

Minimum Enrichment Entitlement

Our vision for the curriculum at Thomas Buxton Primary School is that we provide a high quality education for all pupils through an innovative, creative curriculum that ensures that the teaching of all subjects is underpinned by National Curriculum expectations and the needs of the children.

Beyond the curriculum framework we want our children to; be able to explore the world, be curious and develop cultural and social capital. It is these experiences which will allow them to succeed as learners and find their place amongst peers as they grow into adulthood.

Our enrichment offer seeks to offer children opportunities to experience places and events which they may not ordinarily have access to. It is interwoven into the planned curriculum and is offered when resources and opportunities arise.

Throughout the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS 3-5 years old)

Our children will:

- Pet animals especially dogs.
- Visit local park
- Fly a kite
- Have water fight
- Build a den
- Spend money in a shop
- Use a sparkler
- Throw a snowball
- Build a snowman
- Ride on the London Underground

Throughout Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 (KS1 & KS2 5-11 years old)

Our children will:

- Experience different environments: seaside, wood, rural, urban (the city)
- Visit a wide range of London's museums
- Visit a place of worship for all the main community religions
- Hear live music
- Meet children from a different faith and no faith
- Make international links with children abroad.
- Write, and post a letter. Receive a reply.
- Visit an art gallery every year.
- Go to an event in a major sporting venue
- Try food from other cultures
- Grow and cook food
- Order and eat a meal in a restaurant
- Work with a published poet
- Work with an artist

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- Experience a wide range of work professions through visits and visitors.
- Have entrepreneurial opportunities and develop experience of personal finance and responsibility for money
- Visit a place of major historical interest.
- Go to the Tower of London and know why Tower Hamlets is so named.
- Go on a boat
- Join the library
- View London from a height
- Get muddy
- See a play at the theatre
- Go to a cinema
- Act and sing in a play

This list is not exhaustive and will adapt as parents, families and children bring their own expectations and range of experiences to our community.