



*That they may have life; life in all its fullness - John 10:10*

## **HORDLE CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Hordle village is situated on the edge of the New Forest and close to the sea. It is conveniently situated 15 miles from Bournemouth and 20 miles from Southampton. The school currently accommodates 370 children aged 2-11. The old school building dates from 1859 and has recently undergone major additions and modernisation. The school has spacious classrooms, cookery and music rooms, a large open resource area, excellent IT facilities and the school grounds are 'enchanted.'**

### **The Staff**

*'Staff morale is high, pupils have great pride in being a member of 'Team Hordle' (Ofsted 2016)* They are effective and talented and are committed to our aim of taking each child on a learning adventure. The school places great emphasis on the value of each individual child and his/her personal well-being, progress and achievement.

### **The Church**

Hordle is a Church of England Voluntary Aided School and as such it has close links with Hordle Church.

### **Our Values**

Our teaching and learning values are very important to us. You will find these here on our website:

<http://hordle.hants.sch.uk/pdfs/Parent%20Communications/VALUES%20BOOK%20UPDATED%20JUL%202013.pdf>

### **External Validation**

At our last Ofsted inspection (2016) the school was graded **OUTSTANDING**. We were graded **OUTSTANDING** in our church school inspection (SIAMS) We recently won 'Silver' Team of the Year in the National Teaching Awards.

### **The PTA - PATCH**

Our fantastic PTA (PATCH) work incredibly hard to support the school. They have recently funded our daily mile track.

### **The Governors**

Governors are actively involved in the life of the school and enjoy a positive partnership in leading the school forward to greater success.

### **The Community**

The school has excellent links with the community and our Grandhordle's project creates wonderful opportunities for intergenerational learning.

### **Other Links**

The headteacher is a National Leader for Education and works across a range of schools on the south coast to support schools in challenging circumstances. We also have a number of SLEs in school who provide curriculum support in other schools.

### **The Diocese of Winchester**

The school is part of the Diocese of Portsmouth and Winchester and we work closely in partnership with them.

For more information about the school, please visit our website: <http://hordle.hants.sch.uk/>

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