

Curriculum Statement

September 2016

‘Learning Together, Achieving Our Best’



Our vision is to create a school community where happy, confident and responsible children work hard together to achieve their true potential.

We are required by the government to teach the revised National Curriculum 2014. This includes detail about the content of the curriculum, and allows some flexibility for us to adapt to our own individual needs and local requirements.

At Manor, we provide a cross-curricular approach to learning, which we believe makes learning more fun and meaningful. Some subjects are usually taught discretely, such as computing, modern foreign languages and PE. Our Curriculum aims are:

- To provide a rich curriculum and meaningful learning experiences which give pupils a growing knowledge and awareness of the world in which they live, skills to succeed and a passion for learning.
- To promote the highest level of achievement for all individual pupils, across all subjects, regardless of age, gender, background or ability, in a fully inclusive manner.
- To promote a ‘Growth Mindset’ which encourages all children to strive for success and supports essential learning skills such as motivation, hard work and resilience.
- To teach and promote social, moral, spiritual and cultural awareness so that children are well equipped to become active, respectful and responsible citizens.
- To teach, promote and celebrate the fundamental British Values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect, and tolerance of everyone’s faiths and beliefs; to provide children with a knowledge and understanding of their social heritage and the importance of diversity, thereby safeguarding them against the risks of extremism and radicalisation.
- To teach, promote and support healthy lifestyles and sustainable physical and emotional well-being.
- To regularly take learning beyond the classroom through utilising the outdoor environment, local area and opportunities further afield.
- To regularly review our curriculum provision in order to ensure that this responds to the circumstances of the world around us and continues to promote excellence.