



Spirituality through the curriculum

Pause - Wonder - Connect

Subject	How spirituality can be developed
<i>Computing</i>	Moments of Stillness Space for calm, mindful thinking, reflection. We incorporate moments of quiet reflection in computing lessons, giving pupils time away from screens to think about what they have created, how they solved problems, and how technology impacts their lives. This supports mindful thinking and emotional awareness.
	Computing as Self-Expression Use of digital tools and projects. At Baslow, we provide opportunities for pupils to express their ideas, beliefs, and creativity through digital media such as stop motion animations, presentations, coding projects, and digital art. Pupils reflect on how their creations represent their thoughts and feelings, seeing technology as a tool for personal expression.
	Spark Curiosity and Nourish the Head and Heart We create a classroom environment that encourages questioning about how technology works and its role in the world. Pupils explore both the logical (coding, problem-solving) and human (impact on people, communication, wellbeing) sides of computing, fostering curiosity and emotional engagement.
	Admiration and Respect in a Digital World We foster respect for pupils' own work and that of others, promoting positive digital behaviour. Pupils learn to give constructive feedback, celebrate each other's achievements, and understand how technology can be used to bring people together and spread positivity.
	Responding to Deeper Meanings We explore how technology is used to communicate messages, influence people, and shape society. Pupils consider questions such as: What is this program or media trying to achieve? How does it make people feel? What are the ethical implications?
	Develop Connections to Self, Others, World and Beyond

	Pupils explore how computing connects people globally. Through collaborative discussions about online communities, the pupils at Baslow develop understanding of different perspectives and experiences, recognising the power of technology to connect and influence lives.	
	Experience Awe and Wonder By introducing pupils to innovations in computing (e.g. AI, space technology, game design), we inspire a sense of wonder about what humans can create. Pupils are encouraged to imagine future possibilities and see themselves as creators of technology.	
	Respect for the Digital Creation Journey We highlight perseverance in computing, especially in debugging and problem-solving. Pupils learn that mistakes are part of the process and develop resilience, appreciating the deeper journey involved in creating digital solutions.	