# **Equality Data & Objectives**



Stanstead Nursery and Primary School has used the following process to assist them in identifying some of the barriers to their pupils in accessing **education provision**.

# Stage 1: Understanding Our School Community - Pupils

What is the school profile?

How many children are on roll at the school?

184 Pupils in total

Using Scholar Pack data the following information was available:

Ethnic Categories	;						
White British	101	White & Black Caribbean	17	Indian	3	Any Other Black Background	1
Irish	1	White & Asian	3	Pakistani	1	Refugee	0
Any other white background	6	White & Black African	1	Bangladeshi	0	Asylum Seeker	0
Traveller of Irish Heritage	15	Any Other Mixed Background	8	Any other Asian background	5	Any Other Ethnic Group	2
Gypsy/Roma	0	Chinese	0	Black Caribbean	1	Information Refused	0
White European	1	Any other Chinese background	0	Black African	6	Information Not Obtained	12

Disability Categories					
None indicated by parent/ Carer Not Collected	182	Needs Medication	1	Other Disability / Health Problem	0
No disability		Problems with Incontinence	0		
Physical disability	0	Problems with Communication	1		
Problems with Hand Function	0	Problems with Hearing	0		
Problems with Personal Care	0	Problems with Vision	0		
Problems with Eating and Drinking	0	Problems with ASD/ Aspergers	1		

Special Educational Needs (SEN)	Percentage (%)	Actual No.
No Special Educational Need	88%	162
SENProvision-SEN Support	<b>12</b> %	22
Statemented	0%	0
Total number of pupils with SEN	12%	22

Gender		
Girls	85	
Boys	99	

Religion & Belief						
Anglican	0	Church of England	0	Sikh	1	
Baptist	0	Hindu	2	No Religion	136	
Buddhist	0	Jewish	0	Other Religion	14	
Catholic	0	Methodist	0	Unknown	0	
Christian	29	Muslim	2			

## No Information was available on the following protected characteristics:

**Gender Reassignment -** The school did not have any information on whether any of the children on roll had reassigned their gender. The school agreed to seek further support and guidance on how and when to monitor.

**Sexual Identity -** The school did not have information on whether any of the pupils on roll identified as Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual or Transgender (LGBT) as the question had never been asked. The school agreed to seek further advice and guidance from local and national specialists on how and when to ask pupils this question and how to use the data sensitivity when collected.

#### Equality Objective One: Promote positive attitudes towards the promotion of racial equality

Protected Characteristic: Race

### Why?

101 out of 184 children (55%) of our children are white British To promote community cohesion and understanding across our community.

#### How?

#### We are going to:

- Share positive messages through whole school assemblies, dass assemblies and PHSE work giving the children time to discuss and explore a range of cultures, religions and differences.
- Ensure the teaching resources (particularly books used in school) reflect diversity in terms of race and culture.
- Continue to celebrate respect for and understanding of diversity in all its forms through whole school events, trips/visitors and assemblies.
- Ensure that the values underpinning the school's ethos are actively promoted by all staff, governors, volunteers and visitors.
- Challenge parents where there is evidence of a lack of respect for diversity and where messages given at home are deemed to be incommensurate with school and British values.
- Continue to ensure school has a range of texts that deal with racial diversity
- Continue to have a zero tolerance approach to bullying incidents and incidents related to the use of inappropriate language related to race or ethnicity.
- Continue to embed our new value 'kindness' and promote and encourage acts of kindness.
- Ensure that displays in classrooms and corridors promote diversity in terms of race, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, religion and disability.

#### **Outcome**

- The children display an understanding and positive attitudes towards the promotion of race quality
- The children will display positive attitudes towards people of different race
- The school ethos, curriculum and environment clearly reflects our commitment to equality and provides clear evidence and focus on this.
- Children's awareness and tolerance will grow through being well-informed

#### Equality Objective Two: LO: To understand and appreciate others religious beliefs

Protected Characteristic: Religion

#### Why?

The majority of our children are of the same religion or of no religion To promote an understanding of other people's faiths

### How?

#### We are going to:

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- Ensure our curriculum allows for a greater awareness of religious diversity.
- Ensure that the R.E curriculum focuses on a deeper understanding and acceptance of varying faith.
- Continue to purchase texts that deal with religious diversity.
- Ensure that multi-faith displays are prominent around school.
- Monitor that British Values is embedded within our curriculum.
- Continue to have a zero tolerance approach to incidents related to the use of inappropriate language related to religious beliefs.

#### <u>Outcome</u>

- The children will display positive attitudes towards people of different religions and faiths.
- Through knowledge, will come understanding and the range of religions and faiths will be seen as an opportunity to celebrate diversity
- The children will display, through their curriculum work, a sound understanding of other religions and faiths
- Children's awareness & tolerance will grow through being well-informed

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