

# Moss Side Primary School Policy

## RE Curriculum



### R.E. Policy

The aim for RE is "To support pupils' personal search for meaning by engaging enquiry into the question 'what is it to be human?' – exploring answers offered by religion and belief."

The Authority has agreed that the Lancashire and Blackpool Scheme of Work is the legal basis for RE and we will follow their agreed syllabus.

There are two attainment targets:

At1 – Learning *about* Religion and Belief

At2 – Learning *from* Religion and Belief

The Lancashire Field of Enquiry for RE lies at the heart of the syllabus. The central question is "What does it mean to be human?"

Children will try to answer this by exploring:

Shared human experiences;

Beliefs and values:

Living religious tradition:

The search for personal meaning.

Christianity, Islam and Hindu dharma will be covered each year, progressively building on the previous year's work. We will also cover other religions through assemblies and special weeks to give our children as wide an insight as possible into world religions.

It has been decided that in our two mixed classes we will cover the Year 1 R.E. syllabus but that it will be covered in different ways in each class so they are not doing the same work twice.

We also feel that should any parent want to withdraw their child from our R.E. teaching they should first have a meeting with us so that we can explain our R.E. policy.

We will have to review and assess the manageability of covering all the new R.E. curriculum alongside the rest of the curriculum we teach at Moss Side. We will also review the effectiveness of our teaching against the expected level of attainment for each year which is stated in the progression grids.