



West Dorset Schools Collaboration

West Dorset Schools Collaboration is a group of schools working closely together to share their experience and expertise, support each other and improve children's learning opportunities in our local community. Our purpose is to enable every young person to access excellent opportunities to learn, which we believe can be better achieved by working together.

We believe:

- in the power of local schools collaborating for the benefit of West Dorset children
- in the power of learning
- that every young person has a talent that can be nurtured
- that good relationships are built upon respect for themselves and each other
- in equal opportunities for all regardless of ability, race, background or religion

Improving opportunities for all through:

- Access to shared, high quality training for teachers and governors
- A focus on improving Maths outcomes for all pupils
- Moderation meetings to ensure accuracy of teacher judgements
- Regular Head teacher meetings to support, challenge and share good practice
- Shared enrichment opportunities
- The observing and sharing of good practice across collaboration schools by staff and governors

