“This is a school where RE is given a very high profile. The expectations for learning and teaching are ambitious and aspirational. There is no standing still for the subject – teachers and pupils learn from each other. Partnerships with other schools mean that their school’s outstanding practice is shared with others.”
- RE MARK, GOLD AWARD

The school has a partnership with Daramombe Primary, an Anglican school in the Masvingo Province of Zimbabwe.

We welcomed Bishop Godfrey from Masvingo as he and his wife Albertina visited us on their visit to Southwark. Bishop Godfrey led collective worship and told us about the current situation of the school.

Cathedral School has a very close relationship with Southwark Cathedral. We regularly visit the Cathedral for services that we lead. We are also fortunate to welcome clergy from the Cathedral to our school on a weekly basis for Collective Worship.

Our Prayer For Zimbabwe

God Bless Zimbabwe
Protect Her Children
Transform Her Leaders
Heal Her Communities
And Grant Her Peace
For Jesus Christ’s Sake
Amen

Christian Distinctiveness

What Makes This School Special?
“I came to give life - life in all its fullness”  
- John 10:10

Life In All Its Fullness

We are a Church of England Primary School serving the community of Southwark.

As a Church School, the governors and staff aim to weave our Christian distinctiveness into all aspects of the fabric of school life.

We aim to serve our community by providing a first-class education within a Christian context.

We believe our school is a place where all are valued as individuals and as God's children, and that the whole child matters before God.

Our school provides the opportunity to experience what it is to live in a community that celebrates the Christian faith, offering a tangible, memorable experience of a lived relationship with God.

It is a place where there is welcome and hospitality, encouragement and comfort, trust and understanding.

We aim to develop spirituality and a sense of meaning in everyone.

School life is distinctly Christian within a broader spirituality, which encompasses all faiths represented in our community.

What will my child experience?

- Collective worship (assembly) every day - this will always be Christian in nature and follow a different theme each term
- Religious Education lessons which cover Christianity and other world religions
- Regular visits to Southwark Cathedral for end of term services and curriculum activities
- Opportunities for prayer in class and in collective worship
- The school uses the Southwark Diocesan RE curriculum, although teachers are encouraged to adapt it to suit the needs and interests of the class to ensure rich and varied opportunities for learning.

We care for the whole child, and nurture their intellectual development as well as their other gifts so they can live life in all its fullness and abundance.