

Day of Prayer for Education & Schools

Freshbrook Church - Sunday 21 June 2026



Education shapes the lives of children, young people, families and communities every day. As a church family, we want to bring before God those who learn, teach, lead, support and serve throughout the education sector. Use these prayer prompts throughout the day to help guide your prayers and join us for our gathered prayer meeting from 6.30–7.30pm at Freshbrook Church.

Early Years & Nursery Settings

Pray for funding, staff development, retention, wellbeing, and strong partnerships with families.

Primary Schools

Pray for teachers, teaching assistants, resources, pupil wellbeing, and classrooms that remain places of safety and growth.

Special Educational Needs & Disabilities (SEND)

Pray for pupils with additional needs, SENDCOs, teachers, support staff, adequate funding, and effective provision.

Secondary Schools

Pray for students, teachers, mental health support, recruitment, retention, workload, and resilience.

Staff Wellbeing & School Leadership

Pray for headteachers & senior leaders, especially for wisdom in making the right decisions for the coming school year; and for support staff, volunteers, and healthy school cultures.

Funding & Resources

Pray for fair funding, safe and well-equipped schools, and practical provision for families in need.

Governors, Trustees & Governance

Pray for wisdom, courage, strategic leadership, good stewardship, and sustainable governance.

Pupils, Parents & Families

Pray for children and young people, family life, emotional wellbeing, home-school partnerships, and support for families facing challenges.

Closing Prayer

Heavenly Father, we thank You for every child, young person, family, teacher, leader, governor and support worker represented in our schools and educational settings. May our prayers and partnership bring blessing, strength and encouragement as it is needed so that each may flourish and thrive in their own sector. Amen.