

Oakwood Junior School

Learn to Learn Initiative 2007

At Oakwood we are committed to helping your child become a **successful learner**. As a result we will be teaching a discrete lesson on Learning about Learning from September.

The aims of the initiative are:

For your child to love learning and want themselves to develop and achieve their learning potential. We want pupils of Oakwood Junior School to leave as successful, well-rounded and confident individuals who are able to continue their lifelong journey!



REACH FOR THE STARS
IN YOUR LEARNING
JOURNEY! ★ ★

What behaviours do we believe make our children successful learners?

Last year we asked a range of children, staff, parents and governors what they thought made a successful learner.

We had lots of interesting ideas and using these ideas have come up with what we, at Oakwood Junior School, believe will help your child become a successful learner.

To ensure all our children can understand these behaviours we have attached a picture to each one so they can talk about it confidently —on the back of this leaflet is our school vision of what makes a successful learner.



UNLOCK YOUR
LEARNING
POTENTIAL!

What happens in the Classroom?

Every **Monday morning** from 9:05—9:35 your child will be looking at learning about these key skills. We will take one skill at a time and will refer back to this throughout the week.



For example—If we have looked at being Ready to Learn on a Monday and discussed getting a good nights sleep; eating a healthy breakfast and having pens and pencils ready—we will refer back to this skill around school during other lessons .

REWARDS!

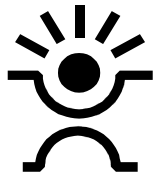
Every child has a **Learning passport**. When they are noticed by a member of staff behaving like a successful learner for example by being ready to learn, listening actively, being focussed on their learning—then they are awarded a sticker. Once they have collected enough stickers they can go forward to a learning interview (held once a term) where they can aim to collect a learning key.





Motivated

“Reach for the stars”



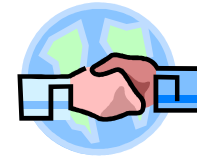
Happy

Good PMA

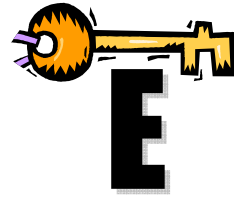


Stickability

Stuck on learning



Aware of others



Ready to learn?



Knows how they learn best



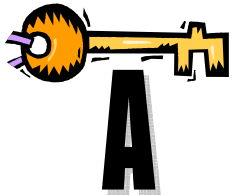
Focused on their learning



Takes a risk



Adaptable



Manages distractions



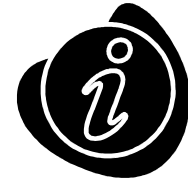
Knows what to do when stuck



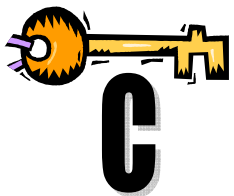
Asks questions



Team player



Can research and judge information



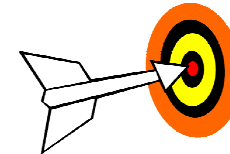
Makes the right choices



Likes a challenge!



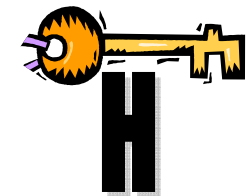
Creative



Has goals and knows how to reach them



Reflects on learning



Active listener



Is confident in themselves



Makes Mistakes



Talks about their learning



Makes links in their learning