

## **Public Equality Plan**

"Be the Best You Can Be!"

Ancaster Church of England Primary School is committed to equal opportunities for all. Our school will make all members of our school community feel welcome irrespective of race, colour, creed or impairment. Our vision and values promote equality and tackle discrimination.

Core Values: Friendship Achievement Respect Creativity Honesty

**Mission Statement:** 'To provide a safe, caring and stimulating environment where everyone can feel accepted, happy and reach their full potential'. Our school aims to create a positive experience that meets the needs of all members of the community, promoting Christian values and beliefs, as part of a high quality education.

## **Aims**

- To help each child to develop self-worth and respect for others
- To provide a secure, caring and enabling environment
- To help children to achieve their potential in terms of academic achievement, aesthetic appreciation and physical development
- To provide a broad, balanced curriculum through which children will develop a breadth of knowledge, skills and understanding
- To foster high expectations and standards
- To promote an awareness of God and celebrate the diversity of race and religion
- To equip children for the responsibilities and experiences of life, in partnership with parents/carers and the wider community.
- To be the best they can be

Equality Development Priority 1-Ethos and Culture of the School

Ensure our church school, and Modern British Values, are embedded and explicit across the school so that all stakeholders are encouraged to treat one another, and the global community, with tolerance and respect.

| Actions   | Evidence   | Next Steps  |
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| Embed school and Modern British Values across all   | Meetings schedules and agendas                             | Explicitly teach the Modern                         |
| aspects of school life.   | Policies   | British Values through Collective Worship Planners. |
|   | Learning Environments Website                              | Worship Planners.                                   |
|   | Relationships  |   |
|   | Curriculum planning and development (see below)            |   |
|   | Enrichment   |   |
|   | Displays linked to Modern British Values                   |   |
| Ensure all stakeholders treat one another with respect,   | Behaviour policy and steps/rewards                         |   |
| politeness and tolerance for differences.   | School Values  |   |
|   | Collective Worship   | \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \               |
|   | Play Leaders   |   |
|   | Class rules  |   |
|   | School Golden Rules  |   |
|   | Team Point reward systems                                  |   |
|   | Policies-Parent Code of Conduct/Staff code/Home and School |   |
| Poild an arminal value of the developing  | Agreement  |   |
| Build on our inclusive ethos by developing a  | Pupil Premium  |   |
| philosophy promoting learning without limits that allows everyone to achieve more than expected and | SEND Policy and Practice Assertive Mentoring               |   |
| surprise those around them.   | Thought of the Week  |   |
| Growth Mindset  | Curriculum   | /   |
| Thinking Skills   | PSHE   |   |
| Trinking Okins  | Celebration and school value of Achievement                |   |
|   | School Ambassadors   |   |
|   | Fab Friday   |   |
|   | Parent sharing opportunities                               |   |
| Listen to the views of all stakeholders so that their   | School Council   | Establish a Parent Council to                       |
| thoughts and opinions are valued and included in the  | Big Conversation   | further listen to the views of the                  |
| strategic planning of the school.   | Team Leaders   | parent body.  |
|   | Parent Questionnaires/meetings                             |   |
|   | Pupil Interviews   |   |
|   | Governor Monitoring and Evaluation                         |   |
|   | Staff Questionnaire  |   |
|   | Line Management for staff-PDM and TA Meetings              |   |
|   | Staff Briefings  |   |

| Priority 2-Curriculum and Achievement  Provide opportunities for all of our pupils to succeed and reach their potential, being the best they can be.   |   |  |
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| How is this being achieved?  | Evidence  | Next Steps   |
| Effectively track groups of pupils to ensure that every child achieves/exceeds their targets set from individual starting points.                      | Assertive Mentoring Meetings (Pupil:Teacher) Data Tracking Sheets Pupil Progress Meetings SEND Clinics Pupil Premium Clinics Parent Consultations Assessment Weeks Pupil Profile Sheets and updates to parents 4 times per year. End of year reports. Provision Mapping TA Line Management/deployment   | Develop assessment in all subjects from EYFS-Y6  |
| Annually review the school curriculum to ensure that all pupils are aware of the ethnic and cultural diversity and disability.                         | Curriculum documentation Class Identities and Pupil Voice (Big Conversation) Visits and Visitors PSHE curriculum links Medium Term Plans Enrichments plans Visits and Visitors-50 things  | Display positive images that promote cultural diversity and disability awareness across the school.  Develop stronger links with children and families across the world. |
| All children regardless of deprivation, race, gender, ability and age are able to access wider experiences to enhance their learning opportunities.    | Pupil Premium funding allocations-Strategy Links with Nursery/Pre-school providers AQT links – economies of scale Use of Medium Term Plans to include enrichment opportunities Long Term Curriculum Planning 50 things, people, places plan SEND Provision-SEND information report PE Premium Reports School Fund allocations. 5 year budget planning documentation |  |
| Curriculum planning reflects a commitment to equality so that intentional, purposeful and meaningful links are made to promote diversity and equality. | Whole school PSHE scheme Long & Medium Term Curriculum Planning SEND Resources Worship Planning   |  |

