

Havannah First School - Our Curriculum ROCKS

We are resilient	We understand ourselves and each other	We are creative	We can build knowledge and skills
 Developing independence and resilience enables our children to flourish as confident thinkers and lifelong learners.	 We aim for our children to develop empathy, awareness, respect and tolerance in line with our school's <i>No Outsiders</i> values. We want every child to understand themselves, value others, and leave our school as confident, well-rounded individuals who are ready for the next steps in their education and the wider world.	 We want our children to be creative, curious and innovative, using their knowledge and skills to solve problems, develop new ideas and take their learning further with confidence and enthusiasm.	 We want every child to develop strong literacy, numeracy and communication skills that unlock learning and build confidence. Our aim is for children to know more, remember more and achieve more with every learning experience.
What does this look like? From their individual starting points and at a developmentally appropriate pace, children can:			
• Show persevere when challenges arise. • Try new things with confidence and curiosity. • Manage themselves and their learning independently. • Engage fully in school life and wider opportunities. • Solve problems creatively and persistently. • Set targets and strive to achieve them.	• Listen • Build positive relationships based on respect, kindness and understanding. • Work effectively with others and contribute to a shared goal. • Reflect on their achievements and identify next steps. • Manage their emotions and respond thoughtfully to challenges. • Communicate their ideas, feelings and opinions with confidence. • Follow the Golden Rules and No Outsiders values in everything they do.	• Think creatively and critically. • Question, explore and investigate the world around them. • Make connections that deepen understanding. • Take initiative and direct their own learning. • Develop and communicate ideas. • Use evidence to reason, debate and solve problems. • Reflect, adapt and grow as learners	• Make progress and achieve well in English and maths. • Build on what they know to deepen their understanding. • Apply learning confidently in new contexts. • Read for pleasure, purpose and knowledge. • Celebrate achievement and strive for excellence. • Use their knowledge and skills to succeed across the curriculum.