



Waterbeach Community Primary School Curriculum - The Big Picture

INTENT

Our curriculum vision involves 'Learning, Laughter and Friendship' and our intent is to enable all young people to become:

Inspired Learners who will explore and discover in order to make progress and achieve.	Positive role models who know how to lead safe, healthy and fulfilling lives.	Confident individuals who communicate effectively with the world around them.	Resilient children who employ a growth mindset.	Responsible citizens who make a positive contribution to society.
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IMPLEMENTATION

We have a positive learning culture so that our children can flourish by using a range of different learning strategies

Growth Mindset A 'Growth Mindset' drives motivation and achievement. Through developing their positive attitudes the children become resilient learners.	Blooms Taxonomy Develops higher order thinking and questioning skills: to remember, to understand, to apply, to analyse, to evaluate and to create.	Talking Partners Encourages quality communication and listening between pupils. It promotes confidence and assurance in the individual.
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We encourage a personal responsibility in oneself, and respect and support for each other by using a positive range of rules, responsibilities and rewards

School Council A dedicated team gives the students a voice within the school.	Peer Mediators and Play Leaders A trained group of students who support others.	Golden Rules To promote consistently high expectations across the school.	Shine Awards Enabling the children to contribute to the community. Linking to the secondary school.	House Teams Encouraging a team ethos across all year groups.	Golden Stars Star rewards to encourage extra effort and commitment to learning.
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We stimulate the children's learning by using our extensive outdoor learning environment

Forest School and Orchard A designated area of woodland has been created to extend children's learning outside and the orchard facilitates learning about growing produce.	Dedicated Outdoor Learning Spaces Purposeful outdoor provision used to enhance learning.	Swimming Pool All year groups are taught this invaluable life skill in our pool.
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We promote good social, physical and emotional wellbeing

Healthy Schools Lunchtime UK are committed to providing healthy locally sourced meals for the children.	Out of School Clubs There is a variety of sports, dance, yoga, music and social clubs.	Wellbeing Team A wide variety of initiatives supporting individuals and their families.
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IMPACT

Our curriculum combines skills, knowledge and understanding

National Level The school teaches the Early Years and the Primary National Curriculum.	School Level The school carefully tailors its curriculum, using progressive themes, to make it relevant and specific to the children at Waterbeach School.	Classroom Level Formative and summative assessments are analysed to ensure the learning is effective and has a positive and lasting impact on the children.
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Our school encourages each child to grow into a happy, confident individual, thriving in a supportive community where each is inspired to learn and discover through a kaleidoscope of opportunities, with space to imagine and to create.