

Ethos and Life of the school

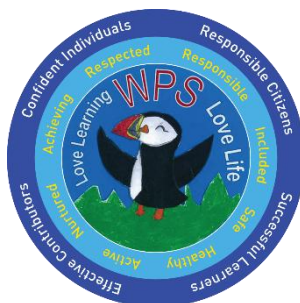
UNCRC. Zones of Regulation. Nurturing approaches. Trauma informed practice. Positive staff/pupil interactions. SHANARRI Superstars. Restorative Practices. Respect me. Inclusive classrooms. GIRFEC. Star Pupil Awards. Wider Achievement Gallery. Learning, Teaching and Assessment cycle. School trips. Inclusive Committees. Music Assemblies. Outdoor learning. Learning in all weather- polycrubs. Buddying. Swimming. Golden Time. Trips. Health and Safety. Playtime. Fire Drill. Active Schools. After school clubs. Personal hygiene and care. Growth mind-set. **Learning through play**- a definition written by staff, children and parents of Whiteness Primary School and Early Years. *Learning through play develops creative, engaging and motivating interest in the world around us. Play is natural and when unhurried, it gives us the space and right pace in which to learn. As we play, we watch and learn, we copy and repeat, we practice and experience, we extend our imagination and begin to understand the meaning of what we are doing. Learning through play is fun, it allows us to be active, to make choices, to learn from mistakes and to problem solve and evaluate, all of which build our confidence, resilience and wellbeing. Without realising it we are developing our social, life and relationship skills, all of which are transferable and will serve us well as we grow and flourish through life.*

Interdisciplinary Learning

Skills to Shine 🌞🔍👩🏫

- We will explore food using our senses, developing our observation skills and learning to describe what we notice.
- We will learn about where our food comes from, exploring the journey food takes from farm to plate through drama.
- We will develop our teamwork and problem-solving skills, working together through cooking and café role-play.
- We will develop practical cooking skills, learning to follow a recipe and prepare food safely.
- We will explore how advertising influences our choices, creating and performing our own food adverts.
- We will develop our confidence in speaking and presenting, working together to plan, prepare and perform our own cooking show.

Progress will be evidenced through planned periodic high quality assessments- showing application of knowledge.



Learning is designed on the basis of the following principles:

- Challenge and enjoyment
- Breadth
- Progression
- Depth
- Coherence
- Relevance
- Personalisation and choice

Opportunities for personal achievement

We would like to hear about any of your child's opportunities for wider achievement out of school. Please share with your child's class teacher any personal "proud" moments they have had, we will include these on our Wider Achievement Wall and in their own profile. Opportunities in school for personal achievement include performing in assemblies and concerts. Sporting events, leading learning through committees and family events. Buddying in school and representing the school in the wider community.

Curriculum areas and subjects

Numeracy

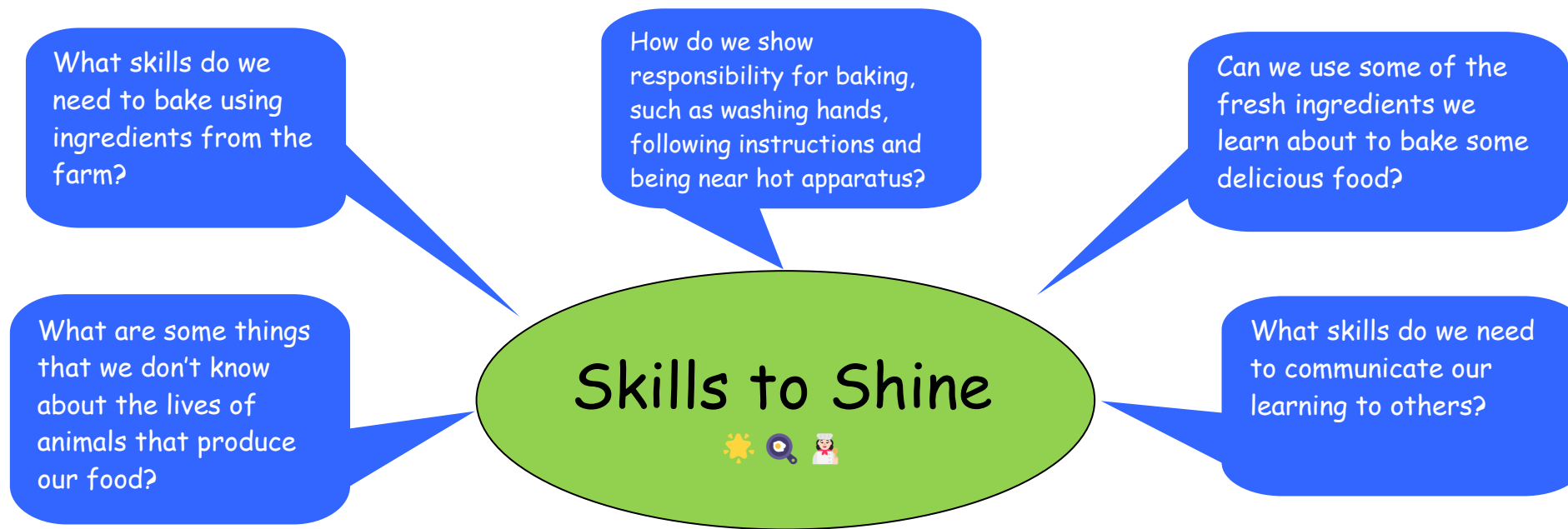
- We will read, write and sequence numbers - forwards and backwards to 100; 1,000, identify coins and notes to £5; £10, and use ml and g to measure correctly in baking.

Literacy

- We will develop our writing skills by spelling common words and homophones correctly, using different ways to plan fiction and non-fiction writing, and revising and editing our work with increasing independence.
- Making adverts and a cooking show will develop our communication skills, teaching our audience how to cook!

Health and Wellbeing

- We will build positive friendships by focusing on kindness, respect and inclusion in how we treat one another.



Literacy and IDL High Quality Assessment - demonstrating breadth, challenge and application in a new and unfamiliar situation.

- Follow the instructions in recipes
- Write fact files on our learning
- Make an advert/ cooking show to share our learning

Numeracy and mathematics High Quality Assessment - demonstrating breadth, challenge and application in a new and unfamiliar situation.

- Measure in millilitres and grams to bake
- Buy ingredients using money up to £10
- Calculate change

Pupil Evaluation