Curriculum Statement - PSHE

Intent

Here at Woodbridge Primary we aim to provide a wide range of activities that explore the social and emotional aspects of learning, enabling children to develop their identity and self-esteem as active, **confident** members of their community.

Implementation

Here at Woodbridge Primary School we follow the Kapow scheme for PSHE and RSE.

This allows us to fulfil the statutory requirement for Relationships and Health Education set out by the Department of Education. We are committed to delivering a thorough and diverse program with focus on personal, social, health and economic education.

The scheme aims to give children the knowledge, skills and attitudes that they need to navigate the complexities of life in the 21st Century. The curriculum covers key areas which will support 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.

Children's learning through this scheme contributes to their personal development as set out in the Ofsted Inspection Framework and promotes the four fundamental British values which reflect life in modern Britain: democracy; rule of law; respect and tolerance and individual liberty. The themes and topics support social, moral, spiritual and cultural development and provide children with protective teaching on essential safeguarding issues.

In addition we run a variety of hugely successful schemes, such as play leaders, librarians, reading buddies and student and eco council. These enable relationships between peers to grow across the year groups, enhancing our sense of community. We seek to create a united and supportive school, allowing children to develop socially and personally.

Once the children reach Year 6, the opportunities during a week away in Derbyshire allow the children to develop independence and build relationships with peers in a unique, real-life setting, showing responsibility for their own belongings, managing meals and finances for themselves.

Impact

The Kapow scheme and our **7Cs** ensure pupils at Woodbridge Primary are **confident**, well mannered and have good interpersonal skills; they are well prepared for the next stage in their academic journey - we get good feedback about this from the local high school. The confidence in the children develops as they progress through the school and this can be seen through the class

assemblies and monitoring. As well as being confident and having a good understanding of themselves, children are tolerant, empathetic and have a good understanding of healthy relationships and the world they live in. Visitors to the school often make comments about the children's good behaviour and **consideration** to others.