

Building Learning Power

at Barrow School

Here at Barrow, we have some key 'learning powers' are first introduced in Reception and children use throughout their time at our school. Our BLP characters help to remind us about some of the **key skills** that make us **good learners**; both as children and adults. The children will see **BLP reminders** in their classrooms and teachers will often reference the current BLP focus during lessons. Children are given opportunities to 'grade' themselves at the end of each lesson; thinking about how well they have used their power! We also use BLP certificates to reward each week those children that have really demonstrated a learning power in action.

Reflectiveness



Rex the Reflective Polar Bear

Reciprocity



Rosie the Reciprocal Orangutan

Resilience



Reggie the Resilient Spider

Curiosity



Clive the Curious Crocodile

Independence



Ian the Independent Iguana

How can parents get involved?

Look out for the current BLP focus in letters or Parent Bulletins. Better still, ask you child which BLP animal they are using in class at the moment and what this means to them. Discuss the meaning of the 'very grown up' word and think about how they might use this learning skill at home as well as in school.

Resourcefulness



Ronnie the Resourceful Owl