




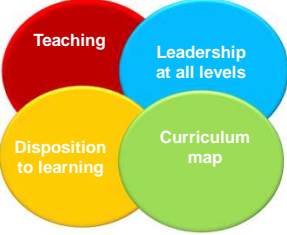
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The influences upon learner success...




- quality learning experience
- well structured and executed
- visionary and future oriented
- developing good attitudes
- leading to achievement

Vision for delivery

“...But what really matters is that this is a new approach to education, one that gives head teachers and schools far greater freedom. How they implement the national curriculum is down to them.

There will be no new statutory document telling teachers how to do their job. No national strategies telling teachers everything that they have to do. No national roll-out. This is a huge cultural shift.”

Elizabeth Truss, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (education and childcare) Speech at: <http://www.education.gov.uk/inthenews/speeches/s00222888/felcom>



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Delivering the vision: curriculum change

- National college have developed online resources to help schools plan curriculum change:

<http://www.education.gov.uk/nationalcollege/leadingcurriculumdevelopmentresource>

- how good is your current curriculum?
- what makes a great curriculum?
- how can learning be organised?

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Enjoying a mathematical adventure...

- big numbers and micro numbers
- estimation
- measuring
- four rules
- maths everywhere

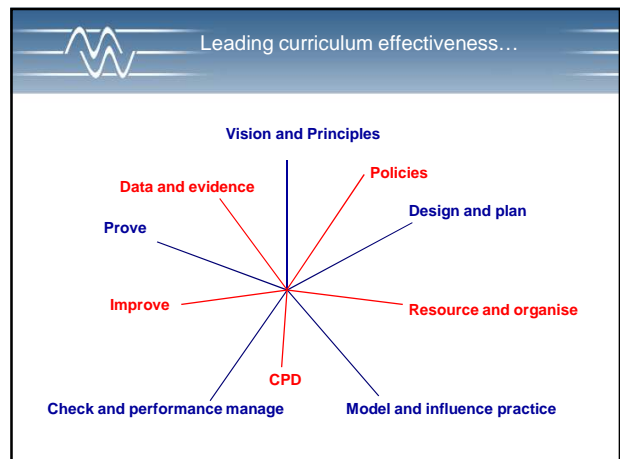
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Sorting out content...

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When the curriculum meets the pupil...

- ❑ Learning about...
- ❑ Learning through...
- ❑ Learning how to...

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What is the school curriculum..?

The School Curriculum comprises:

- elements the children need
- to nurture them as individuals
- and help them to appreciate their community,
- so they learn about their county, country, the world and the universe,
- and it includes the national curriculum

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How to			
About			
Through			
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The entire planned learning experience

- lessons, events, routines, extended hours
- beyond school
 - Clubs
 - Hobbies and pastimes
 - Local band
 - Charity work
 - Part-time job
 - Work experience

The literacy elements

Literacy in all things Discipline specific, formats, uses	The study of literature Classical, popular, genre, medium, style
Technicalities and conventions of literacy Composition, structure, scholarly writing, effect	Clerical, secretarial and performance skills Recitation, spelling, dictation, phonics, intonation, vocabulary


Lessons, form time, homework, assembly, events, visits and visitors

Organising learning children do... some considerations

- content matched to time is the simple bit
- structure learning maps (which include teaching in lessons)
- consider where testing fits
- matching time to people or space
- think through PPA and specialist provision
- balance the learning experience for children
- seeing types of work as different
- focus on special events and make learning explicit
- predict products children work upon

Sorting out content...English

How to	Spell	make a book	write up an experiment
About	Meanings of words	author techniques	recipes/instructions
Through	Speech marks	historical novel	newspapers/ ICT
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Sorting out content...art

How to	Draw / paint	sculpt	photograph
About	Colour mixing	art movements	art deco
Through	Bourgeois	protest art	newspapers/ ICT
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