

## **New Collaborative Learning Trust Equality Objectives**

New Collaborative Learning Trust (NCLT) is committed to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion and in accordance with our duties under The Equality Act are pleased to publish our objectives in respect of the Public Sector Equality Duty (PSED).

## The Equality Act (PSED) General Duties are:

- Eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Equality Act.
- Advance Equality of Opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and those who do not.
- Foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic and those who do not.

Each site within our Trust sets their own equality objectives annually following a standard Trust format below. Milestones are discussed and reported at least annually by the designated senior leader at each setting, involving the Equality and Diversity Committee.

## THORPE HESLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

<b>Equality Objective</b>	Specific Action Required	Lead	Planned Outcome	Timescale	Milestones
To ensure that the school	Work and activities in school	Wider	Increase in pupils'	Ongoing	Monitoring shows that the whole school
curriculum and wider	monitored by race, gender and	Curriculum	participation, confidence		community are represented through work
school events actively	disability.	Lead (RR)	and achievement levels.		on display and shared via Twitter, website
celebrate people from a					etc.
wide range of backgrounds,	Continued monitoring by the	Inclusion	The curriculum promotes		
including those who share a	English Team, including pupil and	Lead (LSh)	role models who young		Monitoring of events and extra-curricular
protected characteristic.	staff voice.		people positively identify		activities shows that there is a high uptake
		English lead	with, which reflects the		amongst all vulnerable groups.
	Continued monitoring, including	(ABI)	school's diversity in terms		
	staff and pupil voice, work scrutiny,		of race, gender and		New reading spines are embedded across
	lesson drop-ins and MTP checks.	PSHE Lead	disability.		all year groups. In the Aug 23 Parent
		(NKF)			survey, 100% of parents/Carers agreed
	Shared staff CPD.		Notable increase in		that we promote a love of reading, with
			participation and		86% strongly agreeing.

	Recognise and represent the talents of pupils with SEND in work throughout school, and ensure representation fully reflects the school population in terms of race and gender.  Ensure that RSHE is taught effectively across school.		confidence of noted groups.		Monitoring shows that both PSHE and RSHE are being taught well right across school and attainment and progress are strong. Staff voice shows that staff feel confident teaching these areas.
To ensure that the reading material offered to children incorporates texts written by authors who share a protected characteristic and texts dealing with equality and diversity (both implicitly and explicitly)	Continue to publish and promote the Equality objectives and Equality Plan through the school website, newsletter and staff meetings.  All staff and advisors to be made aware of this plan through advisory group meetings and staff meetings.  Regular meetings with Head Teacher and Chair of Advisory Group – Safeguarding, Equality and Anti-Bullying Governor Set up a staff Equality and Diversity Group to meet termly.	Headteacher Chair of Advisory Group	Results and comments in staff and parent annual surveys reflect this culture.  Termly reports submitted to the Advisory Group by the Chair show evidence of inclusivity.  Minutes from termly meetings show that this remains a high priority	Ongoing/Ter mly	Staff are familiar with the principles of the Equality Plan and use them when planning lessons, assemblies and events and creating class room displays.  Work in this area is celebrated in the newsletter, via Twitter and on the website.  Reports submitted to Governing Board and appear in minutes.  The staff Equality and Diversity group was set up in the Autumn Term with termly meetings taking place.
To engender an open culture of understanding, inclusivity and positivity throughout school.	Monitor and analyse pupil achievement by race, gender and disability and act on any trends or patterns in the data that require additional support for pupils.  Ensure all reasonable adjustments are made to ensure full accessibility to all pupils, staff and visitors.  Termly site inspections.  School Community consulted on disability access.  Achievement data analysed by race, gender and disability where applicable on a termly basis	Headteacher Office staff	PEPs in place where required and reviewed regularly.  All EHCPs, SEN Support Plans and Care Plans to be reviewed termly .  Analysis of attainment and progress data shows that all pupil groups continue to make good progress.	Ongoing	Where individual issues are identified through monitoring of data, these are acted on.  Three electronic disabled doors (one / two in each building) now on a service plan.  Termly site inspections completed and recorded.  Currently one PEP in place which is reviewed annually or more if required.  All EHCPs, SEN Support Plans and Care Plans reviewed termly.  Driveway access available to parents / carers under permit scheme.

Regular note in newsletter asking if		
parents / carers have any issues		
with disability access.		