

## What Helps Us Learn?

- A quiet, purposeful learning environment
- When there is peace and quiet
- A partner to think, pair and share with before a question is answered
- Thinking time in my head – I like to think through my ideas
- Learning from mistakes –it helps our brains grow
- Marking my own work so I can see straight away where I have gone wrong
- Repeat repeat repeat!
- Having time to rehearse my answers with my partner
- Coming to the front of the class and reciting information. This helps me remember things and helps others listening remember too.
- Knowledge assessment quizzes help me see if there are any gaps in my knowledge. I like that the questions are repeated so I know the answer really well eventually.
- A challenge helps me learn
- Structured steps to follow in a lesson
- After school boosting clubs
- Revising knowledge from previous lessons helps me to get things in my long term memory
- Having 1 to 1 time with an adult
- Knowledge books help me to revise at home
- Teachers don't give up on us – they relentlessly keep trying and find other ways to help us understand
- Teachers have consistent expectations
- The behaviour of everyone in class is excellent. Students respect the teachers and teachers show mutual respect to the students
- Hands down in lessons makes sure everyone is thinking and no one opts out
- Teachers want the best for us; they are passionate about our progress
- Feedback from teachers in lessons helps me to see where I can improve straight away
- A focus on vocabulary helps me make links in my work and I can revise at home using my vocabulary book

