lead on reinvigoration of		
			house system - est. by Autumn 2		
5.4	SIAMS (Batt Only)	(Batt Only) Successful SIAMS Inspection - recognises recent work on developing vision and values in school and in support of flourishing community.	(Batt Only) Complete SIAMS toolkit / self evaluation (supported by ODBE advisor)  Establish RE curriculum in line with new local syllabus and suggested ODBE materials  Establish expectations around recording and assessment of RE with Class Teachers -  Monitor RE teaching and learning (lesson Obs both schools)	Continuous evaluation of school performance against SIAMS framework  Collect Pupil Voice (& book look) re RE (both schools) - March 24	Review RE teaching & Learning (both schools) to inform curriculum development  Complete St Mary's SIAMS self evaluation (supported by ODBE advisor
	GUARDING	is at the heart of all we do	RE Book Look (both schools) - Dec 23		
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S1	Ongoing review of Safeguarding Procedures	School safeguarding arrangements are robust and in line with expectations of ODST Safeguarding Standard Safeguarding in both school is effective	ESAT / ODST Monitoring Audit - Term 1  LA Section 157/175 Safeguarding Report completed and submitted  DSLs monitor safeguarding against ODST Safeguarding Standard at monthly operations meetings  Safeguarding Governors monitor Safeguarding Provision at least termly	DSLs monitor safeguarding against ODST Safeguarding Standard at monthly operations meetings  Safeguarding Governors monitor Safeguarding Provision at least termly	DSLs monitor safeguarding against ODST Safeguarding Standard at monthly operations meetings Safeguarding Governors monitor Safeguarding Provision at least termly
S2	Safeguarding Training	Staff have necessary training to meet safeguarding responsibilities	Generalist Training carried out in both schools	Generalist Training carried out in both schools	Generalist Training carried out in both schools







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			KCSIE Update Training - followed by quiz completed by all staff	KCSIE Update Training - followed by quiz completed by all staff	KCSIE Update Training - followed by quiz completed by all staff
			Safeguarding Updates are regular agenda item at Staff Meetings	Safeguarding Updates are regular agenda item at Staff Meetings	Safeguarding Updates are regular agenda item at Staff Meetings
			DSLs attend ODST Safeguarding Forum meetings termly	DSLs attend ODST Safeguarding Forum meetings termly	DSLs attend ODST Safeguarding Forum meetings termly
			DSLs attend LA 7 minute briefings regularly and share learning with staff	DSLs attend LA 7 minute briefings regularly and share learning with staff	DSLs attend LA 7 minute briefings regularly and share learning with staff
			New staff complete safeguarding induction processes as required.	New staff complete safeguarding induction processes as required.	New staff complete safeguarding induction processes as required.
			Andrew Hall and CASPAR updates shared weekly with staff	Andrew Hall and CASPAR updates shared weekly with staff	Andrew Hall and CASPAR updates shared weekly with staff
			DSLs review training record at monthly Ops meetings	DSLs review training record at monthly Ops meetings	DSLs review training record at monthly Ops meetings
<b>S3</b>	Safeguarding Records	Record keeping is effective and in line with safeguarding policy	DSL's review CPOMs daily	DSL's review CPOMs daily	DSL's review CPOMs daily
	1000.00	Safeguarding in both schools is effective	Regular review of CPOMs recording - with reminders and feedback to staff about good record keeping.	Regular review of CPOMs recording - with reminders and feedback to staff about good record keeping.	Regular review of CPOMs recording - with reminders and feedback to staff about good record keeping.
				Staff Safe established as means of recording low level concerns	
<b>S4</b>	E-Safety and Filtering & Monitoring	E-Safety Policy is updated and incorporates procedures linked to filtering and monitoring Children receive effective E-Safety	Consultation with IT Support staff with regards to filtering and monitoring requirements introduced.	Schools participate in Safer Internet Day (6th Feb 2024) School website updated to include effective	External support sessions run for older children (and separately for parents?) on internet safety strategies
		learning within taught curriculum Children are effectively protected from harm online.	E-Safety Policy updated to include new filtering and monitoring processes and to update user agreements.	e-safety sign posting section for children and parents	Termly E-Safety sessions take place within the taught Curriculum
					Ongoing filtering and monitoring checks







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		Ongoing filtering and monitoring checks	

#### Additional Action Plans for individual schools:

#### St Mary's CE Infant School

- Behaviour Action Plan
- Early Years Improvement Plan

#### The Batt CE Primary School

- Subject leads to have individual action plans
- Global Learning Action Plan