



Believe to Achieve! "Roots will grow down into God's love and keep us strong" EPH 3:17

Curriculum Statement for PSHE, including RSHE

At Brinkworth Earl Danby's we aim to provide a secure, happy and stimulating learning environment in which EVERYONE is valued, spiritual growth is nurtured and potential maximised.

We believe as a community that each child can reach their vocational potential. We believe each child is of unique worth made in the image of God. We believe in each child being the best that they can be and finding their place in the world.

We believe in

- A child's potential
- Being part of a community
- Being the best you can be

Our Christian values of friendship, trust, respect, courage, perseverance, and thankfulness help us build a firm foundation, enabling us to grow into strong people building a better world.

Intent

Why do we teach this? Why do we teach it in the way we do?

At Brinkworth Earl Danby's Primary School, PSHE is at the core of what we do and enables our children to become independent, confident, healthy and responsible members of society, as well as developing the "whole child" intellectually, morally, socially and spiritually. Through our whole-school approach to PSHE, it is our belief that excellence in these areas will lead to excellence across the curriculum and beyond in later life. PSHE is taught across the school on a weekly basis and as a school, we follow the SCARF PSHE scheme. Our PSHE curriculum equips children with relevant and meaningful content, which is supported through a strong emphasis on emotional literacy, building resilience and nurturing mental and physical health. With an ever changing society, we are able to provide our children with a strong understanding of the diverse world around them and support them in playing a positive role in contributing to the school and the wider community. Through the heart of our PSHE teaching, is a commitment to enhancing and promoting our core Christian Values (Friendship, Trust, Respect, Courage, Perseverance and Thankfulness).

Implementation

What do we teach? What does this look like?

Our whole curriculum is shaped by our school vision, which aims to enable all children, regardless of background, ability, additional needs, and to flourish to become the very best version of themselves they can possibly be. Relationships and Health Education are taught across the school. We teach the National Curriculum, supported by a clear skills and knowledge progression. This ensures that skills and knowledge are built on year by year and sequenced appropriately to maximise learning for all children. The SCARF PSHE curriculum directs our aim on developing the "whole child" through a spiral curriculum approach to developing knowledge, skills and understanding in the areas of:

- Me and my relationships
- Valuing differences
- Keeping myself safe
- Rights and responsibilities
- Being my best
- Growing and changing.

We link each of these units with the Christian Values throughout the year.

Impact

What will this look like? By the time children leave our school, they will:

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- Have a ready willingness and ability to try new things, push themselves and persevere.
- Have a good understanding of how to stay safe, healthy and develop good relationships.
- Have an appreciation of what it means to be a positive member of a diverse, multicultural society.
- Have a strong self-awareness, interlinked with compassion of others.