

Our children need

To be responsible global citizens 	To be curious and connect with others 	To be confident and effective communicators 	To be ambitious for themselves 	To understand themselves and grow 
• Be respectful & kind • Care for the environment • Make responsible choices • Be supportive and inclusive	• Be keen to explore • Ask thoughtful questions • Persevere when learning is challenging • Think critically and creatively	• Communicate clearly and confidently • Listen attentively and actively • Express themselves fluently • Use language thoughtfully and respectfully	• Aim high • Embrace challenge • Learn from mistakes and setbacks • Show courage and determination	• Know their strengths and needs • Make healthy choices for mind and body • Develop self-awareness and confidence • Speak up for themselves and seek help when needed

Our curriculum drivers

Juniper Hill Curriculum	
Character and Citizenship	Prepares our children to be kind, responsible, active and respectful citizens who contribute positively to their community and have the courage to make a difference to the wider world.
Curiosity and lifelong learning	Sparks curiosity through enquiry, exploration, and meaningful connections. It encourages children to question, discover, and reflect, fostering a love of learning beyond the classroom. By building knowledge progressively, it lays the groundwork for lifelong understanding and intellectual growth, creating a community that is open to new possibilities and opportunities.
Communication and oracy	Nurtures communication and oracy by embedding purposeful talk across subjects, building cooperative learning and specific language. It builds vocabulary, listening, and expressive skills through discussion, storytelling, and collaborative learning. This foundation enables our children to articulate ideas confidently, and engage thoughtfully with others, knowing that our community is kind and supportive of others' voices.
Ambition and aspiration	Motivates our children to be creative, independent, and have the courage to seek opportunities and believe in their potential.
Wellbeing	Helps our children to understand and manage their emotions, build resilience, and develop positive relationships. Our children are kind to themselves and demonstrate self-compassion.