

"Children get off to a strong start in the early years… Pupils are happy, confident and enjoy coming to school."
Ofsted, 2026

Welcome to our school

Bourne Abbey
CE Primary Academy

Welcome to Bourne Abbey CE Primary Academy — a vibrant, welcoming and ambitious school where every child is **known, valued and encouraged to flourish**.

We believe education is about more than academic success. It is about helping children discover their strengths, develop confidence and become **aspirational, responsible young people who are ready to make a positive difference** as 'Agents of Change'.

Our children are **happy, confident and excited to learn**. They benefit from an ambitious and creative curriculum that sparks curiosity, alongside rich experiences in the arts, environmental projects, exciting hook days and opportunities to develop their voice and leadership skills.

Our **Christian values and commitment to children's rights** shape the way we live and learn together. We nurture an inclusive community where every child feels safe, supported and able to succeed, and where strong partnerships with families are central to school life.

From their first steps in **Abbey Ark Nursery** through to the end of Year 6, we provide a caring and stimulating environment where children can grow in confidence, independence and resilience. With nursery and wraparound care available, we are proud to support children and families throughout their journey with us.

Above all, Bourne Abbey is a place where children **belong, believe in themselves and have the courage to make a difference**.

Fun. Bold. Brave. Together.

Anna Petrie
Headteacher

Learning with us

At Bourne Abbey, we believe learning should be **ambitious, engaging and inspiring**, giving every child the knowledge, skills and confidence to achieve their potential.

Our curriculum combines strong academic foundations with creativity, practical experiences and opportunities to think, question and explore. Every new topic begins with a **'hook day'**, designed to spark curiosity and excitement and give children a memorable starting point for their learning.

We place **reading at the heart of the curriculum**, inspiring children to develop a lifelong love of books, stories and learning. Through carefully planned teaching and rich experiences, children are encouraged to become confident, independent learners who enjoy discovering new ideas.

Through educational visits and themed experiences our children have lots of exciting opportunities to learn through doing. Our **Artsmark** and **Green Flag Eco Award** reflect our commitment to giving children opportunities to be creative, develop their talents and understand their role in caring for the world around them.

We have high expectations for all our pupils and are committed to giving every child the support and encouragement they need to succeed — now and in the future.

> ***"Pupils are celebrated as individuals and all are encouraged to be the best they can."***
> *SIAMS, 2023*





Life with us

Life at Bourne Abbey extends far beyond the classroom. We want every child to feel that they **belong, have a voice and can make a difference**.

Wellbeing

Wellbeing is an integral part of school life, our experienced and well-established staff inspire and nurture every pupil. Fostering a love of learning and providing a safe and happy place for children to thrive.

Our fantastic children are also kind, caring and look out for one another. Their friendships and positive attitudes bring warmth and joy to our school, creating a welcoming atmosphere – somewhere you'll always find a friendly face.

Inclusion

Our inclusive approach recognises individual needs and we work closely with families to provide the best for our pupils. Our **Inclusion Base** provides specialist support for children with the most profound needs, helping children access school life and fulfil their potential.

Club and activities

Our school offers a wide range of extracurricular activities to meet the interests and passions of all pupils. This includes a host of after school clubs, as well as the chance to take part in national competitions offering opportunities to show innovation and creativity.

Pupil voice

We believe children should play an active role in school life. Through our **Student Council, leadership opportunities and wider pupil voice**, children are encouraged to share ideas, take responsibility and become **Agents of Change**.

As a **UNICEF Rights Respecting School – Gold**, we embed children's rights into everyday school life, helping pupils understand respect, equality, fairness and responsibility.

Working together

We believe children achieve more when families and school work together.

At Bourne Abbey, we work closely with parents and carers throughout every stage of school life, creating strong partnerships built on communication and shared support for each child.

There are regular opportunities for families to engage with school life through school events, parents' evenings and opportunities to celebrate children's progress.

Nursery and Wraparound Care



Abbey Ark is our dedicated nursery, offering full time childcare for children aged 2 years and above. Abbey Ark is open all year round, from 7.30am to 6.00pm, Monday to Friday.

Wraparound care is also available for pupils from Reception to Year 6.

About Infinity Academies Trust

Infinity Academies Trust is a family of Church and community schools, serving a wide number of different communities across Greater Lincolnshire.

Through our like-minded approach and opportunities to work together, we ensure that our children are **ready to learn and prepared to flourish** throughout their lives.

We respond to the individual needs of our schools, enabling them to put children at the heart of all that they do.

The Trust has also won a number of awards for supporting and developing our staff to be the best they can be.

If you would like to find out more about our school, or arrange a visit, then please do get in touch – we'd love to meet you!

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