

## **PSHE at North Cheshire Jewish Primary School**

At North Cheshire Jewish Primary School we aim to enhance and enrich the lives of children by enabling them to make the most of outstanding learning opportunities within and beyond the curriculum.

We believe PSHE education and the SMSC (spiritual, moral, social and cultural) development has a crucial role in preparing pupils for the world of work, helping them to develop the skills and attributes they need to thrive and achieve their full potential. The social and emotional aspects of learning links closely with Jewish Studies and the Jewish ethos through the development of 5 key skills:

Self-awareness: Including being proud of our Jewish Identity

Managing Feelings: Including respect for the Torah laws and traditions

Motivation: Developing self-motivation and engagement in all aspects of learning including JS, Ivrit, PSHE and extra-curricular activities.

Empathy: Including Torah teachings of empathy to our fellow man and other living things

Social Skills: Developed through participation in festivals, assemblies and house activities

At NCJPS, PSHE education, underpins the ethos of our School and is very much a whole School approach, working with all members of the School community and the local authority. PSHE within the School is delivered as a rolling programme through Circles work and assemblies from the Foundation Stage through to Year 6. The curriculum model aims to meet all individual, group and local needs via this multi-agencies approach. To enable this to work, teachers and children are regularly consulted on the content ensuring flexibility in the material covered and that it is up-to-date and relevant. The PSHE programme is reviewed and evaluated to ensure that provision is of the highest quality.

Within our teaching we cover the 3 areas of PSHE:

Health and Wellbeing – Including our Physical, Intellectual, Emotional and Spiritual Well-being

Relationships and Keeping Safe – Including our relationships with Hashem, friends, people in school and the Jewish Community

Living in the Wider World – Including global Judaism and the state of Israel, Multi-culturalism and British Values