



PSHE intent statement

At Guildhall we believe that everybody has the right to thrive in a modern world and be the best individual that they can be. Through our PSHE learning we aim to equip the children with the understanding, knowledge and skills to lead healthy, independent lives whilst being responsible and informed citizens.

Our children are encouraged to recognise their own self-worth and take responsibility for their learning and actions. Throughout their PSHE learning, both in PSHE lessons and as part of the broader curriculum offered by the school, they take part in a range of activities, which allow them to reflect on their own experiences and aid their understanding of how the world works. This gives them the opportunity to become more independent and informed of the world around them and how to safely navigate it. They are taught to respect diversity and differences, allowing them to develop and maintain effective relationships that are an essential part of life and learning. The children are given tools to help them with emotional, moral, social and cultural issues that are all a part of growing up.

As they progress through the school they find out more about their rights and responsibilities as individuals and as part of the wider community they live in. We also instil the importance of being a caring global citizen and ensure that our children recognise the importance of protecting the environment.

Our PSHE curriculum incorporates personal, social, health and economic education as well as relationships and sex education.

We strive to ensure that all pupils:

- will develop positive and healthy relationships both now and for the future and have the skills to maintain them
- will understand a range of emotions and how to deal with them
- will understand that they have the right to be accepted as who they are
- will know what makes a safe and healthy lifestyle
- will know the physical and mental changes that occur as they grow up
- will understand their responsibility in society and will play an active role as a citizen of Britain
- will recognise British Values.
- will develop confidence and responsibility and make the most of their abilities