

VISION and VALUES



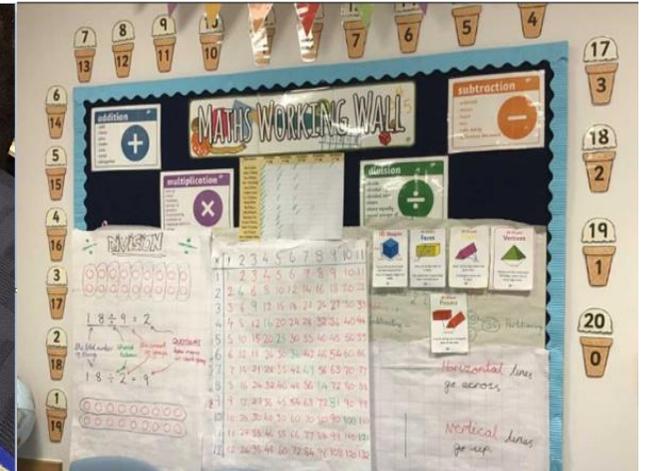
SELF-WORTH

Our children will develop high levels of **SELF-WORTH** with the belief that they have the ability to achieve academically, personally, physically, mentally and socially. We strive to instil resilience and perseverance, in an environment where failure is not feared, and the willingness to keep on trying is always present. With positive **SELF-WORTH**, we are confident that all children can aspire to be the best that they can be, reaching their goals now and in the future.



ENGAGEMENT

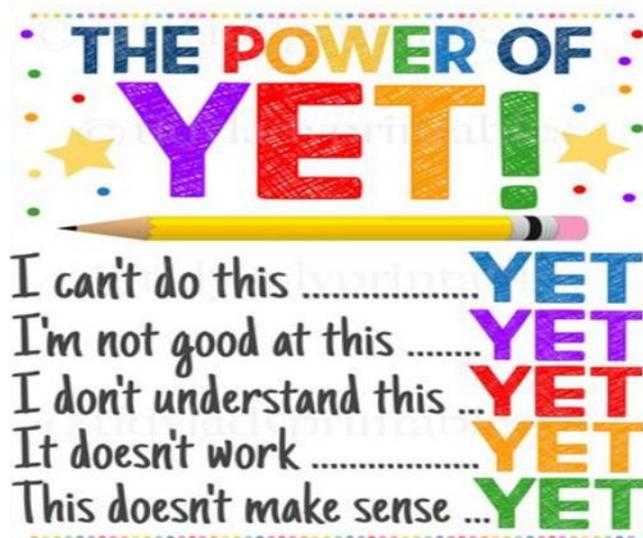
Our children deserve to be taught through a curriculum that is varied, exciting and challenging. With high **ENGAGEMENT** comes a desire to learn new things and a willingness to take positive, healthy steps towards their future. We expect our teachers to deliver learning at the highest level, where all children are actively involved and are then able to apply their knowledge in a variety of contexts, using diverse and precise skills. With high **ENGAGEMENT** comes success.



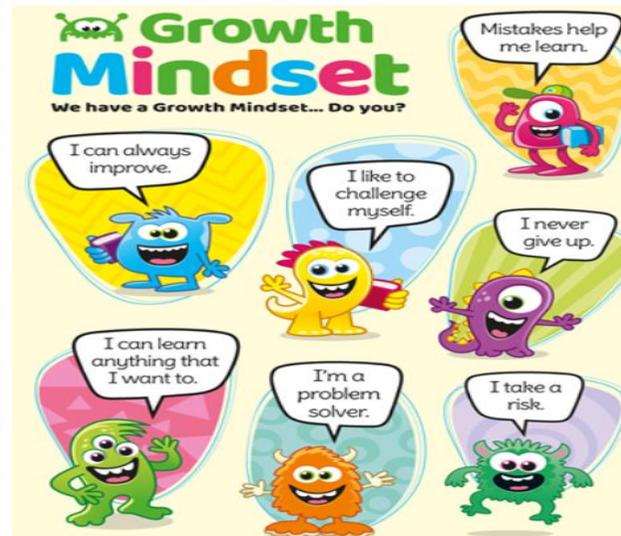
PURPOSE

Our children will develop a real sense of **PURPOSE** with clear goals and the ability and drive to achieve them. We are committed to giving our children the opportunity to explore, reason, question and evaluate so that they can make sense of the world in which we live. Every child will feel valued, know that their contribution to life at Ocean Academy will be respected and will understand the **PURPOSE** of their education and their role within it.

GROWTH MINDSET



The Power of YET !



Keep on Trying !



I Love a Challenge !

Children who believe that their intelligence or understanding can be developed through productive challenge, using a variety of strategies to persevere through each task, have a growth mindset. We let our children know that making mistakes is part of the learning process and if we learn from those mistakes or failures, we can choose a different approach and try again. Our growth mindset statement is **We Can't Do It... YET !**

*“In a **growth mindset**, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work—brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment.” (Dweck, 2015)*