|  | Observations & Learning walks         |                             |
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|  | 50 things, people, places plan        |                             |
|  | REAL PE video clips                   |                             |
| Ensure children's individual learning requirements and | Fluid groupings within daily planning | Teaching of thinking skills |
| styles are catered for so that children have equal     | Diagnostic teaching                   | across the school           |
| opportunities to access provision.                     | Fab Friday/Rotation Days/Wow Days     |                             |
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## **Equality Development Priority 3-Staffing and Professional Development**

Ensure all staff are positive role models for the school community, and are treated equally, regardless of gender, age, race, sexuality or disability and have access to high quality Continuous Professional Development (CPD).

| How is this being achieved?                               | Evidence   | Next Steps                  |
|---|--|-----------------------------|
| All staff are treated fairly and equally and are valued   | Reasonable Adjustments                                       | Develop use of professional |
| members of the school so that excellent equalities and    | Occ Health   | partners                    |
| practice in staff recruitment, retention and development  | Line Management  |                             |
| can be observed.  | CPD  |                             |
|   | Meetings-briefing/PDM/INSET                                  |                             |
|   | Well-being   |                             |
|   | Appraisal and Performance Management                         |                             |
|   | Roles and Responsibilities                                   | \                           |
|   | Policies   |                             |
|   | Recruitment diversity  |                             |
|   | Safer recruitment  |                             |
|   | Induction & student support                                  |                             |
|   | Ofsted report  |                             |
|   | Section 48 Report  |                             |
| All staff have access to high quality CPD which links to  | CPD Planner & feedback forms                                 |                             |
| areas of personal development as well as the strategic    | SDP  |                             |
| development priorities, in line with working hours and    | SEF  |                             |
| agreed roles and responsibilities in school.              | Perf Man   | /                           |
|   | Line Management  |                             |
|   | Weekly briefing – standard item                              |                             |
|   | Online learning modules for all staff                        |                             |
|   | Ofsted report  |                             |
| Safeguarding is highly effective for all groups of pupils | Green referral forms   |                             |
| and of the utmost importance for everyone in school and   | Standard agenda item at weekly briefing                      |                             |
| the wider community.                                      | Online training for all staff                                |                             |
|   | Face to face training for all staff                          |                             |
|   | SLT arrangements to ensure safeguarding staff always on site |                             |
|   | Revised policy –signed by all staff                          |                             |
|   | Lanyard identification system                                |                             |
|   | Evolve – risk assessment system                              |                             |
|   | Pupil Progress meetings                                      |                             |
|   | Wellbeing meetings – SLT                                     |                             |

| Attendance letters & incentives        |
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| New staff induction                    |
| Volunteer/student briefings            |
| Chronology tracking form (green forms) |

| Equality Develo                                   | pment Priority 4-Community Partnerships               |                        |
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| Foster positive partnerships and relationships so | that the wider local community have a shared sense of | cohesion and belonging |
| regardless of                                     | of gender, age, race, sexuality or disability.        |                        |
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| regardless of gender, age, race, sexuality or disability.   |                                 |            |
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| How is this being achieved?                                 | Evidence                        | Next Steps |
| Promote community members to become active within           | 50 things, people, places plan  |            |
| the life of the school so that pupils are exposed to a wide | Worship/visitors plan           |            |
| variety of people and value the contributions of others.    | Volunteers/helpers              |            |
|   | Local business contacts         |            |
|   | AQT connections                 |            |
|   | Rev. June – church links        |            |
|   | PTFA                            |            |
|   | Long term curriculum            | \-         |
|   | Summer/Christmas Fayres         |            |
|   | External club providers/coaches |            |
| Maintain effective channels of communication with wider     | Twitter Updates                 |            |
| stakeholders ensuring that the life of the school is        | Newsletters published bi-weekly |            |
| celebrated and promoted fully.                              | PTFA                            |            |
|   | Parent Mail                     |            |
|   | Class Newsletters               |            |
|   | Website                         |            |
|   | Tapestry (EYFS)                 |            |
|   | Share & shine opportunities     |            |
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