



## Curriculum Rationale

*Learning Together To Achieve Our Best*

*Kindness, Honesty and Respect*



*At West Linton Primary our learners are exposed to a Broad General Education through discrete teaching in Mathematics, Literacy, Health and Wellbeing and Modern Languages and by using Curricular Bundles to connect and transfer their learning into motivating interdisciplinary contexts.*

### *What makes us unique?*

- *Rural community with access to rich, natural environments as well as Scotland's capital city*
- *Our pupils have a wide range of achievements*
- *Our Scottish Borders Traditions - Whipman*
- *Staff enthusiasm and expertise, providing pupils with a variety of experiences*
- *School building and grounds*
- *High aspirations and standards*

### *We are all learners who use Learning Powers*

- *Concentrate*
- *Don't Give up*
- *Be curious*
- *Have a go*
- *Use your imagination*
- *Be co-operative*
- *Keep improving*
- *Enjoy Learning*

### *Our Main Drivers for the Curriculum*

- *Emotional Health & Wellbeing; Building Resilience and developing a Growth Mindset*
- *High attainment in Literacy and Numeracy*
- *Skills based learning across the curriculum*
- *Progressive, challenging and supported learning*
- *Community Involvement*
- *Outdoor Learning*
- *Pupil Leadership*
- *Digital Learning*

*At West Linton Primary our curriculum develops pupils' understanding of the 'United Nations Convention of the Rights of the Child' (UNCRC) through our Assemblies and Citizenship Gatherings; through our Class Charters and in our everyday interactions.*

*As a school community we are committed to inclusion and getting it right for every child, to high quality learning & teaching, to an open door policy and to a friendly, welcoming ethos which encourages professional love.*