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PEEL HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL

PSHE POLICY

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Peel Hall Primary School
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Vision

RSE and PSHE underpins life at Peel Hall Primary. At Peel Hall, we believe that nurturing happy and healthy children is central to all aspects of their learning and development. As a result of our curriculum, every child will be equipped with the knowledge and skills to make informed, healthy and moral life choices.

We want our pupils to leave Peel Hall as proud, confident, kind, and independent members of society, with an awareness of their rights and responsibilities as valuable individuals.

Intent

We use Kapow Primary to give children the knowledge, skills, and attitudes they need to effectively navigate the complexities of life in the 21st Century. The curriculum covers key areas which will support our children to make informed choices now and in the future around their health, safety, wellbeing, relationships, and financial matters and will support them in becoming confident individuals and active members of society.

Kapow Primary's RSE/PSHE scheme of work covers the Relationships and Health Education statutory guidance (as set out by the Department for Education), including the non-statutory sex education. The scheme also promotes the four fundamental British values which reflect life in modern Britain: Democracy; Rule of Law; Respect & Tolerance and Individual Liberty.

Quality PSHE and RSE teaching is an important element in helping schools to carry out their duty of care with regards to safeguards.

Implementation

The Kapow Primary scheme offers a whole school approach which consists of five areas of learning:

- Family and relationships
- Health and wellbeing
- Safety and the changing body
- Citizenship
- Economic well being

Each area is revisited every year to allow children to build on prior learning and the lessons provide a progressive programme. Kapow Primary supports the requirements of the Equality Act through direct teaching, for example learning about different families, the negative effect of stereotypes and celebrating differences, in addition to the inclusion of diverse teaching resources throughout the lessons. Sex education has been included in line with the DfE recommendations and is covered in Year 6 of our scheme.

A range of teaching and learning activities are used and are based on good practice in teaching RSE/PSHE education to ensure that all children can access learning and make progress. In each year group, an introductory lesson provides the opportunity for children and teachers to negotiate ground rules for the lessons. These introductory lessons can then be referred to throughout the year to help create a safe environment. All lessons include ideas to stretch the most able learners and give additional support to those who need it. In many lessons, stories, scenarios, and video clips provide the opportunity for children to engage in real life and current topics in a safe and structured way. Role-play activities are also included to help children play out scenarios that they may find themselves in.

There are meaningful opportunities for cross-curricular learning, in particular with Computing for online safety and Science for growing, nutrition, teeth, diet and lifestyle. The scheme provides consistent messages throughout the age ranges including how and where to access help. We also recognise that RSE/ PSHE can be taught and applied through daily practices such as assemblies, school clubs, school events as well as break times and across other curriculum subjects.

Impact

Children at Peel Hall will foster well-being and develop resilience and character to be happy, successful and productive members of society. Pupils will have met the objectives set out within the Relationships and Health Education statutory guidance and will be able to utilise their learning within their daily lives, from dealing with friendship issues to making healthy choices and knowing where and how to get help when needed.

Each lesson within Kapow Primary's scheme features assessment guidance, helping teachers to identify whether pupils have met the desired learning intentions for that lesson. Each unit of lessons comes with a Knowledge Organiser.