Dear Reception Parents,

Over the last year, we have been reviewing our curriculum in the Early Years, KS1 and KS2 to ensure that it is exciting, fun, engaging and accessible for all pupils.

As part of this process we have discussed our intent, or vision for the curriculum here at St Albans. We have three themes that underpin our curriculum – building life skills, creating community and eco-awareness.

We have shared these themes with the children in KS1 and 2 and have now written the following Intent Statement to share this with the children in Reception:

Our Early Year's Curriculum enables all pupils to learn...

to love learning

independence, creativity, perseverance, motivation, problem-solving, discovery

resilience, enthusiasm, risk-taking, co-operation, curiosity

to love their new school community

belonging, sharing, helping, thoughtful, considerate

to love and care for the world around them

awe, wonder, enquiry, exploration, caring, collaboration