### The rationale of our Building Blocks for Learning:

B: Instil the British and school values

R: Develop resilience and resourcefulness

Inspire critical thinking

C: Create articulate learners

K: Building upon knowledge and skills

S: Supporting well-being and health

#### Create articulate learners

At Eccleston Lane Ends oracy is key as we feel that this skill is invaluable not only for children's educational development but for their future lives. It is woven into the fabric of our school and we value it as part of our culture not just our curriculum.

We endeavour to give our pupils, a place to talk, a reason to talk and the tools with which to communicate effectively.

Linked value: CO-OPERATION

## Instil the British and school values

Our vision and subsequent values are at the heart of all that we do, we believe that the development of children's character is key to successful learning.

By embedding both British and the school values throughout our BRICKS curriculum we ensure that we develop rounded citizens who are able to live well together with dignity and respect.

We celebrate diversity and ensure that all members of our school community feel valued and respected.

Linked value: INCLUSION

### Building upon knowledge and skills

Our carefully considered approach to subject disciplines allow children to build upon the blocks from previous years. There is a systematically planned progressive sequence to the way knowledge and skills which are taught in discreet subjects.

This ensures that children are constantly revisiting and accessing prior learning and that learning is successfully retained and drawn upon in the future.

Linked value: RESPECT

# Develop resilience and perseverance

At Eccleston Lane Ends we know that pupils who develop skills of resilience and resourcefulness will be successful not only in learning but in later life. Consequently, this is not only part of our building blocks for learning but also one of our values for living.

We want all of our pupils to relish challenges, embrace their mistakes as part of the learning process, value the importance of effort, have the perseverance to complete challenging tasks, respond carefully to feedback and take inspiration from others.

#### Linked value: DETERMINATION

# Supporting well-being and health

At Eccleston Lane Ends, this aspect of our Building Blocks curriculum is central to healthy development both physically and mentally.

We are very proud of our comprehensive pastoral programme, which in addition to the obvious subject specific curriculum links (PE, Science, etc) includes both statutory and tailored content based upon the needs of our school community.

Linked value: KINDNESS

### Inspire critical thinking

We believe that children who think critically and are able to think beyond the obvious and problem solve successfully become great learners.

Critical thinking will enable children to better express their thoughts, ideas and beliefs and enable them to make good decisions and understand the consequences of their actions.

Linked Value: HONESTY





Determination

Co-operation





Honest

Kindness

Respect

