

Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum

In the Foundation Stage at High Firs Primary School, we deliver a broad curriculum following the Development Matters curriculum guidance and the Early Years Foundation Stage Statutory Framework.

Please click on the following links for more information about these documents:

[Development Matters - Non-statutory curriculum guidance for the early years foundation stage \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/362822/development-matters-curriculum-guidance-for-the-early-years-foundation-stage.pdf)

[Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage for group and school providers \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/362822/early-years-foundation-stage-statutory-framework.pdf)

Our Early Years teaching is based on the fundamental principle that children learn best through play and 'hands on' experiences. We recognise that every child is unique and learning happens when they are engaged and motivated in their play and happy and secure in their learning environment.

At the end of the Reception year, we aim that all children achieve the Early Learning Goals. These are then included in our Long Term Plans and Key Skills documents for the curriculum subjects so early learning is built upon as children move through the school.

