

Rationale Objective 1: We have an ethos that all are welcome in our school and we want to further embed this through curriculum and non curriculum activities involving the whole community Protected characteristics covered: All protected characteristics	All members of our community feel safe and valued. Children understand what it is to be an upstander and know what to do if they witness an incident. Staff feel empowered and knowledgeable to deal with any incidents should they occur.		Governor Involvement Nominated link governor-equality & inclusion AT Focused governor visits Finance Committee (oversight of training & resource budget)	Monitoring & Evaluation Methods Review of this action plan (termly) Monitor curriculum/lesson plans ½ termly to ensure EDI&B is incorporated through learning walks, book looks and environment reviews. Through conversations with children (pupil voice)	Reporting Progress School SEF School Development Plan Head Teacher Report to Governors Link Governor Visits
Objective 1					
Actions	Timelines	Staff responsible	Resources-Time/CPD		Resources- Financial
1.1 Diversity Champions to work with the Headteacher and EF to create a Child Friendly version of the Equality policy.	Autumn 24	NC.ef	Diversity Champion Meetings after school		



1.2 Explicitly teach about	Across the academic	All staff		
the protected	year as planned	All sidii		
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characteristics in an age	though class RHE			
appropriate manner and	sessions, RE AND Picture			
challenge any use of	news.Also see AREP			
inappropriate language	Project			
1.3 To ensure staff receive	Throughout the year-	NC		
appropriate CPD to	including			
develop staff confidence.	EF Networks, Marcj			
Ensure that staff are aware	conference and NC			
of current legislation and	Embedding project			
current issues.				
1.4 Celebrate Anti-Bullying	Autumn term 24	All staff	https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-	
Week and online safety			bullying-week-2024	
week			, 6	
1.5 Undertake Anti-Racism	Autumn term 24	All staff supported by		
in all year groups Autumn 24		JW		
1.6 Frequently collect pupil	Termly	NC/EF/JW		
voice re: sexism,				
homophobia and racism				
and act on results.				
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Future Developments
Discuss EDBI with parents forum and at FGB meetings.



Objective 2: To raise awareness and understanding for staff and pupils of barriers for those who share a protected characteristic and the gifts which these characteristics bring to our school community.

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Equality Action Plan Rationale for Objective 2	Success Crite		Governor Involvement	Monitoring & Evaluation Methods	Reporting Progress
We have a range of protected characteristics represented in our school and we want to ensure that	Children and staff have a greater understanding of differences between themselves and others.		reater understanding of ifferences between themselves and others. Nominated link governor-equality & inclusion AT		School SEF
and we want to ensure that all members of the community feel respected and valued at all times			Focused governor visits	Monitor enrichment activities and participation Through conversations with children (pupil voice	Development Plan Head Teacher
Protected Characteristics covered: Age, Disability, Race, Religion, sex, sexual orientation				questionnaires)	Report to Governors Link Governor Visits
Objective 2	<u> </u>				l
Actions	Timelines	Staff Responsible	Resources – Time/CPD		Resources - Financial
2.1 Celebrate festivals including Diwali, Christmas, Eid & Lunar New Year	Termly	All staff RE lead JW			Budget for any identifies resources
2.2 Mark Children's Mental Health week, Autism Awareness month, Dyslexia Awareness and Tourette's awareness	Termly	NC and SENDCO JR	https://www.childrens/ https://www.tourettes-acti awareness-month-2023.	mentalhealthweek.org.uk/ on.org.uk/166-tourettes-	
			https://www.autismspeaks	.org/world-autism-awareness-	

day



			https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/dyslexia-awareness-week-teaching-resources	
2.3 Explicitly teach about protected characteristics in an age appropriate way through assemblies and our RHE curriculum	Termly 22-25	SLT and all staff		
2.4 Mark Black History Month through sessions delivered by Diversity Champions and through curium lessons and assemblies. Highlight contribution of BAME soldiers during remembrance celebrations. AREP project delivered to all year groups.	Autumn 24		https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/joinin/black-history-month https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/history/article/black-history-month	

Objective 3: Over the next four years, girls' experiences in academia and sports will make them more aware of a range of opportunities so they may aspire to non-stereotypical professions.

