



## Learning Opportunities at Grouville School – what do we offer?

### **Our Curriculum Vision**

At Grouville School, we believe that all pupils deserve the highest quality education, which engages, inspires and challenges so that everyone reaches their full potential both in terms of academic achievement and well-being. We strive to create a safe and happy learning environment, which promotes independence and high expectations for all. We are committed to providing opportunities which promote open mindedness, empathy and celebration of our rich and diverse island community; so that everyone is able to contribute positively to society. We are dedicated to promoting healthy lifestyle choices so that our pupils develop physically, emotionally, spiritually and morally. We are determined that our pupils will be successful and will leave us as confident, highly responsible members of our community.

### **We do this by:**

- Raising achievement through quality teaching, which enthuses, inspires and motivates; aspiring all to fulfil their potential.
- Ensuring pupil voice and emotional literacy is at the heart of all we do to enable children to become confident, resilient and reflective independent learners.
- Offering a broad and varied curriculum, which ensures all children develop high level skills in English and Maths.
- Having an open and welcoming environment where everyone feels welcome and included.

We follow the Jersey Curriculum at Grouville. This is very similar to the England's 2014 Curriculum and has been adapted to reflect our island's cultural and geographical context. More information can be found in our Parents Handbook - <https://www.grouville.sch.je/school-handbooks.html> and on the Curriculum pages on our school website -which has links to all subjects - <https://www.grouville.sch.je/curriculum.html> Our individual Subject Policies can also be found on our Policy Page - <https://www.grouville.sch.je/policies.html>

We aim to keep parents well informed about what the children are learning by sharing a Curriculum Overview at the start of each term. These are emailed to parents and uploaded to class website pages. In addition, each class also sends out a weekly update via email outlining the learning for the week ahead, any support required, homework etc.



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Occasionally we upload photos of the children's learning on to our Photo page - <https://www.grouville.sch.je/photos.html> and to our Class pages to demonstrate the range of learning undertaken at Grouville. We endeavour to make learning as exciting as we can, enriched by using our school grounds, offsite visits and by inviting visitors into school.



Our Successful Learning Ingredients page also evidences the wide range of learning opportunities we provide to our children - <https://www.grouville.sch.je/successful-learning-ingredients.html>



Throughout the school year we aim to offer a wide range of experiences for our children, although in the past couple of years this has been more limited, due to the Pandemic, we have tried to ensure a real breadth of opportunities for the children such as SpeakDog StaySafe, Supersmiles, Well-Being Wednesdays, Pupil Voice time, River of Well-Being, Pupil groups such as School Council, Eco Club, Digital Leaders etc., residential trips, visits and outings, Keeping Safe, ArtHouse Jersey, art workshops, a visiting author etc. Our extra-curricular club offer has been limited as we have been unable to mix 'bubbles' but we have offered football, netball, cross country, cricket, hockey, Forest School, Art Club, Drama Club, Gardening Club, Music Club, Yoga Club. Parents are always welcome to help us with clubs – so if you have a passion or an interest you would like to share with us please get in touch!

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