



# Nether Edge Curriculum

Core subjects

## Reading

- Fluent readers by the end of Key Stage 1
- Reading as a tool to learn

## Writing

- Knowledgeable, skilled writers who write as experts for a range of audiences and purposes

## Mathematics

- Reasoning and problem solving are central
- Creative, knowledgeable mathematicians

## Science

- Knowledgeable and curious scientists able to explain and reason natural phenomena

Foundation subjects

Strong foundations built in Nursery and Reception through a curriculum that aligns carefully into Key Stage 1.

The National Curriculum describes the purpose and content for each curriculum area. Every subject is taught in every year.

Our curriculum breaks down the NC into carefully sequenced components of learning.

Teachers design sequences of lessons to build knowledge. They give children deliberate opportunities to build new learning on existing foundations.

Cycle 1 – 10 weeks

History Legacy and Empire  
Art Drawing and 3D media

Cycle 2 – 9 weeks

Geography Locational knowledge  
DT Construction

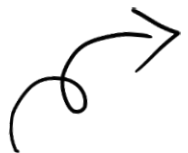
Cycle 3 – 10 weeks

History Equality  
Art Painting and printing

Cycle 4 – 10 weeks

Geography Fieldwork and comparison  
DT Textiles

Music    Modern Foreign Languages (French)    PE    RE    Computing    PSHE



**Spaced learning:** the remembering effect is stronger if we let some forgetting happen in between.

**Retrieval practice:** commit learning to long term memory by having to remember and remind. If nothing has been remembered, nothing has been learnt.