**Intent for curriculum:**

We are a community of hardworking families who are able to take their children to visit places around the world and appreciate what the world can offer. Therefore our curriculum’s starting point is for our children to appreciate how special Middlesbrough is and how talented Middlesbrough people are past and present. We are bringing a sense of belonging to each of our children that is realistic in its starting points with Acklam and Middlesbrough at the heart of their learning. We want our children to be proud of where they come from by focussing on Middlesbrough as a cultural capital before then moving towards wider global issues as we journey to be positive global citizens.

We have developed our homework policy so that it reflects the growing needs of our families so that it brings our families together by exploring our curriculum further and carrying on the learning that is taking place in school. It also helps our parents understand our curriculum offer and further raise achievement for all of our learners including our most vulnerable and SEND children.