

Winter Gardens Academy Curriculum Overview

At our school, and in all of the Trust schools, the four core values run as a thread throughout our curriculum:

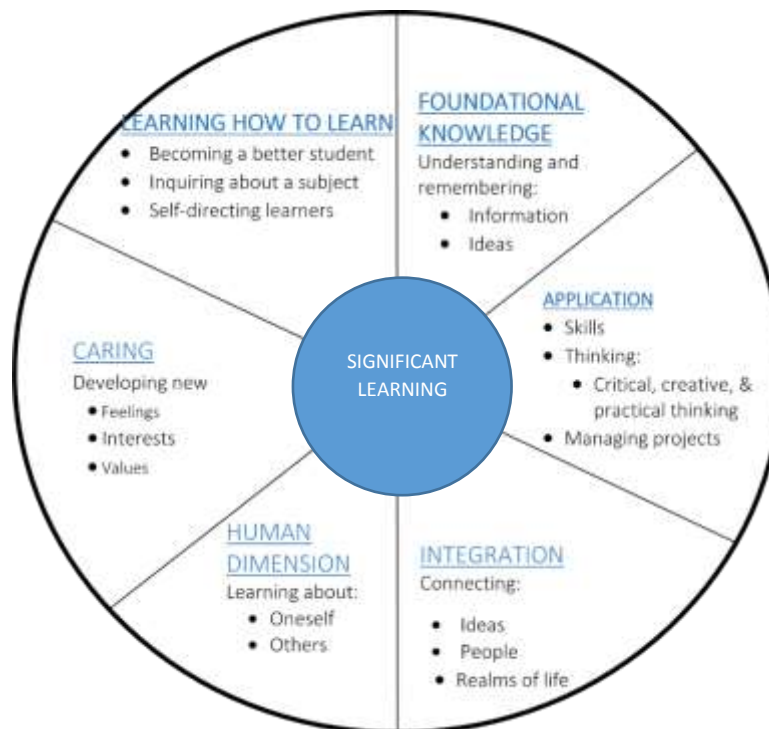
COLLABORATION 'work together'

PERSEVERANCE 'never give up'

INNOVATION 'give it a go'

CHALLENGE 'keep learning'

At Winter Gardens Academy our curriculum follows Dee Fink's '**Significant Learning Model**'. This model leads us to analyse the contextual or 'situational' factors of our children and community and then formulate learning outcomes based on these. The school takes a child-centered approach by ensuring that 'significant' learning experiences are taking place in all the following taxonomies:



The Foundational Knowledge follows the National Curriculum. Each half term learning is based around a Significant Learning theme, combining areas of each taxonomy and has a subject focus (Science/Geography/History/Music/Art/DT).

The Significant Learning Model is based on 'active learning' which comprises of the following three components:

