

Curriculum Intent Statement

At London Meed we provide children with an engaging, exciting and empowering curriculum that equips them for today and for the future.

Our Curriculum is designed to recognise children's prior learning, allowing them to build on what they already know. Developing their ability to learn is underpinned by our school values: **Bravery, Curiosity, Respect, Resilience** and **Community**, and the teaching of key skills and knowledge.

At London Meed, our Curriculum has a cross-curricular approach to enable children to make connections in their learning. Exciting contexts; Stunning Starts; Fabulous Finishes; quality first-hand experiences; visits and visitors; carefully selected key texts; use of our extensive outside spaces, all create an atmosphere of excitement and immersion within the school. A wide range of extra-curricular clubs are available to children, which further develop their experiences and learning.

Every child at our school is recognised as a unique individual. Children at London Meed are taught to accept diversity in their community and the world, and appreciate people's differences.

We have high expectations of every pupil in every subject. Our Curriculum also allows for creative thinking, as children investigate the world around them and show their learning in many different ways, utilising technology to support this. Children are taught to challenge themselves, whatever their ability, in order to maximise their learning and become lifelong learners.

We believe that effective partnerships between children, staff, governors, parents, carers, and the wider community are central to the success of our children.

40 things that every London Meed pupil will have a chance to do



EYFS

Visit a museum
Perform a song or tell a story to an audience
Take part in a 'Bug Ball'
Go shopping at a supermarket



Year 1

Visit the seaside
Perform a play for an audience
Learn how to be a pirate
Eat something you've not tried before



Year 2

Plan a party
Visit a historic building
Go bird watching in the local area
Take part in a debate



Year 3

Visit a Roman Villa
Visit a place of worship
Meet a beekeeper
Learn to play an instrument



Year 4

Spend a night away from home
Learn to sew on a button
Handle an animal
Create a piece of work for an exhibition



Year 5

Visit a local nature reserve
Sing at the O2
Design a product or business idea
Visit a care home



Year 6

Take part in a new activity during a residential
Run a stall at the school fair
Put on a performance for an audience
Have a whole school responsibility



The whole school

Raise awareness of Developmental
Language Disorder
Raise money for Children in Need
Meet an author
Learn Makaton signing
Take part in Celebration Assemblies
Take part in a Sports Day
Compete against another school
Collect for a local food bank
Dance at a disco
Take books out of Griff's library
Learn new skills in Forest School
Visit a library