

'Together We Can'

Key Values

1. Look and learn beyond the classroom.

We offer our pupils opportunities to make connections with the wider community and beyond through meaningful real life experiences as well as virtual opportunities. We offer regular educational visits; charity work; partnership with the elderly through regular visits to residential homes ; links with other schools and enterprise opportunities. We aim to expand the horizons for all of our pupils. Due to the rural location of our school, we embrace outdoor learning to develop pupils' skills.

2. Have high aspirations and fulfil our potential.

Our curriculum is well planned to meet the needs of our learners. We have a strong culture of personalised learning for both pupils and adults; an ethos of motivation, perseverance and problem solving whereby we value mistakes and encourage growth mindset. opportunities for challenge. Strong links with our parents enhance this. A strong emphasis is on key transferrable skills that can be built upon and developed over time. We embrace children's individual talents and abilities, and aim to inspire a positive attitude towards the whole curriculum.

3. Care, share and belong.

We provide a welcoming and supportive learning environment, nurturing the whole child, in which each pupil flourishes. Our familial atmosphere and peer support for all is an integral part of us. Our personal development opportunities are rich and run as a golden thread through our curriculum, with well-being, mindfulness and positive mental health at the heart of it. All staff are champions for well-being. Risk taking and resilience building is encouraged.

4. Lead, teach and learn with passion.

By leading, teaching and learning with passion we believe that our staff are role models for injecting passion into our curriculum and instilling excitement for learning. We plan WOW events for our launch and landing of each topic. We use staff talents and skills to inspire our pupils and we have subject specialist teachers for Music and MFL.

A collaborative approach to curriculum design is adopted, and we place a high emphasis on pupil voice in this. All children participate in the Young Leaders Award, which teaches them teamwork, kindness, perseverance and action. Personalised staff CPD enables our pupils to access a well-planned curriculum. Creative and critical thinking runs as a golden thread through our curriculum.