SMSC at Sandal Magna Community Academy

At Sandal Magna, we have woven social, moral, spiritual and cultural development across our curriculum and all year groups. In this document, you will find some examples of SMSC across our carefully planned curriculum.

Social Development

- Volunteering litter picks
- Community choir at retirement home
- Local area development Hepworth/ Sewell
- Fundraising projects as part of school life and Sandal Magna promise (Y6)
- Mixing with a variety of staff and pupils from a wide range of backgrounds



Moral development

- Planned out assemblies that align with our RSHE curriculum
- Carefully planned wider curriculum areas which develop concepts such as 'consequence' in history (The Great Fire of London and Crime and Punishment
- All staff trained in trauma informed practice
- Staff use a restorative approach when dealing with behaviour
- Children discuss a wide range of global and topical issues by having daily access to Newsround, Picture News and First News



Spiritual development

- Promote all religious beliefs
- Assemblies are used to discuss a variety of religious celebrations and important figures. This promotes children to ask questions and gain understanding from people who hold different views
- RE and RSHE lessons share a variety of views and develop tolerance.

Cultural development

- Representation in our curriculum
- Celebrate and embrace our differences as well as our similarities (Smeds and Smoos/ Same but different too)
- Assemblies are used to promote discussion and the identification of British Values, which are then further developed in class.
- RSHE lessons identified local risks and then try to guide children to avoid those.
- Careers advise without bias Jobs and careers information woven into our curriculum