

What does being a Heritage School mean?

Developed in response to the government report on cultural education in England, the Heritage Schools programme aims to help school children develop an understanding of their local heritage and its significance.



At Leyburn Community Primary School, the aim of the Heritage Schools programme is to make sure that:

- Children develop a sense of pride in where they live
- Children understand their local heritage and how it relates to the national story
- Local historic context is embedded in the school's curriculum
- Parents are engaged in their children's learning
- Communities are more deeply involved in the life of the school –

Questions that we will look at as part of the programme:

- What is special about our town?
- How does our local area compare with other areas?
- What part does our area have to play in Britain's history?
- How can we maximise the potential of our surroundings?
- What do parents know about the local area?
- How can we involve the local community?

Here are some images our latest heritage project: Our A-Z of Leyburn

