**Brae High School – Vision, Aims and Values**

**Vision**

To create a ‘Learning Community’ that is nurturing, supportive, ambitious and enables all children and young people to thrive.

**Aims**

* To work in partnership with pupils, parents, staff, and partner agencies to ensure that Brae High School is excellent.
* To ensure we work in collaboration so that every child meets their full potential.
* To have innovative and excellent learning and teaching that meets the needs of all learners.
* To ensure the school provides a flexible and progressive curriculum that enables all children and young people to develop the skills they need to succeed.
* To have respectful relationships and communication at all levels in our school community, so that everyone feels included, safe and valued.

**Values**

**C**reativity

* We are curious, creative and critical thinkers who innovate and use our initiative and  have fun learning.
* We have a growth mind-set - we know that learning means facing challenges and making mistakes, then reflecting on and growing from them.
* We apply our creativity across all curricular areas.

**A**spiration

* We aspire to achieve our best, and get there with resilience, integrity and focus.
* We support and help each other, and celebrate each other’s success.
* We have high expectations for ourselves and others, because we know that everyone has gifts and talents.

**R**elationships

* We know that safe, positive, respectful relationships are vital to success.
* We treat each other fairly, with kindness, compassion and empathy, and always take responsibility for our actions.
* We know the importance of good communication and collaboration.

**E**quality

* We value each other, not in spite of our differences, but because of our differences - we celebrate diversity.
* We all have a responsibility to ensure that everyone feels included, valued and worthy.
* We expect to be listened to and help shape the school, and understand we have a role in ensuring that others have that opportunity too.