



SEND STRATEGY

PRINCIPLES OF BELONGING

BDMAT SEND Strategy

Birmingham Diocesan Multi-Academy Trust – BDMAT are a highly inclusive establishment that are keen to further develop a sense of ‘**belonging for all**’ within our trust through this strategy.

The SEND and Inclusion Strategy is underpinned by our ‘**5 Principles of Belonging**’, which reflects the high aspirations we have for all pupils. The strategy encourages collaboration, empowerment, dignity, difference and celebration for all.

Leaders at the Trust understand the need to strengthen, develop and deliver services to meet the needs of all pupils with SEND and their families.

This strategy sets out the Trust’s high-level vision and future strategic aims, that places pupil’s outcomes at the forefront. These shared aims are lived out by all stakeholders within the trust.

The SEND Network group collaborated together to set the vision and principles of this strategy. – April 25

BDMAT- SEND Trust Vision

We are ‘ONE’

‘Together, you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of that body’

1 Corinthians 12

Principles of Belonging

Our Five Principles of ‘Belonging’ drive and empower all we do to ensure every SEND pupil in our trust feels a true sense of belonging and in doing so achieves their very best.



Dignity for ALL

Dignity not deficit- further explanation to be included



All empowered to enact change

Accountability and action at all levels- further explanation to be included



Together we thrive

Greater complexity merits greater expertise- further explanation to be included



Great destinations, different journeys

Different not apart- further explanation to be included



Celebrating every success

Success in all its forms- further explanation to be included