

Scotforth St. Paul's C of E Primary and Nursery School

## **EQUALITY OBJECTIVES**

## MISSION STATEMENT

Learning, growing and caring as part of God's family

"I am the vine, and you are the branches. If any remain in me and I remain in them, they produce much fruit." (John 15:5)

Objective	Which group(s) with protected characteristics will this benefit/	Actions and who will be involved?	Timescale	Which general duty/ies will it address?	How will we measure our success?
To ensure staff and governors understand their responsibilities in regard to the Equality Act. To provide staff and governors training in order that they can best promote equality in school.	Disability, Gender, Race, Religion or belief, Sexual orientation, Gender reassignment,	Provide staff and governors with training on equality and diversity including the protected characteristics. Ensure all staff and governors are familiar with our updated policy.	By Summer 2021	Advance equality of opportunity between people who share protected characteristics and those who do not Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act.	Staff and governors understand responsibilities and requirements in regard to equality in schools Staff and governors have received training on how to promote equality in school.

## September 2020 September 2024

To increase all children's physical activity levels	Disability Gender	Ensuring the quality of teaching is strong and meeting the needs of all learners.	By July 2021 and then throughout 2022.	Advance equality (gender)	All children regardless of gender/disability will take part in quality PE/Sport.
		Identification of children who have not taken part in physical activities during lockdowns/children who have put on weight due to lockdowns.			
		Set up clubs targeting specific children- encourage parents to sign children up for the club.			
		Engage a wide range of sports coaches across school to appeal to a wide range of children including multi skills and dance coaches.			

To promote cultural development and understanding through a rich range of experiences.	Race, Religion or belief	Class teachers/SLT to make sure all children's cultural backgrounds are acknowledged, celebrated and used as a valuable resource within school.	Ongoing Increase number of visitors when Risk assessment allows it is safe to do so. Make links between subjects e.g. Music and RE.	Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act.	Children have a better understanding of race and religions. Children understand that they are part of a multi- faith society and learn the values of other religions
Promote understanding and respect for children's differences	Disability, Gender, Race, Religion or belief	RA to lead a series of disability assemblies	Each year to be led by Y5/6. Beginning in Summer term 2021 and then termly- each dealing with a different disability	Advance equality of opportunity between people who share protected characteristics and those who do not Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation.	Children have an understanding of our rights. Children are reminded to show understanding and respect differences.

To ensure that all pupils are given similar opportunities with regards to extended learning opportunities	Disability, Gender, Race, Religion or belief	Analysis of register of attendance. Parents and pupil questionnaire. Proactively promoting activities to less engaged groups	April 2021 and then ongoing. (This has been amended due to attendance of key worker children only in Spring 2021)	Advance equality of opportunity between people who share protected characteristics and those who do not	Increase of attendance to after-school clubs. All disadvantaged children attend at least one club or activity during the year
To ensure the school environment is accessible as possible to all pupils, staff and visitors.	Disability, Gender	Keep accessibility plan up to date (see plan) (SENCO, Health and Safety Governors)	Ongoing	Advance equality of opportunity between people who share protected characteristics and those who do not	All pupils able to access learning and environment
To eradicate prejudice related bullying in relation to the protected characteristics listed in the Equality Act 2010	Disability, Gender, Race, Religion or belief, Sexual orientation, Gender reassignment	Create effective system for recording incidences of discriminatory behaviours. Systems ensure swift identification of any issues, prompt and effective action	Feedback from pupils - termly	Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act	No recorded incidents of specific name calling i.e. homophobic/racist improve everyone's understanding of the implications of homophobic name calling Parents will be asked to work with the school to eliminate the above

		involving parents where necessary and comprehensive recording.				
Monitoring arrangements: At least yearly reports to Govs. from Summer 2021						
First review dates: Summer 2021						