Mundella Primary School Policies

Curriculum Policy

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Intention

The intention of the curriculum at Mundella is to provide opportunities for children to develop as independent, confident, successful learners with high aspirations. We want our children to achieve high standards in all areas of the curriculum so that they leave Mundella as well-rounded individuals who have achieved their full potential. We are passionate about raising the self-esteem of all our learners, ensuring that they are all well prepared for life in modern Britain.

Our values are based around our five Rs (Respect, Resilience, Reflectiveness, Reciprocity and Resourcefulness) which are integral to the ethos of the school.

Implementation

Our curriculum, whilst following the National Curriculum, is based around exciting and interactive activities. This includes opportunities for problem solving, developing self-esteem and exploring and developing the children's own interests. We regularly start a subject at the start of each term with a visit or engagement activity. We value the importance of learning outside the classroom and aim to achieve this as much as possible. Throughout our curriculum areas, we share our learning with parents and the community, through the use of MarvellousMe, Class Assemblies and Parents' Mornings.

The world we live in is ever changing and our curriculum will allow children to grow to be adaptable, with transferrable skills that will equip them to thrive. Through our curriculum, children will increase their awareness of our Mundella values, and the values of others.

Impact

At Mundella, the primary focus of our curriculum is to develop successful, independent and collaborative learners who take pride in their achievements. By the time children leave us at the end of Key Stage 2, they are well rounded learners who are prepared for their next steps in education. The structure of our curriculum ensures that children are given the opportunities to deepen knowledge and understanding across the curriculum in a progressive way, therefore enabling them to achieve in their learning. Outcomes for pupils at our school exceed those of their national counterparts.

Curriculum Maps

Curriculum maps for each subject are updated and shared on the school website: <u>http://www.mundella.sheffield.sch.uk/curriculum</u>

Yearly overviews for each year group are also shared on the website: <u>http://www.mundella.sheffield.sch.uk/year-groups</u>

