

Wyvern School – Curriculum Intent

At Wyvern, we have key curriculum drivers underpinning our ethos: to learn together (skilful learner/critical thinking); be successful (proud of who you are/creativity) and to develop a feeling of belonging (team player/collaborating). Everything we do in the school for our pupils builds to our inclusive motto of 'be the best you can be'.

Learning Together (Skilful learner)

We aim to:

- create a love of reading in order to ensure decoding and comprehension of a range of text types to prepare children for their education and life beyond Wyvern
- equip pupils with speaking and listening skills to communicate clearly and effectively, both in written and oral form
- provide the pupils with secure foundations and fluency with their numeracy skills to develop successful future learning
- develop skills to access a broad range of subjects across the curriculum to create independent and adventurous learners
- develop personal growth through play, PSHE, assemblies, circle time and nurturing pastoral care

Successful (Proud of who you are)

We aim to:

- offer a broad curriculum covering all of the statutory areas set out by the DFE and develop these subjects through clear skill progression appropriate to the age groups of the pupils
- ensure that the children are developing their physical fitness as part of supporting their mental wellbeing
- meet the needs, interests and abilities of all children
- enrich the curriculum by providing theme days, visitors and trips in all year groups to bring the curriculum to life and link classroom lessons to real world experiences
- emphasise developing the whole child, providing an engaging and exciting environment to stimulate creativity
- to promote high aspirations and for all children to achieve their very best

Belonging (Team player)

We aim to:

- offer appropriate experiences for pupils to develop as confident, responsible citizens who understand British Values and can not only exist in but contribute positively to society.
- offer a range of clubs for children to attend in order to build skills in areas of interest and promote socialising

- provide opportunities to explore and develop high standards of personal behaviour; positive caring attitudes towards other people; an understanding of society's social and cultural traditions and an appreciation of the diversity and richness of other cultures