





A very warm
welcome...

Welcome to Vita et Pax Preparatory School,
Here we encourage our children to lay strong
academic, social and spiritual foundations.
Our children clearly love learning and are being well
prepared for secondary school and future life.

Peace, faith, hope and love are grown within interactions and
relationships of our Christian community. These are evident at
our School, displayed by the support and compassion that the
children have for one another. Vita et Pax is a safe and happy
environment, where our children are allowed to make and learn
from their mistakes. We teach them strong values and are
proud of the excellent behaviour and positive attitudes of all
of our students.

Our children are encouraged to look beyond the classroom by
supporting external community groups through their charity
work or through engagement in activities such as singing, art
and Tae Kwando and so much more.

As governors we strive to ensure that the ethos is nurtured and
continues to thrive. It is this that creates the best environment
for children to flourish and learn. We also recognise that parents
seek the best when preparing their children for the future and
so we provide the right level of progressive support to meet
the top standards of secondary preparation.

We hope that by visiting our school you will feel the warmth
and witness the work of our children. We are genuine in our
provision of the best academic, social and spiritual experience
for your child in a safe and happy learning environment.

Chair and Governing Body.



Our Mission Statement

We are a caring and vibrant Christian community based on our values of peace, faith, hope and love.

We are committed to maintaining an environment where every child flourishes as an individual and as a part of our wider community.

We celebrate success, both academic and artistic, as these foundations build the social strength in our children. In partnership with our families we nurture our children to become caring, resilient loving people that strive to do their best always. At Vita et Pax Preparatory School we are aiming high and achieving together.

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We are a learning community that grows through the teaching of Jesus.

We embrace the common teachings of other religions and welcome students from all faiths to share in our practice.

Our Catholic origin features in our teaching of Religious Education and pupil's spiritual, moral, social and cultural development are at the heart of learning.

We instil the importance of serving the community on a local, national and global level through regular charity work and the opportunity to be a member of our spiritual pupil group known as Mini Vinnies.



Our Early Years

In our Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS), we provide the children with an exciting and stimulating environment.

High expectations ensure that the children make swift progress as they settle into school life. Our experienced practitioners nurture the children through personalised 'Learning Journeys' to develop confidence and independence at an early age.





Beyond the curriculum





At Vita et Pax we provide a rich and varied curriculum. Opportunities are identified across the age ranges that capture the children's interests including an array of planned educational visits linked to the curriculum.

Attendance at Maths Master classes, Public Speaking and Debating competitions support the growth of confidence and self-esteem.

Our older children also enjoy residential visits participating in a wide range of sports including kayaking, caving and rock climbing.

Spanish is taught weekly by a Specialist language teacher from Nursery to Year 6 and we have effective links with a school in Madrid.

Sport is also highly valued facilitated by two special coaches with the additional offer of a range of clubs.

There are also special themed weeks a year including the autumnal International week which provides our children with a range of special moments and experiences.

Strength through Sport

Children at Vita et Pax are taught a wide range of sporting activities during PE lessons and extra curricular sports clubs.

In the early years the children take part in Gymnastics, Dance and a range of games to develop key skills.

KS2 lessons include Netball, Football, Hockey, Rugby, Gymnastics and Cross Country in the autumn and spring terms and Tennis, Rounders, Cricket, Swimming and Athletics in the summer.

Children also take part in competitive sporting events across the local borough. These include the annual District Sports Athletic Event at Lea Valley, the District Cross Country Competition and Enfield Dance Festival as well as entering teams in the borough Netball, Football and Rounders leagues.

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I like playing Netball, It keeps me fit and healthy and it's lots of fun playing with my friends.

Vita et Pax Pupil ”







Music at
Vita et Pax



Music is at the heart of everything we do led by a Royal Academy qualified specialist including opportunities to join our choir and orchestra and perform on a regular basis.

Each year group from Nursery to Year 6 receive weekly music lessons encompassing composers, practical music making and singing.

Colourful ukuleles, recorders, percussion and keyboards are all regularly used in class alongside the cello and other string instruments.

With weekly school orchestra and choir, our children are encouraged to take their part and become involved with the many musical performances that take place in the school and in the church.



Our Environment

Vita et Pax has a bright and stimulating environment ensuring optimum learning opportunities whilst providing a special place for our children to develop and grow.





A photograph of three children climbing a wooden play structure. In the foreground, a boy in a yellow shirt and dark shorts is climbing. Behind him, two girls in green and white checkered dresses are also climbing. The structure is made of dark wood with blue handholds. The background shows a brick wall and some greenery.

Pastoral Development and Achievement



Vita et Pax Preparatory School is a caring and inspirational place of learning.

The well-being of our pupils is at the heart of everything that we do. We aim to instil confidence and high self-esteem in all of our children.

Our pupils are proud of their school and know that they are valued as individuals with unique talents and personalities. We understand that we are charged with preparing our children for a challenging and diverse future in the outside world.

We ensure that our pupils experience a rich school life that focuses both on their development as people alongside optimum academic progress and achievement.



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