

In the English Department at Seaton Sluice Middle School our aim is to help children to develop as confident, enthusiastic and effective learners. We recognise that being competent readers, writers and communicators are key life skills.

English is a core subject and arguably the most important of all curriculum subjects. Our teaching is based on the aims and objectives of the National curriculum for Key Stages 2 and 3 and the focus is on three main aspects: Reading, Writing and Speaking and Listening. We strive to inspire pupils with a passion for literature and poetry as well as equipping them with the language and communication skills they need in later life. These skills are taught and developed as the children progress through the school.

We understand that each pupil is an individual, and has a preferred learning style. We therefore offer access to a range of learning experiences appealing to visual, auditory and kinesthetic learners; including the use of drama, ICT, individual, paired work, and group activities.