

**Essential knowledge that pupils need to be educated citizens:**

- Progressive, cohesive and ambitious curriculum design that builds on children's skills and prior knowledge.
- Oracy is to be embedded throughout the entire curriculum as an expectation for lesson.
- Students are invited to share their thinking on a range of topics.

**Introducing them to the best that has been thought and said:**

- Sentence stems provide students with the opportunities to express their own thoughts and feelings.
- Oracy invites students to change their minds based on evidence and argument.
- Regular use of famous quotations across the curriculum.

**Cultural Capital at St  
Stephen Churchtown  
Academy**

**Oracy**

**Community**

Oracy gives pupils the opportunity to express their feelings regarding the local community. Further to this, oracy embeds interpersonal skills to support interactions within the community.

**Helping to engender an appreciation of human creativity and achievement**

- Class displays celebrate high level oracy.
- Oracy skills within assembly to celebrate public speaking and listening skills.
- Picture News used across the curriculum which involves regular links to oracy.
- School newsletter that recognises oracy experiences of our pupils.

**Careers**

Across the curriculum, lessons link to careers. The use of sentence stems will further support this.

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