

Prayers for primary schools.

Bible verse.

Proverbs 13:14

The teaching of the wise is a fountain of life, turning a person from the snares of death.

Pray with thanksgiving, remembering God's goodness and faithfulness in answering in the past.

Primary schools

There are 16,791 primary schools in England. 40.4% of primary schools are now academies or free schools. Academies are state-funded schools but they're independent from local authorities meaning they aren't run by councils. They can decide on their own curriculums, term dates, school hours and much more.

Prayer pointers

- Pray for head teachers at primary schools as they balance many demands and work long hours.
- Pray for primary schools that they will enable children to fulfil their potential.
- Pray that Christianity is part of the curriculum in all primary schools.
- Pray for Christians in schools that they will be good witnesses and show kindness and love to all.
- Pray for Christians visiting primary schools that they will be good witnesses to the schools and show your love and compassion for all. Pray for wisdom to know how and when to share your good news.
- Pray for all pupils moving from primary and starting secondary school this September.

A Prayer

Thank you, Father, for our primary schools. Thank you for the opportunity for children to flourish at school. Please give head teachers wisdom to provide great leadership and create school cultures that are warm, welcoming, kind, and positive environments. Pray that head teachers will be positive about providing opportunities for students to explore Christianity. Please help Christians in the schools be great witnesses. Thank you, Father, for all Christian visitors to primary schools and give them wisdom to know how to help children explore Christianity. Lord Jesus help Christians visiting primary schools to be good witnesses to the schools and show your love and compassion for all.

Amen

Young person's prayer

Dear God, I pray for all those coming up to Year 7 next year. I can't remember that much of what it was like, but I know that I was really glad my friends from primary school were coming up with me. I pray that anyone who doesn't have friends coming with them or doesn't already know anyone will make new friends quickly. And I pray you will help me to look out for the new Year 7s and to be kind to them. I want to be a good prefect and to make things nicer for them. Amen