



**2020 October
Symposium**
Member
Background info

Member Symposium
Zoom session 2-5pm, 22nd October

- **Name of your organization:**
- **Values-based Education (VbE)**
- **Your mission:**
- **To inspire every school and system to underpin its work and life with universal positive human values and to live them.**



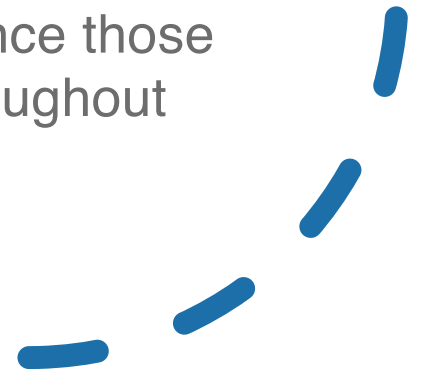
Projects



VbE is an Approach to Education

VbE empowers educational settings to underpin their life and curriculum with universal positive human values such as respect, integrity, honesty and compassion.

Values-based Education provides a teaching environment in which learners experience those positive universal values first hand throughout their schooling.



An effective VbE environment has three core foundations. All adults model the positive universal values that the school community itself has chosen. The values are developed into an ethical vocabulary which empowers learners and staff to articulate basic and advanced ethical concepts. And the school creates time and space for children to develop reflective practices so their values experiences can be processed into a living guide to self- and interpersonal awareness.



Outcomes

The outcome of developing such an ethical vocabulary is ethical intelligence, which Neil Hawkes, founder of VbE, argues is the most important intelligence for the sustainability of our world.

The ethical vocabulary is the foundation of a new universal narrative through which all human beings, irrespective of culture; religion or ethnicity can communicate, thereby establishing trust and well being.

The outcome of Values-based Education is self-leadership, which enables each individual to work towards fulfilling their wonderful potential.





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