

Victory Primary school



Victory for all !

Sex and Relationship Education Statement

Aims

At Victory Primary School we aim to educate the whole child and to ensure children are happy, healthy and fulfill their potential in terms of the development of skills for life, social and moral values and academic success.

RE is lifelong learning about physical, moral and emotional development. It is about the understanding of the importance of loving and caring relationships.

Research demonstrates that good, comprehensive SRE does not make young people more likely to become sexually active at a younger age and, in fact, knowledge can help prevent this as well as helping to identify child protection issues in young children.

The aims of sex and relationship education (SRE) at our school are to:-

- Provide a framework in which sensitive discussions can take place
- Prepare pupils for puberty, and give them an understanding of sexual development and the importance of health and hygiene
- Help pupils develop feelings of self-respect, confidence and empathy
- Create a positive culture around issues of sexuality and relationships
- Teach pupils the correct vocabulary to describe themselves and their bodies

Values Framework

All those who teach aspects of SRE within school, including visitors, are expected to be guided by the following values framework which represents the values held in common by the whole school community. The teaching of SRE will encourage pupils to: -

- Value and respect themselves
- Value and respect others
- Value and respect differences in people's religion, culture, sexual orientation, physical and mental ability and social background.

The personal beliefs and attitudes of teachers will not influence the teaching of SRE in this school.