

Frome Vale Academy Whole School Summary and Provision Map 20202021

An Overview of our Provision at Frome Vale Academy

Our Universal Offer (Wave 1 Quality First Teaching)

We work tirelessly to ensure that all of our children access a high-quality education. Our curriculum has been designed around clear progression of skills which support our aims for our children to develop a sense of self and sense of place which lead to self- agency.

INTENT

Learning is the purpose of the whole school and is a shared commitment. At Frome Vale Academy, we recognise that education involves children, parents, staff, councillors, the community and the local partnerships, and that for optimum benefit all should work closely together to support the process of learning. Working in partnership, we aim to:

Develop citizens of the world by providing opportunities to embrace diversity, develop positive values, teach life skills and love learning, to enable personal achievement.

We do this by:

- Developing a clear understanding of pupil's place in a multicultural and diverse world, respecting differences and similarities.
- developing environmentally conscious citizens.
- developing an understanding of personal well-being, healthy living, personal safety and safe relationships.
- developing critical thinkers, who are able to articulate their ideas in a confident manner.
- developing a sense of responsibility.
- Developing curriculum specific skills to enable children to understand what it means to be a mathematician, writer, geographer etc.

Our vision and aims ensure that every child receives a well-rounded education during their time with us. Our whole school offer is centred on the importance of talk, language, high quality texts and a breadth and mastery of key skills. Our core values are to ensure that everything we do encourages children to be the very best versions of themselves on a daily basis. We work hard to ensure that our happy, welcoming and inclusive environment is a place where children are calm, resilient and enjoy their learning. We make conscious decisions about how to make our pupils safe through quality relationships, routines and systems in school. We do whatever it takes to ensure that all of our pupils thrive in school and tailor our approaches to ensure that the reasonable adjustments we make for personalised provision leads to better outcomes for our young people.

IMPLEMENTATION

We have designed and implemented a well understood, clear and effective teaching approach Through carefully planned teaching sequences in reading, writing, maths especially, we have created a consistent and effective approach to teaching, learning and assessment within and across school.

The entire teaching community prioritises the key skills within the age-related expectations and, through our **Reviewing**, **Focus**, **Questioning**, **Reflection** cycle within every lesson, teachers create learning experiences which lead to the mastery of key skills through engaging real life and exciting contexts.

We invest heavily in purposeful talk as if they can' say it, then they can't read or write it. This is particularly successful for our above average number of EAL students in school. We have clear expectations for discussion guidelines and vocabulary.

Everything we do in school encourages the development of key skills for life, through Frome Citizen. This includes pupil voice groups, explicit teaching of values and learning behaviours, and working with other organisations to develop our pupils as citizens.

IMPACT

Our curriculum, culture and character in school is leading to improving outcomes for all our pupils. We are proud of the whole school transformation we have seen over the last few years, including year 6 outcomes being above national! We are also pleased with the impact all of our new systems are having with the overall effectiveness of our school offer and outcomes of our children. We use of best endeavours to use the school's resources as effectively as possible to have the most impact within school. We also use the additional funding coming into school, albeit to disproportionate to the current level of need, to ensure that all of our children's needs are being met.

TARGETED support (Wave 2)

For children who are working slightly below age-related expectations, and require some additional support and targeted intervention, we have clear systems to support them in order to make accelerated progress. We run same day interventions that are designed to ensure that pupils 'catch up and keep up,' as well as pastoral check ins, group sessions and personalised provision for more specific needs. We adopt the same assess, plan, do, review cycle for these pupils that will advance children's progress and help them achieve in line with their peers.

SPECIALIST SEN SUPPORT (Wave 3)

This specialist support is for those children who have special educational needs and require personalised provision. This is carefully designed, implemented and reviewed using our best endeavours to meet the child's needs. This SEN support follows a clear assess, plan, do, review (APDR) cycle and follows the guidelines of the Code of Practice using a graduated response and approach. We aim to work very closely with other professionals and outside agencies in order to ensure that each child is happy, well supported and making good progress towards agreed targets. Our aim is to always work with the child at the heart of everything we do, alongside a close partnership with parents.

Educational Health Care Plans (EHCPs - wave 4)

An **education**, **health** and **care** (EHC) **plan** is for children and young people aged up to 25 who need more support than is available through special educational needs support. EHC **plans** identify educational, **health** and social needs and set out the additional support to meet those needs.

