

Christian Distinctiveness	
Overview	At St Faiths' Primary School, we ensure that the teaching of our Maths curriculum embodies our Christian Distinctiveness and gives our children the chance to be the best they can be. We regularly refer to and reinforce our School Values:  Compassion, Responsibility, Honesty, Forgiveness and Perseverance
	Through our Maths curriculum, we believe our children are given a variety of opportunities to explore different ways of learning and points of view. In doing so, we give the children the tools and skills needed to develop a deeper understanding of the modern world and those within it.
	Maths is a subject that can inspire and ignite a passion for numbers, their place in the world and in our everyday lives. Working on new concepts develops <b>perseverance</b> : through repetition and problem-solving to reach a goal. Working in class, the children will regularly come across <b>compassion</b> and <b>honesty</b> , supporting their peers through new learning but also when working independently. The value of <b>forgiveness</b> is a natural value for Maths as we promote 'mistakes' being a learning opportunity and not simply being wrong. Using resources such as Times Tables Rockstars gives children a new <b>responsibility</b> , taking control of their own learning.
Our Story: Noah's Ark	Through the teaching of a range of religious stories, such as our school Bible story of Noah's Ark, we further reinforce the idea that everyone is included at our school, regardless of their own life story and how different that might look to our own. By following God's word, everyone will flourish.

