Sacred Heart Primary School

PSHE Vision, Action and Impact Statements



'Jesus at the Heart of all that we do'

Vision

Sacred Heart Primary School is committed to providing a high-quality educational experience for all pupils. Our Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE) curriculum intentions are to build a PSHE curriculum, which develops learning and results in the acquisition of knowledge and skills which enables children to access the wider curriculum and to prepare children to be a global citizen now and in their future roles within a global community. Our PSHE curriculum enables our children to become healthy, safe, independent and responsible members of society, bringing together citizenship with personal and mental well-being, whilst promoting fundamental British values. We wish to offer a cohesive whole-school approach which aims to help them understand how they are developing personally and socially, and tackles many of the moral, social and cultural issues that are part of growing up. We provide our children with opportunities for them to learn about rights and responsibilities and appreciate what it means to be a member of a diverse society. Our children are encouraged to develop their sense of self worth by playing a positive role in contributing to school life and the wider community; allowing them to develop positive relationships and maintain a healthy lifestyle. PSHE is a vital tool to ensuring that children develop emotionally as well as academically and therefore is held with high regard by all within our school.

Action

The PSHE curriculum will focus on three core learning themes: health and wellbeing, relationships and living in the wider world. Progression in skills and knowledge in these themes across year groups is outlined in the PSHE progression document. Children have access to key knowledge, language and meanings in order to understand PSHE and to use across the wider curriculum. We follow guidance from the diocese scheme of work 'A Journey in Love' to ensure teaching of Relationships and Sex Education. PSHE is an important part of whole school, key stage and class assemblies/worship where children's spiritual, moral, social and cultural curiosity is stimulated, challenged and nurtured. Pupils are encouraged to take part in a wide range of activities and experiences across and beyond the curriculum, contributing fully to the life of their school and communities. In doing so they learn to recognise their own worth, work well with others and become increasingly responsible for their own learning. They reflect on their experiences and understand how they are developing personally and socially, tackling many of the spiritual, moral, social and cultural issues that are part of growing up. They learn to understand and respect our common humanity; diversity and differences so that they can go on to form the effective, fulfilling relationships that are an essential part of life and learning.

Impact

Through our PSHE curriculum, we believe we will enhance children's education and help them to become caring, respectful, responsible and confident individuals and citizens. Children will demonstrate and apply the British Values of Democracy, Tolerance, Mutual Respect, Rule of Law and Liberty. They will demonstrate a healthy outlook towards school, life and personal relationships. Our PSHE curriculum will support the development of the skills, attitudes, values and behaviour, which enable pupils to:

- Have a sense of purpose
- Value self and others
- Form positive and healthy relationships
- Make and act on informed choices and decisions
- Communicate effectively
- Work with others
- Respond to challenge
- Be an active partner in their own learning
- Be active citizens within the local community
- Explore issues related to living in a democratic society
- Become healthy and fulfilled individuals