

Litchard Primary School Development Plan Summary 2025-26

Target	Narrative on what we are looking to achieve
<p style="text-align: center;">Priority 1: Broadening Digital Skills</p>	<p>At Litchard Primary, we want every child to be confident and creative in using technology. This year, teachers are building digital skills like coding, problem-solving, communication, and online safety into everyday lessons. Staff are also receiving training so they can give children the very best opportunities to learn with technology. By the end of the year, we expect pupils to be confident in using digital tools for real-world purposes such as research, presentations, and creative projects, helping to prepare them for the future.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Priority 2: Refining Challenge and Independence in Learning</p>	<p>We want all pupils to be challenged at the right level so that they make the best possible progress. Teachers are focusing on making sure lessons are adapted for different needs, so every child is supported and stretched, whether they need extra help or more advanced work. We are also encouraging pupils to take more responsibility for their own learning, for example by setting goals, reflecting on feedback, and solving problems independently. By the summer, we expect pupils to show more confidence, resilience, and independence in their learning.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Priority 3: Strengthening Leadership</p>	<p>Strong leadership makes a big difference to school improvement. This year, we are supporting staff who lead different curriculum areas to develop their confidence and skills in guiding others. We are also giving our pupil leadership groups - such as the School Council, Digital Leaders, and Eco Council – a bigger role in decision-making. By the end of the year, staff leaders will be able to show how their work has improved teaching and learning, while pupils will have had real influence in shaping the life of the school.</p>