



RATIONALE FOR TEACHERS

LEARNING WALLS – MAKING LEARNING MAKE SENSE

Our **ready-made** Learning Walls pack, designed specifically with Year 1 – Year 6 pupils in mind, provides everything you need to create, within minutes, an engaging, stimulating and yet ‘business-like’ board for you **to use as a focal point for your teaching and pupil learning.**

The **wide range of ready-made materials** within the pack enable you to use **your flair and creativity to personalise your Learning Walls** whilst **maintaining a high level of consistency** throughout the school.

Using our pack, a well-constructed Learning Wall quickly brings your planning to life **providing a scaffold or framework** upon which the main elements of **your lesson planning can unfold, involving the pupils** as it does, step by step throughout the week. This means that the hard work you have put into your planning is **‘writ large’**, open to the pupils so that they **are fully involved in the learning journey** as you guide them towards achieving the criteria for success.

When used effectively, our Learning Walls can impact significantly on Learning and Teaching by:

- bringing a **consistent approach** to the Learning Walls around your classroom and throughout the school;
- providing a **visible and attractive means of capturing your teaching and, more importantly, your pupils’ learning journey**, during the course of a ‘learning and teaching unit’ over a week, two weeks or longer;
- providing **an immediately recognisable focal point for learning and teaching**, immediately **improving engagement, reducing low-level disruption and maximising learning time;**
- giving **real opportunities for independent pupil learning and involvement;**
- creating opportunities **for pupil co-operation, reflection and discussion** before, during and after lessons;
- enabling the teacher to create **a consistent ‘language of learning’** which can be captured and applied across the curriculum;
- **fully involving the TA and other adults** as they can also contribute to the learning and teaching in a **positive and empowering** way during lessons.