



Easthampstead Park Community School

School Development Priorities

2021-22

1. Continue to improve attainment outcomes in Maths, English and Science.
2. Ensure systems, practices and school culture align to deliver a curriculum that provides for all students and that steps are taken to identify and catch up with struggling readers and those with number sense below their chronological ages.
3. Monitor the impact of the planned curriculum from Years 7 -13 ensuring it is supporting the progress of all students by being ambitious in its conception and providing a broad and balanced experience matched to student's needs and aspirations.
4. Develop teacher's expertise so that all staff can support all levels of reading more effectively regardless of subject and can confidently plan opportunities for writing and oracy work that secure progress.
5. Provide relevant and timely training for staff so they can confidently deliver topics and lead discussions within the RSE/PHSE curriculum 7-13.
6. Develop a culture of character within the school enabling students to recognise and develop values and characteristics needed to be successful within British society.
7. Ensure the ECT (Early Career Teacher) programme prepares new teachers to be successful and supports them to develop a full understanding of the EP Way as an agreed method of pedagogical delivery.
8. Within a trend of improving attendance, monitor students who are deemed vulnerable or who have a pattern of broken attendance. Liaise with external agencies to explore factors that may affect their capacity and willingness to attend regularly.

9. Ensure students are supported at every transition point within school making sure they have been given the appropriate support advice and guidance to make appropriate choices for their next steps 6-7, 9-10, 11-12, 13 plus.

10. Develop the school culture and arts offer in preparation for submission to attain Arts Mark Gold status.