PSHE Curriculum Intent

Our over-arching curriculum intent for children from Bovey Tracey Primary School in PSHE:



As healthy, independent and responsible members of society, we would like our children to:

- believe in themselves and realise that anything is possible if they put their mind to it,
- have high aspirations,
- develop empathy,
- deepen spirituality,
- connect with their community,
- have opportunities to learn and practise human virtues,
- instil values such as compassion, hope, faith and forgiveness and
- develop values that challenge individuals beyond the material world.

To achieve this, we will:

- Ensure that SMSC values form an integral part of daily classroom practice.
- Be dedicated to supporting the emotional health and wellbeing of our pupils, families and staff.
- Take part in weekly assemblies which focus on our school values of compassion, high aspirations, excellence and enjoyment, equity, resilience and self-belief.
- Teach a weekly PSHE lesson in each class which focusses on the current PSHE theme
 Relationships, Living in the wider world or Health and wellbeing.
- Ensure children are immersed in exciting and relevant themes within our PSHE spiral curriculum.
- Plan so that all children can access the subject well by providing scaffolding, vocabulary support, extension questions and theories to explore.
- Immerse the children in 'Awareness Days/Weeks' throughout the year.
- Ensure our knowledge of pedagogy enables us to deliver lessons in a variety of ways to increase engagement.
- Directly teach a range of higher-level vocabulary to enrich each child's understanding and ability to communicate.