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Six steps of Curriculum design™
Designing a curriculum is not easy. It is a complicated process that needs to be carefully thought through and involves much strategic decision making. With over 2000 schools now using the Cornerstones Curriculum, we have identified six crucial steps of effective curriculum design. These steps can be used by any school, including those wanting to design their curriculum from scratch and others wishing to review their existing curriculum.

Starting with ‘Principles and purpose’ and adding a bit of your own creative sparkle, follow our six steps to design or refresh your curriculum.
Principles and purpose

Setting out your curriculum rationale
Entitlement and enrichment

Defining your pupil offer
Breadth and balance

Planning the content of your curriculum
Teaching narrative

Delivering your curriculum
Resources

Sourcing quality resources for your curriculum
Review and evaluate

Monitoring the delivery and impact of your curriculum
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Any questions?
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