

# How is Big Bright Ideas aligned to the LOMLOE?

# **LEARNING SITUATIONS**

Big Bright Ideas puts students at the centre of their own education. The process begins with a real-world problem or challenge where the teacher acts as a facilitator, guiding the students to identify their own questions, and then seek information, working together to find solutions. The Big Project every term is carefully staged so that students collaborate together to define what they need to know, carry out research, plan and present depending on their individual strengths.

The **Community Task** in every unit is a further opportunity to extend lessons with authentic aims for the wider community.





# EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

Big Bright Ideas raises students' awareness of being part of a global community by helping them to develop an awareness of the people around them and in the wider world, and gain an insight into their culture.

Cross-curricular lessons and projects present information about the environment and encourage a responsible attitude.



### **COMPETENCE-BASED LEARNING**

- The materials in *Big Bright Ideas* offer many opportunities to **develop key competences**. These are clearly highlighted and explained throughout the teaching notes. In addition, activities which specifically encompass the development of a positive attitude towards learning both in **and outside the classroom**, and the study skills to help learners do this, are signposted as *Learn to learn* in the core course components.
- The **three termly projects** in the course provide an opportunity for **assessment of all the Key Competences.** Assessment grids are available for this purpose with the rest of the assessment material on Oxford Premium.







# **CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT**

- Full assessment package with unit and termly exams plus the Active Learning Kit with iProgress Check and Learning Record, which encourage students to learn independently.
- The Big Question Review at the end of every unit takes a unique approach to review through an interactive video with prompt to produce the 2 core structures from the unit.
- **Self-evaluation sections** and the end of every unit ensure students are aware of their progress.

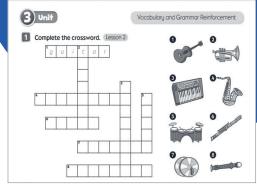


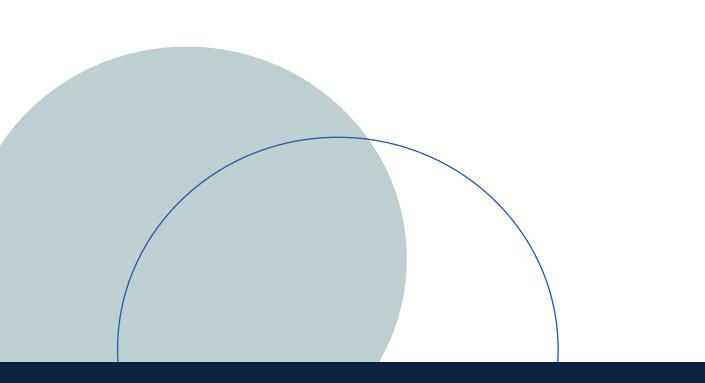
### **INCLUSION AND MIXED ABILITY CLASSES**

- The key philosophy of *Big Bright Ideas* is that students should have the freedom to offer ideas, share opinions and express themselves without judgement.
- Co-operation is encouraged through activities which build teamwork and class unity. The Big Projects, provide opportunities for students to choose different roles which reflect their strengths and abilities, as well as their interests. The variety of games and interactive activities on the iPack with its wealth of visual support is a practical tool for managing mixed ability.
- Top tips for an inclusive classroom in the Teacher's Guide.
- · Fast Finisher's activities.
- Grammar and Vocabulary reinforcement worksheets.
- Active Learning Kit with support material in a gamified format, which allows students to take control of their own learning, with support and self-assessment tools, as well as entertainment, games and readings.

**Empathy and confidence** are developed through collaboration, as learners access materials that are **appropriate for their age** and ability level.





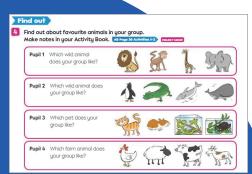




# **DIGITAL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

- Blended solution with access to the digital version of the books to start familiarising pupils with digital formats, following global digitisation trends.
- Active Learning Kit with different areas to develop different aspects of digital competence, with a gamified format to encourage students' involvement.









# **MEDIATION**

- Many communicative activities within the units involving the reinterpretation and communication of a message by the learners.
- The Big Project and the Community Task provide further mediation opportunities.