

The HEARTS Promise

HEARTS Academy Trust



The schools in the HEARTS Trust are committed to making the first seven years of our children's education inspiring and memorable, equipping them for their future. **The HEARTS Promise** is an important part of that commitment.

Staff from across the HEARTS Trust come together regularly to establish a shared curriculum which aims to remove the barriers to learning for all pupils. The HEARTS Trust places high importance on academic progress and attainment and our shared curriculum is designed to provide rich opportunities for learning and exploration of our HEARTS values. However, a full primary education is made up of a variety of life enhancing experiences. With this in mind, we have developed a programme of activities in which every pupil will have the chance to participate, **"The HEARTS Promise."** Often, these experiences will be linked to the curriculum topic or the time of year, but on occasions, they are simply life experiences which can be rich and fulfilling. Within each key stage, the programme includes simple, free activities such as kite flying, pancake tossing, den building and vegetable growing. This will be further supplemented with visitors and trips to theatres, theme parks and places of cultural interest. A photographic record will be kept and presented to each child when they leave their school and the HEARTS' family of schools.

Pre-school and Nursery	Hearts Promise Off-site visit	Hearts Promise On-site activities	
	Play in a park Roll down a hill	Build a den Collect wild flowers and make a potion or perfume Go bug hunting and identify bugs Plant and grow vegetables then eat them Leaf rubbing and tree rubbings	Create Art rocks and place them in the environment Dance/ play in the rain Melt frozen ice in winter Walk through Autumn leaves and kick or throw leaves Make mud pies
Reception	Hearts Promise Off-site visit	Hearts Promise On-site activities	

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Covered in curriculum						
	Explore the Park in different seasons. Collect conkers, climb a tree, balance on a log. Offsite visit – farm or seaside Take a bus/train ride Post and receive a letter	Create natural outdoor art Play a team sport/ compete against others Collect and play conkers Create a piece of nature art using only natural materials Go for a walk on a windy day. Take a scarf or a kite and see how they fly Look for worms and see how they wiggle			Care for an animal/pet Bake a cake/prepare a meal Go out in the rain and jump in puddles Chase your shadow on a sunny day Have a water fight Handle money	
KS1 Covered in curriculum	Autumn Curriculum Trips	Spring Curriculum Trips	Summer Curriculum Trips	Hearts Promise Off-site visit	Hearts Promise On-site activities	
Cycle A		Church/Cathedral	Forest	Theatre visit/pantomime	School Art Gallery Whole school Art Day Sing in a choir	Learn a language Listen to live music in school Dance performance in school
Cycle B	Science Dome	Zoo Synagogue	Castle	Music visit e.g. festival	Visit from inspirational person Community link with OAP Snow/water fun Easter egg hunt Write and post a letter Enjoy a special time to be still Look after an animal for a short period	Year 2 Sleepover/camping/ late night activity on site Geography Day exploring different countries and cultures Grow plants Careers Day Multicultural activities Enterprise project
Year 3-4 Curriculum Trips	Autumn Curriculum Trips	Spring Curriculum Trips	Summer Curriculum Trips	Hearts Promise Off-site visit	Hearts Promise On-site during KS2	

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Cycle A	Place of worship	Stately Home Tudor / Stuarts		Theme Park	Outdoor cinema Kite flying	Learn basic first aid Community link
Cycle B	Park	Museum (Romans)		West End Musical	Den building Grow food and eat it Assault course Learn a language Learn an instrument Listen to live music Watch Secondary School performance Pancake tossing Sing in a choir Snow/water fun	Pen pal Library visit Enterprise project Careers Day
Year 5-6 Curriculum Trips	Autumn Curriculum Trips	Spring Curriculum Trips	Summer Curriculum Trips	Hearts Promise Off-site visit		Run a school restaurant Visit from university students Visit from inspirational person Whole school Art Day
Cycle A	London landmarks Mosque			Yr 5 abroad including Art Gallery Yr 6 residential / outdoor pursuits		
Cycle B		Beach		Yr 5 abroad including Art Gallery Yr 6 residential / outdoor pursuits		