

Beethoven is a class within the Structured learning approach. We are made up of 10 pupils, a Class Teacher, a Senior Teaching Assistant and 2 Teaching Assistants. There are 7 boys and 3 girls in Beethoven class whose ages range from 6 to 8 years.

We follow the TEACCH approach, which involves 1:1 teaching, group work, independent workstations, leisure and outdoor learning. This enables our pupils to learn in a number of different ways, such as visual, physical, kinaesthetic and auditory. We help our pupils to become more independent and to support their emotional regulation by incorporating the Zones of Regulation in our daily routines. Pupils also undertake enrichment activities, such as going to soft-play, the trim trail, class cooking, art, as well as visiting the sensory garden and the field for physical activities. Each term, the learning approach focus on a topic and we complete a variety of activities based around this.

We look forward to the year ahead in Beethoven class and to supporting pupils with their emerging independence. We believe in a solid home/school relationship and work to establish outstanding bonds with our families. We are excited to see our pupils evolve emotionally, develop a greater understanding of the world around them and above all, watching them flourish.

