**The vision for West End Schools’ Trust**

The Trust will take responsibility for **all** children and young people in our schools.  By strengthening our current partnership, the Trust will improve every opportunity and enable every learner to achieve the best they can.

**We will achieve this by:**

* developing the Trust to provide clear, strong, effective leadership to support the schools;
* providing the highest quality teaching and learning for everyone;
* sharing and implementing examples of outstanding practice and resources;
* employing effective governance and principles of best value in the procurement and management of resources;
* rigorously monitoring and evaluating everything we do;
* working in partnership with our local community.

**The key aims of our trust will impact on the lives and experiences of our children.**

**We aim to:**

* Further enhance the educational experiences for every child in our care, therefore raising standards in all areas.
* Raise children’s aspirations by working alongside our partners and the local community.
* Share best practice across our schools, increase leadership capacity and continuing professional development opportunities, to ensure our children are provided with the highest quality educational experiences.
* Strengthen and enhance the already effective relationships with parents, carers, partners and the wider community.
* Retain and further promote the unique identities of our individual schools, providing our children, staff and parents and carers with a secure identity and sense of belonging.
* Provide a strong local voice in response to national changes, making sure the impact on our children is always at the forefront of our beliefs.
* Formalise the current partnership to protect and promote collaborative working to improve the quality of teaching and learning.
* Seek opportunities for additional funding streams and financial efficiencies.
* Provide our partners with the opportunity to become part of our school and local communities and to inspire a future workforce and generation.
* Provide further opportunities for our local communities to flourish and ensure our children grow up to be active members of society.
* Ensure every member of the Trust Board and governing bodies has a clear vision, drive and enthusiasm for positive change.