

All About THE 6 PRICIPLES OF NURTURE At Walton Oak

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A Safe Base

We Should Feel Safe, Happy and Ready

Our classroom should feel safe, happy and calm — so you can be yourself and feel ready to learn.



Care and Kindness

We Will Support and Grow Together

We all need love, care and kindness. Looking after each other helps everyone feel happy and ready to learn.



Wonderful Words

Words Will Help Us to Share and Care

Words help us share how we feel and what we need. Listening and speaking kindly helps us get along and solve problems.



Actions Speak

Every Action Tells a Story

Sometimes, when people find things tricky or feel upset, they show it through how they behave. All behaviour is a way of sharing how we feel inside.



Learn Our Way

We all Learn at Our Own Speed

Some children learn things quickly and some take a bit more time — and that's okay! Everyone learns in their own special way.



Change and Grow

Changes Are Part of Our Journey

Even small changes can feel a bit tricky. We can help each other feel calm and happy during any kind of change.

Every action tells a story. If we see someone having a difficult time controlling their emotions, don't laugh or point at them because they might not know to tell someone how they feel.

We all have our own safe base it could be here, home or anywhere but wherever you feel safe is your safe base. We want our school to always feel safe.



Nurture is like a blanket. It wraps around our Walton Oak Way, keeping us safe without us noticing.



In Walton Oak, we care about everyone. Whether it's parents, children or adults around the school. We must all take part in making the school environment a better place. Everybody needs care and kindness in their lives from as many people as possible. Looking after each other helps everyone feel happy and ready to learn. We should all feel cared about at school, at home and any other place.

Communication is a significant part of life. Words don't just help you, they help everyone around you. If you are feeling sad, explaining and listening nicely can help us understand each other. Our language has a big effect on everyone, it shapes our community. We should all be using kind words all the time.

In Walton Oak we accept that some children learn things quickly and some take a bit more time and that's okay! Everyone learns in their own special way. It's like a journey and everyone's journey is different. Some people's journeys might be very bumpy and they might need more help to get to the end and reach their goal.

Change is not always a good thing but change shapes our future and makes us who we are today. Growing and changing makes us stronger and makes us mature and gives us more opportunities in life as we get older. It can open new doors to places we didn't know we could achieve. Bad things can happen and it's okay to be sad but eventually we need to talk about how we feel and handle it in a calm way.