



Intent

To develop a curriculum which:

Enables our pupils acquire the necessary knowledge, skills and understanding to become lifelong learners and linguists. We strive to ensure that all our pupils receive a well-rounded learning experience when reading, writing, speaking and listening, which will equip them with the fundamental tools to achieve whilst at Ridgeway Primary School and beyond. English is a core subject of the National Curriculum and a prerequisite for educational and social progress as it underpins the work undertaken in all areas of the curriculum. The acquisition of language skills is of the utmost importance to us here at Ridgeway Primary School and therefore the teaching of all aspects of English is given a high priority within school. Confidence in basic language skills enables children to communicate creatively and imaginatively, preparing them for their future journey through education and beyond.

Our intentions:

- Our aim is to ensure that every child becomes a reader, a writer and confident speaker by the time they leave Ridgeway Primary School.
- To promote and instill a love for reading, writing and high-quality literature for pupils of all ages.
- To deliver an English curriculum which is carefully sequenced to develop the acquisition of knowledge and skills.