

The core purpose of education at Hurst Park Primary School is to give children a wide range of experiences delivered through a creative curriculum which will enable them to develop life skills and a love of learning.

Key skills are taught discreetly and then applied in a cross curricular way to all subjects. The curriculum is arranged around half- termly themes or topics as well as special themed weeks where the whole school works on the same project.

Visual awareness is a key aspect of learning at Hurst Park it is more than just 'looking' it is also about seeing and seeing leads to understanding. We believe that developing an understanding of the design process will support embedding the 5R's in our school so that children begin to understand that critical analysis can lead to improvement and thus pupils are able to take an increasingly responsible attitude to their environment.

As part of the Elmbridge Partnership of 32 schools we are committed to working collaboratively to promote the Partnership aim of developing a cohesive and creative curriculum for the children of Elmbridge from 3-19 years. Through this partnership we aim to share outstanding creative practice in all curriculum areas and in particular design, art, music and drama.