

RE

Intent

In line with the current Tower Hamlets Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education, RE at Clara Grant will be delivered following the SACRE guidelines and RE Today. The Tower Hamlets SACRE promotes: RE and Collective Worship; develops the good teaching of Religious Education in schools; and supports community cohesion. At Clara Grant, we believe in providing our children with the opportunity to develop their knowledge and understanding of different religions while also contributing to their spiritual, moral social and cultural development.

Implementation

RE is planned by the teacher to link with key dates and religious festivals where possible. Work is recorded in the children's topic books and can be evidenced with a variety of outcomes suggested on the scheme of work; written work, art, photos.

The syllabus follows a cyclical format to enable children to revisit and build on their prior knowledge of the different beliefs and practices taught. Where possible, cross-curricular links or involvement with parents or other members of the community are made.

Through our RE provision, children learn about citizenship in a multi-faith and multi-racial society through developing understanding of and respect for different beliefs.

At Clara Grant, we hold special assemblies which celebrate the range of cultures and diversity of the school such as Diwali; Chinese New Year, Eid and Christmas.

Impact

Our RE provision ensures children at Clara Grant are educated to develop spiritually, academically, emotionally and morally to enable them to better understand themselves and others. The scheme of work helps to prepare children with the opportunities, challenges and responsibilities of living in a rapidly changing, multicultural world. RE provision at Clara Grant celebrates the diversity of the school community and promotes positive images of people in the wider community, including their beliefs, traditions and culture.

Enrichment

Our enriched curriculum offers pupils a wide range of opportunities to develop their knowledge and understanding of different faiths. RE enrichment activities at Clara Grant include:

- Visits to local places of religious worship
- Links with the local church (e.g. Harvest collection)