



Our Curriculum

The children at schools within Quest Trust experience a curriculum that inspires, engages and provides opportunities for children to lead their own learning. The implementation of our **DREAM** curriculum ensures progression in the delivery of knowledge and skills, to enable our learners to succeed in Modern Britain.

Depth of knowledge and understanding is facilitated through
Research
Enquiry and
Analysis to ensure
Mastery of skills

Planning

Each class has an overview of themes that will be covered over a two year cycle, which can be accessed by clicking on the link on the relevant class page.

Topic webs are shared with our parents/carers at the start of each topic to support home-school links. As well as these themes each year each school studies a number of short themes that are linked to local or national events or develop specific skills such as financial awareness. Our broad and balanced curriculum ensures all pupils gain core knowledge across a range of subjects so that they get the best start in life and are prepared as life long learners.

Incorporated within this, children are given the opportunities to debate current issues.

Assessment

To ensure progression of skills and progress for all our learners we track their attainment and learning in all subjects throughout the year, indicating where our children are in relation to year group expectations i.e., whether they are working towards, working at or working above age related expectations. Our

children are assessed with a 'best fit' judgement based on a range of assessment methods across the year. Children will only be assessed as working above if they are extremely confident in using and applying their knowledge and skills across a range of subject areas. The new National Curriculum refers to this as mastery.

