

## Progression of Class Celebration of the word.



*"Our DREAM is for greatness in our learning. To BELIEVE, in our unique talents and gifts and ACHIEVE a better world, living life to the full."*

### YEAR 1

Lay out altar  
Listen to scripture  
Take part in circle prayer with a prompt  
Participate in short periods of silence.

### YEAR 2

Lay out altar with help  
Read scripture  
Make up own circle prayer  
Increasing comfort with periods of silence

### YEAR 3

Lay out altar with some guidance.  
Select theme for scripture  
Respond to a psalm.  
Make own circle prayer and use symbols.  
Spend time in silence.

### YEAR 4

Set up altar independently  
Prepare reading and psalm (help may be given)  
Improvise circle prayer.  
Select prayers for use  
Using ICT/props/resources/actions, select images to be used for reflection.

### YEAR 5/6

Set up altar independently, being increasingly creative.  
Select reading and prayers from a variety of sources( Bible, books, workbooks, web etc.)  
Compose prayers in different styles to match given needs.  
Prayers become increasingly detailed in what they are asking for, the reasons why and what they want the outcome to be.  
Create ICT aids (eg powerpoints/photostory)  
Search for visual aids( eg from a bank of Youtube videos / Google image/CADOD resources)  
Match prayers and readings with a given theme.  
Invent own symbolic actions.  
Spend increasing amounts of time in silence.