OVERVIEW
In St Monica’s we will celebrate the achievement of learners by giving their work prominence in displays in classrooms and in the shared areas of the school. The colourful displays of a wide range of learners’ work will become an excellent feature of school and will make a positive contribution to our ethos. They will reinforce and celebrate learners’ creativity, originality, and the creative teaching and learning that takes place in school.

OBJECTIVES
1. This policy will ensure that St Monica’s is filled with excellent displays of the children’s work.
2. To demonstrate to all who see the displays, the excellence and enjoyment that learners gain from the curriculum, teaching and learning.
3. To have on show a wide range of work that represents the rich and broad curriculum provided for learners.
4. To ensure that all classrooms and teaching areas are exciting and welcoming places filled with examples of learners’ work.
5. To set high standards of display to show learners’ work at its best and to demonstrate to all the high levels of expectation promoted by the school.
6. To use display as a particularly visual way of celebrating the writing skills and talents of the children at all ages across our school.
7. To include long term instillation art which reflects our mission statement in a dynamic, visual, reflective and thought provoking way.

STRATEGIES
1. Teachers will be responsible for the quality and content of the displays in their classrooms and teaching areas. Support staff will assist teachers in mounting displays of work.
2. Displays should cover the full range of the curriculum and they should be.
3. All staff will provide children’s work for the shared areas of the school.
4. Displays used to communicate high standards and high expectations of work should be combined with books and other resources to link them to the curriculum.
5. Where appropriate some displays should be three-dimensional and might incorporate materials, professional art work, artefacts and natural objects.
6. We will use a range of different medium, of materials, works of art, paintings, prints, artefacts and natural objects for use in display.
7. Teachers and support staff will be responsible for seeing that displays are changed regularly and kept up to date and in good condition.
8. Displays will reflect learners’ creativity, imagination and originality. They will be a celebration of the range and variety of learning going on throughout the year at St Monica’s.

OUTCOMES
When visitors enter the school they will be impressed by the quality and range of the displays of learners’ work. The work on display will support and communicate our ethos to those who see it. The displays will make strong statements about the high quality and standards of work expected in our school. The displays will make this school a happy, bright and welcoming place for children, staff and all who visit St Monica’s. They will reflect our shared values and promote social cohesion.