Provision for environments – 2020-21

Universal Offer	Targeted support	Specialist support
Safe and well organised	Break out spaces for	Workstations for children
classrooms (uncluttered,	children who need more	with autism or individual
well-spaced and angled	time and space to regulate	needs to reflect special
towards the boards)	Calm (safe space) areas	interests
Calm and purposeful	with individual prompts for	Happy and Sad faces
environments for children to	pupils who need more	pockets for all ASD children
thrive in (soft colours and	support to regulate	after each lesson to
fascinations)		communicate feelings (used
Visual resources easily		as at talking mat after each
accessible e.g. Live		lesson)
Learning washing lines,		Now and Next boards used
word mats, common		to support sequencing,
exception words for every		reduce anxiety and visible
class, resources to support		at all times
progress within specific		Visual feedback prompts
lessons and over time		used to show the child has
Dyslexia friendly resources		understood – personalised
used for all pupils (e.g.		sign
coloured backgrounds)		Outdoor learning and
Resources are readily		spaces are used to support
available and differentiated		children with SEMH
according to need		particularly, including
WORD walls are used to		individual gardens, den
support vocabulary		building and risk taking in
development		play
Visual Timetables with		ļ,
PECs visuals to support		
familiar routines		
Modelling handwriting to		
showcase expectations		
consistently		
Emotional regulation		
prompts in each classroom		
to support independence		
Outdoor learning and		
natural resources are used		
when appropriate to support		
the use of soft fascinations.		
Forest Schools		
Pictures used for labelling –		
especially in KS1		
S&L rules displayed and		
taught well		
A range of multi-sensory		
resources are used within		
and across lessons		
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Provision for Cognition & Learning 2020 2021

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Universal Offer	Targeted support	support Specialist support		
High expectations for all of	Pre-teaching sessions to	Personalised provision		
our pupils	support children access	targets on tables and work		
Clear learning outcomes	ARE lessons	from APDR		
using key skills	Same Day Interventions in	Personalised provision		
Clear steps within lesson to	order to ensure that pupils	targeted work		
scaffold and support	'catch up and keep up.':	SALT		
Effective modelling through		Pixl therapies		
I do, we do, you do		Colourful semantics		

approach to ensure that Phonics groups children feel ready to work Paired reading independently and apply Booster Maths Groups key skills Booster Literacy Groups Carefully designed teaching sequences to support Handwriting support and mastery guidance Pre-teaching of 1:1 BRP sessions key concepts and language to support progress Differentiation to support children's access to key skill development Use of a range of resources support (concrete objects, images, sequencing, Kinasethic etc.)

Provision for social and emotional needs 2020 2021

Universal Offer	Targeted support	Specialist support
A culture and climate based on positivity, love and nurture Praise is specific and named Pupil jobs to raise self-confidence and responsibility A staff team who see each child as unique and find their hidden talents Calm areas in each class to support self-regulation Visual timetable to support familiar routines Secure, trusting relationships between all adults and children Weekly talk time to support collaboration PSHE curriculum built around core values to support explicit teaching RSE policy and programme to support key skills for being ready and fit for their future Regular opportunities to support peer-to-peer coaching and mentoring Emotional zone of regulation boards in each class to support positive	Reasonable adjustments to the behaviour policy for children who communicate gaps in their development Choosing time at the start of the day for pupils who struggle to come into school Check ins from the Pastoral Team to support and scaffold regulation Focused sessions with pastoral team for friendships, collaboration skills and understanding emotions Individual reward chart	Educational psychologist input and recommendations Social worker input Personalised provision work from APDR Thrive provision from Nest Mentoring Social stories Play therapist

intrinsic rewards and acknowledgement of talents Clear whole school promises to support clear expectations Clear sanctions to support choice and consequences Restorative approach to reparations 12 whole school values which support raising children's self-esteem, regulation and independence Clear rewards systems Specialist sports coaching weekly to support active body and mind Healthy snack policy and lunch policy	
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Provision for communication and interaction

Universal Offer	Targeted support	Specialist support
A rich language culture and climate across school	Small group work sessions to develop interaction skills	Talk partner well-chosen and briefed well
Lessons built around talk and oral rehearsal	Small group speaking and listening sessions	Task sheets/whiteboards to break down the information within instructions. This is to
Minimal black on white paper – blue or coloured paper used	Social skills groups	support independence.
Peer assessment	Transition support	SALT 1:1 and small group sessions-
Weekly Frome Vale sessions to build confidence		NHS speech therapy
Reading aloud time (intonation and expression)		Personalised provision targeted work from APDR
Drama and role play planned into teaching sequences		
Collaborative learning experiences through science, PE and across the curriculum with an explicit focus on collaboration		
Clear discussion guidelines		

Provision for sensory and physical needs

Universal Offer	Targeted support	Specialist support
Universal Offer Real life sensory experiences built into planning and the curriculum Limited amount of shiny laminates in school Pupil copies size and font appropriate Sloping desks provided Handwriting lines to support effective transcription Pen/pencil grips available		Personalised provision from APDR Occupational Therapist Moving and Handling support Team Sensory circuits Specialised medical care, intimate care and swimming expert
Tasks steps and sequences clear		