



Micklands Primary School

School Development Plan 2025–2026

Year 2 of 3-Year Strategic Plan

Priorities for 2025-2026:

<p>Priority 1: Improve the quality and consistency of writing across the school</p> <p>We will raise writing standards through targeted CPD, consistent expectations, and high-quality writing teaching. Assessment will be embedded across all phases to ensure progression and support for underachieving and disadvantaged pupils.</p>	<p>Priority 2: Strengthen Mathematics Teaching and Progress</p> <p>Our focus will be on improving number fluency and multiplication through structured programmes, regular practice, and close monitoring, particularly in Key Stage 2.</p>	<p>Priority 3: Improve outcomes for disadvantaged pupils</p> <p>We aim to narrow attendance and attainment gaps by using targeted interventions, strengthening quality first teaching, and improving parental engagement. We will also review and enhance SEND provision and tracking.</p>	<p>Priority 4: Use assessment across all subjects to inform teaching</p> <p>We will ensure all children experience a rich curriculum by refining unit structures, embedding consistent assessment practices, including climate education, and improving curriculum access for parents and carers.</p>
<p>Priority 5: Establish and implement a whole-school behaviour curriculum</p> <p>We will fully embed our new values-led behaviour curriculum, explicitly teaching routines and expectations, and promoting a safe, inclusive culture through clear systems, positive reinforcement, and anti-racism education.</p>	<p>Priority 6: Strengthen safeguarding practice and culture</p> <p>We will maintain high safeguarding standards through regular training, policy updates, and close monitoring. Staff wellbeing will also be reviewed and supported as part of our safeguarding culture.</p>	<p>Priority 7: Address the school's financial deficit and improve long-term sustainability</p> <p>We will improve financial stability through cost-saving measures, increased income, and greater transparency. Community partnerships and clear communication will support long-term recovery.</p>	<p>Priority 8: To further develop parent, community and pupil engagement</p> <p>We will strengthen home–school and community links through forums, curriculum communication, and pupil leadership. School grounds and local involvement will also be enhanced to enrich children's wider experiences.</p>