



RE at NSN

At NSN, we promote mutual respect through acceptance and celebration of different faiths and beliefs. We aim to give all pupils knowledge and understanding of the six main world religions from EYFS to Year 6. This will improve the children's understanding of the world around them, outside of their home town. Religious education at NSN also intends to combat discrimination and judgement of different viewpoints and beliefs. Our overarching aim is to produce kind, caring and open-minded individuals ready to face the wider world with understanding and respect.

This is how we do it here...

- Our RE curriculum is derived from a combination of the Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education in Suffolk 2012 and Plan Bee.
- In EYFS, RE will be taught through key religious festivals alongside the rest of the school in enrichment days. Also, as part of 'Understanding the World' the children can access religious artefacts and activities via the EYFS continuous provision.
- In both Key Stage One and Key Stage Two, the curriculum will be covered in three half termly blocks. This will then be enhanced by six enrichment days that aim to build on their knowledge of each religion and will encourage them to reflect on what it means to belong to a religion.
- At the beginning of every RE lesson, teachers make the link between RE and the British Value of Mutual Respect explicit. It is important that the subject is relevant to the children and reflects the ASUPERHERO curriculum.
- Our ASUPERHERO curriculum is promoted in both the half termly blocks and enrichment days.
- Each half term, the leader of RE will talk to students and collate evidence to assess the impact of their knowledge and understanding of the subject. This will ensure that children of all abilities have understood the content and been given equal opportunities to access the learning.
- We have close links with our local church, St. Margaret's. Reverend Michael Asquith volunteers his time to hold 'Open the Book' assemblies; these take place once a month and teach the children about the Bible. In addition, our annual Christmas Concert and Celebration Assembly for our Year 6 Leavers are both held at St. Margaret's Church.
- We promote debate and discussion, regarding different points of view and faiths, through weekly Picture News Lessons. These sessions provide the children with a 'real world' context for their learning.

SEND provision:

- Pupils with SEND will be supported within class to ensure they can access all learning through use of visual, concrete resources & scaffolding.
- Where appropriate, children with SEND will receive bespoke and targeted teaching to ensure they can access learning and make progress.
- Pupils with SEND benefit from pre-teaching in some areas of the curriculum.
- Pupils with SEND will benefit from concrete and visual resources to support their understanding.