





Wren's Nest KS2 SEND Provision

Pumas

To be read alongside all other school policies.

Pumas is a small group provision for children in Key Stage 2 with cognition and learning needs. Children within Pumas may have a moderate and/or specific learning difficulty which requires a tailored curriculum to meet their individual needs. Children may also have further needs including Speech and language difficulties, social and emotional and mental health needs and/or physical disabilities.

The provision is led by an experienced Teacher and supported by a full time Teaching Assistant. The Pumas provision supports some of our most vulnerable children in having their needs met on a small group basis.

Pumas supports up to 15 Key Stage 2 children who have a range of needs. Children attend Pumas daily, from 8:40am to 3:20pm. Children from Pumas integrate with their peers during lunchtime to allow them to continue to develop their social skills within their peer group. The wider curriculum lessons are taught in an afternoon at an appropriate level. Pumas has a bespoke curriculum which is tailored to meet the needs of the children. Alongside this, children access their mainstream classroom for their strength lesson.

The children within Pumas make good personal progress with their literacy and numeracy skills as well as within the wider curriculum areas. In turn this will develop their ability to work collaboratively, socialise and communicate appropriately developing resilience, self-esteem and independence throughout their learning opportunities.

This key principle is at the heart of the provision we offer at Wren's Nest within Pumas is allowing <u>all</u> children to be successful, whatever their barriers are to learning.

