



Subject Information



Soaring to success

SMSC Early Years

In the Early Years Foundation Stage, the curriculum is planned to offer exciting experiences that enable children to show curiosity, imagination and creativity.

Learning environments provide opportunities for children to reflect upon, consider, ask questions and celebrate the world around them.

Children are taught:

- The rules and routines of the school
- Awe and wonder around natural phenomena in our world, the wonders and mysteries of life, including animals and plants, cultivating an appreciation of beauty in nature. We promote this through natural environments and forest schools
- To use reflective practice including growth mindset questions
- To develop their self-esteem and self-awareness, valuing their own and others' ideas and aspirations
- To develop sensitivity and responsiveness to others' needs and wants
- To care for pets and the environment
- The different celebrations of faiths and cultures through RE and Equality and Diversity days
- Areas that promote talking and thinking
- To explore how experiences evoke feelings/ emotions (for example through music or a story).