



# Hillbourne Primary School

## Curriculum Intent



### ‘Every Child, Every Opportunity’

#### Aims

Our curriculum is at the heart of what we do at Hillbourne Primary School. It aims to:

- Inspire in all pupils a love of learning and the desire to continue to learn
- Ensure that all pupils have equal opportunity to take part in the life and work of the school to become active citizens
- Encourage children to be curious, challenge ideas and construct their own ideas
- Equip all pupils with the tools and knowledge necessary to continue to progress after they have left our school

#### Intent

At Hillbourne Primary School we are determined to provide the very best for every child and create a learning environment where they can achieve their personal best. We are committed to support all children to love learning by ensuring our curriculum excites and engages the children. We also make sure our children are able to read, write, calculate with numbers, and use current technology effectively, as these are important skills needed to help them succeed on their journey through education. This will enable them to become adults who can achieve well in an ever-changing world.

The curriculum is inclusive and aims for all pupils to deepen their learning. It fulfils the requirements of the National Curriculum through carefully sequenced learning, with a clear progression of knowledge from Early Years to Year Six. It is designed based on a spiral curriculum, allowing children to return to and build upon previous learning, applying substantive and disciplinary knowledge to new challenges. It is designed to be engaging, broad and progressive. It is a curriculum that evolves, based on the needs of our children and changes in the world around us. It takes into account the local context of the school, experiences and backgrounds of our children and provides them with relevant and memorable learning experiences to ensure every child has every opportunity. It focuses on knowledge and vocabulary development, as well as a range of experiences, which have been designed to increase children’s cultural capital. These experiences involve visitors within school, as well as educational visits, and are carefully planned to inspire or allow children to consolidate and apply taught knowledge.

Throughout their time at Hillbourne Primary School, pupils will be encouraged to take responsibility for their learning so that they become independent, resilient and imaginative learners with a wide variety of skills. We are committed to delivering lifelong learning which enables children to know more and remember more. By experiencing new challenges, children will learn to adapt and improve, and develop as a unique individual.