



Curriculum Intent: what we are trying to achieve

At Acre Rigg Infant School, it is our intention that our curriculum:

- extends opportunity,
- raises aspiration,
- enables children to live happy, healthy and productive lives and
- inspires our children to 'be the best they can be.'

	What we want children to know	What we want children to understand	What we want children to be able to do
Knowledge and skills	Children will be taught the knowledge and skills set out in the statutory requirements of the Early Years and National Curriculum		Key skills: Communicate effectively Read and write independently Secure sound number sense Calculate efficiently Solve problems Learn independently Collaborate with others
Personal development	Their own interests and talents Their own social and cultural traditions	How to keep themselves emotionally and physically healthy How to keep themselves safe, including how to take calculated risks The importance of democracy, the rule of law, rights and responsibilities and tolerance How children's rights are recognised and realised	Be creative Be resilient Be caring Be respectful Manage their own self care Develop their own values, beliefs and spiritual awareness Appreciate the diversity and richness of other cultures Value and contribute to their own community and society as a whole in the wider world