Equality Action Plan Rationale for	Success Criteria	Governor	Monitoring &	Reporting Progress					
Objective 2		Involvement	Evaluation Methods						
	All our children, both boys and girls,								
Our attainment data	have high aspirations to achieve in		Review of this action	School SEF					
demonstrates that girls often attain	society	Nominated link	plan (termly)						
above national and, at present,		governor- equality		School					
outperform boys. Therefore, we	Gender stereotypes are challenged	& inclusion AT	Monitor engagement	Development Plan					
wish to inspire our girls and									
broaden their experiences to			Monitor curriculum						



empower them to know they can access further education and ultimately senior positions in society. Protected Characteristics covered: sex, sexual orientation	Our Science curri developed to ins further but espect Enrichment activ stereotypes and a All our children a wider world and available to then	pire all children ially girls ities challenge engage all children re aware of the the opportunities	Focused governor visits	Through conversations with children (pupil voice questionnaires)	Head Teacher Report to Governors Link Governor Visits
Actions	Timelines	Staff Responsible	Resources – Time/CI	PD .	Resources - Financial
3.1 Continue to develop our science curriculum so it may inspire pupils – especially girls – to consider further education and a future career in science.	Termly	AJ as Science Subject leader& SLT	Discussion at SLT meetings each term Resources for enrichments activities		Budget for any identifies resources
3.2 Organise more after-school and out-of-school sporting opportunities for girls – particularly sports they would not otherwise access themselves.	Termly	NC/JW	Consider external visitors to celebrate diversity-cost consideration		Budget for identified visitors
3.3 To plan for school visits to various places of education (e.g. university) and work as well as organise for female visitors to give presentations at school about their careers and/or role in society.	Termly	SLT	Discussion at SLT meetings each term Discussion with link governor Visit from Serena Patel funded by school and OSA-Female author to inspire all children https://serenakpatel.com/		OSA and School Budget



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Future Developments:

Organise for more role models to visit school and talk to the children. Our futures week will take place every other year.

Objective 4: Advance equality of opportunity in arts education and cultural learning between people who share a protected characteristic and those who do not,

Equality Action Plan Rationale for Objective 4 We have a range of protected characteristics represented in our school and we	ange of All staff and pupils feels values and represented I and we			Monitoring & Evaluation Methods Review of this action	Reporting Progress School SEF
want to ensure that all members of the community can access all opportunities both in and out of	competitive spor	ble to take part in t and sports festivals	Nominated link governor- equality & inclusion AT	plan (termly) Monitor engagement	School Development Plan
Protected Characteristics covered: sex, sexual orientation	and after school clubs. All pupils feel that they have a voice and represented in our school curriculum		Focused governor visits	Monitor curriculum Through conversations with children (pupil voice questionnaires)	Head Teacher Report to Governors Link Governor Visits
Actions	Timelines	Staff Responsible	Resources – Time/CF	PD	Resources - Financial
4.1 Actively encourage SEND pupil involvement in after school clubs and arts rich opportunities for all children. Monitor uptake and address any barriers.	Termly	NC/JR/JW	Rushcliffe Sports Part as events in school	nership events as well	Sports premium where appropriate
4.2 Promote greater gender equality in the arts and inspire our school community through inviting	Termly	NC			OSA and School budget to fund author visit



speakers and providing opportunities to explore the possibilities in arts and cultural education.				
4.3 Explore as many opportunities as a whole school within the arts	Termly	NC	Ensure all year groups have access to high quality arts provision and sign post to	School budget to fund any resources
and cultural education.			relevant extra curricular opportunities	