

### Our Whole School Values:

Be kind, be brave, be responsible,  
be positive, be inclusive

# Our Curriculum



### Our Learning Behaviours:

Resilient Rhino, Teamwork Tiger,  
Independent Iguana, Creative  
Chameleon & Concentrating Crocodile

At Moss Hey our challenging and creative curriculum inspires our children to know more and remember more. We develop curious, resilient and enthusiastic learners to prepare our pupils for the next phase of education and beyond.



You have brains in your head  
You have feet in your shoes  
You can steer yourself  
in any direction you choose.  
- Dr. Seuss

## Music

*"Music is life, that's why our hearts have beats"*

**Intent:** To develop a curiosity and love for music. As well as developing an appreciation for different musicians and composers.

## Geography

*"I like geography best because mountains and rivers know the secrets. Pay no attention to boundaries"*

**Intent:** To inspire curiosity and fascination about the world and its people that affects the way we live, which makes the heartbeat of our world.

## Art

*"Art speaks where words are unable to explain"*

**Intent:** To enjoy, explore, develop skills and evaluate art in and beyond the classroom. To develop an appreciation and love for a wide range of artists who have influenced the world in which we live in.

## PSHE

*"Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success."*

**Intent:** To create a happy and safe environment where children are able to take risks, develop relationships and embrace learning opportunities for their future.

## R.E

*"Faith formation is more than a subject to be taught - it is an invitation to a way of life"*

**Intent:** To develop spiritual, moral, social and cultural development, promoting respect and open-mindedness towards others and their beliefs.

## D&T

*"You can't use up creativity. The more you use, the more you have"*

**Intent:** Children to become independent, creative problem solvers and thinkers, which will help them to identify needs and opportunities for making constructions and products to fit in today's world.

## History

*"History is the best guide to the future."*

**Intent:** To gain an understanding of the past, where we have come from and appreciate events, people, cultures and inventions that have reshaped our world.

## Reading

*"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more you learn, the more places you'll go"*

**Intent:** We pride ourselves in celebrating a love of reading throughout Moss Hey from the moment the pupils arrive until the moment they leave. We have a focus on learning to read then reading to learn. We understand the importance of reading for practice, purpose and pleasure.

**Phonics Intent:** We strive for all our children to be fluent, confident readers and apply the sounds taught to all aspects of their learning.

## Writing

*"Either write something worth reading or do something worth writing."*

**Intent:** We want every child to foster a love of writing. To master the key skills of punctuation, sentence structure, transcription and spelling so that they are able to communicate effectively through a range of text types. We strive for our pupils to understand the power of the written word and the impact their writing can have upon others.

## Science

*"Somewhere, something incredible is waiting to be known"*

**Intent:** To give all children a strong understanding of the world around them, allowing them to discover the processes and ideas that make our world work.

## P.E

*"An active brain cannot exist in an inactive body"*

**Intent:** All children have the opportunity to enjoy being physically active, maintain a healthy lifestyle and using the medium of sport to increase their self-esteem. We aspire for children to adopt a positive mind-set and believe that anything can be achieved with determination and resilience.

## Mathematics

*"Maths may not teach us to add love or subtract hate, but it gives us hope that every problem has a solution"*

**Intent:** For pupils to be confident mathematicians. To appreciate the patterns of numbers and shapes all around us and how they help us to make sense of our world.

## Languages

*"The limits of my language are the limits of my universe"*

**Intent:** To help our children learn and enjoy languages as their passport to becoming a citizen of our multicultural world with all its diversity and riches.

## Computing

*"A Computer is not a device anymore. It is an extension of your mind and your gateway to other people"*

**Intent:** To prepare children for a world of rapid and continuous change and to develop the knowledge, skills and motivation that will enhance children's life choices by fostering enquiry, creativity and logical thinking.