School Level Equality Objectives

As a school, we welcome our duties under the Equality Act 2010. Under the public sector equality duty, we have due regard of the need to:

- Eliminate discrimination, harassment, victimisation and any other conduct that is prohibited under the Act.
- Advance equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it
- Foster good relations between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it

As part of our public sector equality duty, we formulate, review and publish our school's **equality objectives**, **in partnership with our Trust's overall Equality Policy – and Trust level equality objectives**. The Trust policy and objectives can be found <u>here</u>. We share them with all those connected to our school - in order to ensure that our mission is clear and communicated to all. The objectives are subject to annual review at the autumn term local governing body meeting.

Our current equality objectives

Creation date: Autumn 2024

Smart Objective	Protected Characteristic Strand	Key Actions		Timeframe
Ensure that all religious festivals are included in the RE curriculum and assembly rota	Disability Gender reassignment	Review of RE curriculum to ensure children are taught key knowledge of religious festivals.		Spring 25
	Pregnancy and maternity			
	Race Religion or belief	Visits to different places of worships are planned out across the year groups. Assembly rota includes key festivals as they happen throughout the year. Children who are celebrating are encouraged to lead and take in part.		Summer 2025
	Age*			
	Marriage and Civil Partnerships* Sex			Summer 2025
	Sexual orientation			
Success Criteria	Review Point 1	Review Point 2	Review Point 3	
 All children feel represented and their religious and cultural beliefs are celebrated in school 				

Smart Objective	Protected Characteristic Strand		Key Actions		Timeframe
Ensure the wider community understand the importance of teaching linked to protected characteristics.	Disability		Hold PHSE/RSE question and answer session with parents		Autumn 2024
	Gender reassignment	H			
	Pregnancy and maternity				
	Race		Organise discussion with local religious leaders Spring		
	Religion or belief	(Spring 2025
	Age*				
	Marriage and Civil Partnerships*		Showcase work based on protected characteristics and ensure that Talk It questions have good coverage of Protected Characteristics		Summer 2025
	Sex				
	Sexual orientation				
Success Criteria	Review Point 1		Review Point 2 Review Point 3		oint 3

A consensus with local leaders around the curriculum taught at our school.		
Parents are clear and 'on board' with		
PHSE/RSE curriculum (specific		
question to be added to parent		
survey).		

Smart Objective	Protected Characteristic Strand	teristic Strand Key Actions		Timeframe	
Ensure that children do not use discriminatory language	Disability		Behaviour tracking to ensure that verbally abuse incidents are logged, tracked and dealt with. Autum		Autumn 2024
	Gender reassignment				
	Pregnancy and maternity				
	Race		Assemblies deal with this issue and visitors invited in to deliver assemblies to the school.		Autumn 2024
	Religion or belief				
	Age*				
	Marriage and Civil Partnerships*		Children are able to clearly articulate why discriminatory language is not tolerated. Older children are able to deliver session with younger children as a way of role modelling acceptable language.		Summer 2025
	Sex				
	Sexual orientation				
Success Criteria	Review Point 2		Review Point 2	Review Point 2	
Instances of discriminatory language		•			
are fewer as the year goes on					