

MEON INFANT SCHOOL

PRINCIPLES OF ASSESSMENT

At Meon Infant School we use the following Principles of Assessment:

- To be accountable for, and to meet legal requirements of assessment, recording and reporting.
- To be a basis on which informed judgements are to be made
- To accurately record a child's progress
- To ensure that children are aware of their achievements and misconceptions
- To communicate and celebrate a child's successes and achievement
- To enable continuity and progress
- To build upon a child's prior knowledge, skills and understanding in order to promote progress through the curriculum
- To identify the next steps in a child's learning
- To accurately inform parents and carers of their child's achievement and progress
- To enable parents to support their child's learning
- To provide evidence for additional support and challenge
- To produce recordable measures which demonstrate comparison against expected standards and reflect progress over time
- To moderate within and externally to the school, to ensure that judgements are accurate, standardised, valid and are unbiased

