Sodolphin Plimary School

Godolphin Primary School - Equality Action Plan 2022

Overall Aim and Rationale

Our aim is to carry out an Equality Action Plan, which anticipates where discrimination could arise if action wasn't taken and make reasonable adjustments to our school policy, procedures and provision. By taking proportionate action, our goal is to eliminate the discrimination of all individuals and groups within Godolphin Primary and address any disadvantage faced by particular groups. The following Equality Action Plan has been devised by way of an audit of school provision and an analysis of the outcomes of vulnerable pupils or groups of pupils with protected characteristics e.g. gender, ethnicity, disability, faith and socio-economic background pupils. The Equality Action Plan identifies key priority areas where the school can take action to ensure that our commitment to equality permeates throughout our practice and promotes equality of opportunity and accessibility for all pupils. The Equality Action Plan should be read in conjunction with the Southerly Point Cooperative Multi-Academy Trust's Equality Policy, the school's Equality and Diversity Return and the school's Accessibility Plan.

Action		
	Responsibility	Success Criteria
	For monitoring	
To ensure that robust policies and practices are	SLT	*SEND policy and local offer ratified by Governors
in place which promote equality and inclusion	Governors	and published on school website - reviewed annually
ie. Equality Policy, Accessibility Plan, SEND	Trustees	*Policies are reviewed with due regard to the
Policy, School Local Offer, etc.		Equality Act 2010, Children and Families Act 2014,

		Supporting Pupils with Medical Conditions 2014 and SEND Code of Practice 2014
To publish and promote the Equality Policy,	SLT	*Staff are familiar with the principles of the
Equality Action Plan and the Accessibility Plan through the school website, newsletters and staff meetings.	Governors	Equality Plan and use them when planning lessons, creating classroom displays, dealing with behaviour issues, etc * Parents/carers are aware of the Equality Policy and action plan.
Ensure school information is accessible online. Explore opportunities for information to be shared through a variety of ways and offer the option for the information to be printed in different languages.	SLT Governors	*Services will support school to provide prospectus in different languages where requested.
Ensure that policy and	SLT	*The school follows the safer requirements
practice relating to the	Governors	procedures and offers equality for all. A CPD
recruitment, retention and	Trustees	programme is in place which caters to the needs of
training is inclusive of the		the individual.
diverse needs of applicants and staff.		
Ensure that the curriculum, displays and	SLT	*Planning, work scrutiny and pupil conferencing will
enrichment activities promote role models that	Governors	show that diversity is embedded within the
young people positively identify with in terms of	Subject leaders	curriculum and pupils can talk about diversity
the protected characteristics.	·	confidently.
Promoting British Values within the curriculum,	SLT	*Children are able to discuss the importance of
including assemblies.	Governors	equality.
-	Subject leaders	*All pupils will feel included
Providing age-appropriate lessons for pupils and		* Children will understand and accept different
training for staff to raise awareness and		families within our school community, enabling them
understanding of the protected characteristics.		to learn to accept others for who they are.

Embed the new PSHE curriculum across school.		
To present positive images	SLT	*More diversity reflected in school and visually
which promote British	Governors	evident across all year groups e.g through the
Values and reflect the protected	Subject leaders	curriculum, assemblies and resources.
characteristics.		*The use of additional visits/ visitors/ resources is
		developed further throughout the year.
Ensuring all children and adults have equal	Class teachers	*All members of the school community involved and
opportunities in all aspects of school provision.	SLT	having equal access to what the school offers as a
	Governors	place of learning and employment.
Ensure all pupils are given the opportunity to		
make a positive contribution to the life of the		*All children have the same opportunities in all
school e.g. through involvement in the School		areas of school life.
Council and Eco Committee by election or co-		
option), monitors/jobs, class assemblies, fund		
raising etc.		
To celebrate cultural events throughout the	SLT	*Children have an increased awareness of different
year to increase pupil awareness and	Governors	communities, cultures and beliefs.
understanding of different communities.		
		* Religious Festivals and Cultural Events Calendar in
To have more annual events in school, such as		place to promote pupil's knowledge and
Black History Month, Deaf Awareness Week or		understanding of different communities, cultures
International Day, to raise awareness of issues		and faiths.
around the protected characteristics.		*Increased awareness of issues around race,
		disability and gender.
To ensure that extra-curricular activities	SLT	*Attendance of extra-curricular activities reflects
(including residential trips) take into account	Governors	the diversity of the school population in terms of
pupil needs and access issues and pupils		gender, ethnicity, disability, faith and socio-
attending reflect the diversity of the school		economic background.

population in terms of gender, ethnicity, disability, faith and socio-economic background pupils.		*Promotion of inclusive sports events at school and within the local area. *Pupil Premium and other funding sources support children in ensuring attendance at extra-curricular clubs, educational visits and residentials.
Provide extra and additional support for pupils who are under-achieving, in order to make accelerated progress in their learning and their personal well-being.	SLT SENCo Governors	*Data analysis shows good progress for all groups of pupils.
To ensure that the relevant support services are used fully and effectively.	SLT Governors	*School and pupils/ families will be offered and access relevant support services. * Evidence of involvement of support services: Individual pupils will have any necessary support in their: Learning, Behaviour, Emotional well-being, Social development