

SMSC at Henry Moore

At Henry Moore we embed SMSC within our curriculum and within our broader curriculum including clubs and our relationship with the wider community. SMSC stands for:

- Social
- Moral
- Cultural
- Spiritual

Spiritual development

At Henry Moore we support children in reflecting on their own beliefs, religious or otherwise, that inform their perspective on life and their interest in and respect for different people's faiths, feelings and values.

We aim to nurture a sense of enjoyment and fascination in learning about themselves, others and the world around them by developing imagination and creativity learning.

Moral development

At Henry Moore, we model the difference between right and wrong and support children in applying this understanding in their own lives and, in so doing, respect the civil and criminal law of England.

Children are guided to understand the consequences of their behaviour and actions. They develop an understanding and appreciation of the viewpoints of others.

Social development

Cooperating well with others and being able to resolve conflicts effectively are skills built through teamwork, watching this behaviour modelled and the broader curriculum such as cooperative play.

Through acceptance and engagement of the fundamental British values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs; the pupils develop and demonstrate skills and attitudes that will allow them to participate fully in and contribute positively to life in modern Britain.

Cultural development

Children will learn to Understand and appreciate the wide range of cultural influences that have shaped their own heritage and that of others in preparation for life in modern Britain. They will learn about Britain's democratic parliamentary system and its central role in shaping our history and values, and in continuing to develop Britain.

At Henry Moore we aim to foster a willingness to participate in and respond positively to artistic, sporting and cultural opportunities.