



MISSION STATEMENT

1) To value and nurture this school as a place where not just one child, but each and every child, is made to feel safe and well loved, has a sense of worth, is involved in their learning and can build their self-confidence. Every child is equal, all are treated as individuals, none are treated differently and children are given the self-confidence to say how they feel, to express themselves and to believe in themselves. We want to give children the best possible education, and as much confidence as we can, to prepare them for the future road ahead. Raeburn is a place where children will mature socially and emotionally, as well as academically, as they acquire and refine the life skills they will need as a foundation for happy and successful lives.

2) To excite, engage and inspire children to do their best at all times, ensuring they feel happy when learning and making them WANT to learn and come to school. Every day is a fun day at Raeburn, full of education, fun and laughter. Children enjoy their education and want to learn as much as they can to reach their full potential in everything. Their love of learning will make every child the best they can be, friendly and working hard, having fun learning, keeping going when things go wrong, not giving up. The children will know the skills they have and we will be proud to show off their talents.

3) To ensure that everyone in our school cares for each other and works together. Our school environment is happy, supportive and founded on teamwork. Pupils interact with other pupils to boost maturity and teamwork features not just in class, but in friendships and all over the school. We help one another to learn through collaboration. We co-operate with each other and help each other when we are upset; older pupils set a good example to the younger pupils. We treat others how we would wish to be treated, and with respect for their feelings.

4) To make everyone in our community have a sense of belonging, of being cared about. At Raeburn we have the ability and desire to help others; to empathise and share in others' successes; to find the good, not the fault, in others. Everyone is made to feel welcome by children and adults. Each of us is proud of the contribution we make to Raeburn, and to society as a whole, and proud to be a part of Raeburn, involved in making our school and communities the best we can together. We are aware of our role and responsibility in the wider community and as global citizens of a diverse and changing world.