



Cultural Capital



Cultural Capital at Wilson Stuart School

Our aim is to give children the knowledge and skills to prepare them for what comes next in their lives. Cultural Capital is the essential knowledge that children need to prepare them for their future success – we aim to give students every opportunity to participate in a wide range of learning experiences, all the time, within and beyond their classroom.

How Cultural Capital is delivered at Wilson Stuart School:

English

- Participate in World Book Day with whole school events, such as staff being in role as famous literary character, using texts from the English literary heritage and staff performing well-known texts.
- Commonwealth festival - Literature of the Commonwealth.
- Theatre performances in school.
- Using texts from the English literary heritage in the English and Communication curriculum.
- Open Theatre nonverbal drama sessions.
- Teaching children to read.
- Developing reading skills.
- Promoting and modelling Love of Reading during English or Communication lessons and during wellbeing time.
- Promoting oracy and communication through the curriculum.
- Using role play to prepare our students for adulthood.
- A total communication environment.
- Communication systems in place for all.
- Library visits in 6th form.
- Development of school library.
- Life skills challenges: World news and social signs in the environment.
- Encouraging the use of world literature.