

Rock Ferry Primary School Curriculum Rationale

Our Curriculum is underpinned by our Core Framework:

Our Core Framework	
Mission Statement	Core Values
Developing positive minds that lead to positive futures.	Be Kind Be Safe Work Hard Never Give Up
Vision	
To be the best we can be.	

A curriculum that develops Mind, Body and Soul.

Our curriculum rationale intends to develop a mind-body-soul approach to learning in which all our children can learn about themselves and others and use what they learn to shape the world they live in.

We aim to provide opportunities for all children to acquire their knowledge in a reading rich environment that encourages them to become inquiring, curious, compassionate human beings who can succeed in their aspirations to make a positive contribution on the world they share with others.

Caring hearts, healthy bodies, curious minds...

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1. Our curriculum has a strong emphasis on developing our children emotionally and mentally through working on our core framework, providing them with a wide range of emotional and mental health strategies and interventions.
2. Mindset- Through working on Growth Mind sets . We want our children to have a “can do “approach to learning and feel ready to take risks and face challenges eagerly.
3. Behaviour and Attitudes- We work on positive recognition and restorative conversations and aim to teach our children regulation and responsibility.
4. Healthy bodies lead to healthy minds- we actively promote healthy eating and physical activity. We hold the Sainsbury’s Platinum PE award.
5. Basic skills- We have high expectations and want to ensure our children leave our school equipped and ready for High School in the basic skills of reading, writing and maths.
6. Wider curriculum- we are developing a well thought out, well sequenced curriculum that stimulates curiosity and encourages the children to build knowledge as well as developing inquiry skills to help them access that knowledge.