



These are the things that every child who attends Brook Primary School should experience (or have the opportunity to experience) during their time here. Things in specific years must be covered in those years but may also be done in others.

Basic Life Skills

- To use numbers, time, measure and shape
- To develop an understanding of money and know its value
- To have a basic financial awareness including profit, loss, budget and fair trade
- To solve problems
- To develop their thinking skills
- To learn to read and write
- To read a range of materials
- To have stories read to them
- To take part in spontaneous learning e.g. snow, jumping in puddles
- To plan, review, assess and improve work
- To use a computer regularly
- To use the internet safely
- To work independently
- To take responsibility, particularly in older year groups
- To represent the school
- To sing in a choir
- To have some knowledge of gardening and growing
- To appreciate and experience the natural world
- To know what is in a healthy diet
- To be able to plan and prepare a healthy meal
- To learn cooking skills
- To learn some sewing skills

Interaction

- To develop good communication and listening skills
- To speak publicly and develop debating skills
- To take part in a performance or play including class assemblies
- To interact socially
- To learn with a parent or carer
- To organise an event in the school garden
- To work with younger or older children
- To work as part of a team

Social, Emotional and Physical Wellbeing

- To have opportunities to show their talents
- To appreciate the talents of others
- To learn to show respect for others including it's ok to be different and celebrate individuality
- To learn about how to be a rights respecting school
- To recognise and understand the cultural differences of others
- To have contact with the local community and understand their place within it
- To develop an awareness and appreciate their local area
- To understand and experience what is needed for good personal hygiene
- To develop an understanding of a healthy lifestyle
- To learn a new sport

Trips Available to Everyone During Their Time At Brook

- Go on a cultural visit and have a meal out (e.g. London, Paris, York)
- Visit a theatre / cinema
- Visit different places of worship (see year groups)
- An OAA (Outdoor, Adventurous Activity)



Reception

- Have a first-hand experience with an animal
- Run around in the rain
- Learn to get dressed and undressed by myself
- Go on a visit without my parents
- Take a leaf/tree rubbing
- Make a mud pie
- Plant a seed and watch it grow

Year 1

- Go on a mini beast hunt
- Visit a Hindu temple
- Work on personal hygiene
- Form links with older children
- Create wild art - using natural materials
- Make animal tracks using natural objects
- Make a daisy chain
- Build a den

Year 2

- Take part in road safety activities
- Learn about having a healthy life style
- Visit a church
- Form links with older children
- Visit a cinema or theatre
- Make a grass trumpet
- Pick blackberries in the wild
- Eat an apple straight from a tree
- Visit a supermarket



Year 3

- Learn to swim
- Take part in cycling proficiency training
- Have a pen friend
- Visit a buddhist centre
- Play the recorder
- Cook on a campfire
- Make a trail with Sticks
- Visit a farm
- Go bird watching

Year 4

- Learn to play an instrument
- Go pond dipping
- Learn basic first aid
- Learn to e-mail
- Visit a gurdwara
- Visit an athletics track
- Find your way with a map and compass
- Take part in "Amblecote in Bloom" with the Crystal Gateway
- Hold a scary beast

Year 5

- Ride on a steam train
- Take part in an intra-school competition
- Take part in cycling proficiency training
- Learn about careers
- Take part in a secondary school taster session
- Visit a mosque
- Walk along a canal
- Visit a museum or art gallery
- Watch a butterfly change from a caterpillar.

Year 6

- Liaison with secondary schools
- Have an outdoor adventurous residential experience
- Consider possible careers
- Sail or row a boat/canoe
- Climb a hill/mountain
- Try DIY/woodwork
- Visit a synagogue
- Learn first aid
- Try rock climbing/abseiling