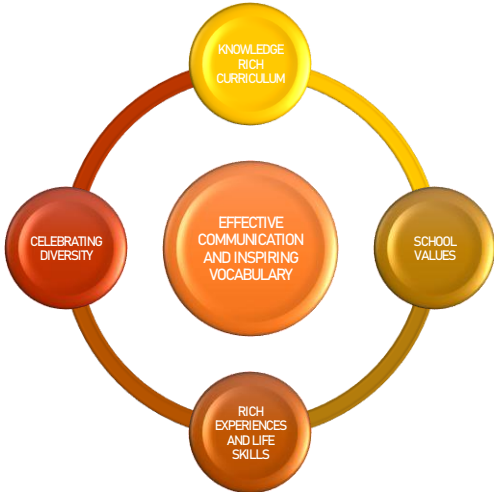


Intent: At Asmall, our personal, social, health and economic education (PSHE) and Relationships, Health Education programme promotes children's personal, social and economic development, as well as their health and wellbeing. It provides information about keeping healthy and safe, emotionally and physically; encourages our children to understand how all actions have consequences and how they can make informed choices to help themselves, others and the environment. We believe that PSHE helps to give pupils the knowledge, skills and understanding they need to lead confident, healthy, independent lives, in order to become informed, active and responsible citizens.

PSHE 	Effective Communication and Inspiring Vocabulary We recognise that oracy is a powerful tool for learning and teach our children to become effective speakers and listeners to empower them to better understand themselves, each other and the world around them. Throughout the curriculum we have created opportunities for the children to demonstrate and apply their oracy skills. Taking part in the Social Impact Award is one example where they can take action and use their voices to have a positive impact on the world. We teach subject-specific vocabulary for children to learn and apply during our lessons. Subject specific vocabulary is referred to throughout lessons. Children are given opportunities coherently articulate knowledge, skills and understanding by using explicit subject specific vocabulary in appropriate situations. Reading is used throughout our curriculum when appropriate to the unit being taught.	Knowledge Rich Curriculum Through 'WOW' moments, experiences and weekly teaching, we encourage our children to play a positive role in contributing to the life of the school, considering their own responsibilities, rights and duties as individuals and members of the wider community. In so doing, we help develop their sense of self-worth and they learn to appreciate what it means to be a positive member of a community, inspiring them to be the very best version of themselves. We believe our PSHE curriculum lays the foundations that allow our pupils to reach the highest of aspirations, equipped with the knowledge and understanding to do so. Our curriculum is well thought out, progressive and sequenced to enable our children to thrive as individuals, family members and members of society.
School Values Our values of Resilience, Positivity, Caring, Kind, Happy, Respectful and Confident underpin our approach to PSHE. Our Values are referred to throughout PSHE lessons and assemblies to ensure teachers are developing pupils understanding of how these values can be lived out in our day to day lives. The Social Impact Award allows the children to bring their values to life through carrying out social actions such as volunteering, fundraising and raising awareness. Our school is committed to using our values by placing social action and charity work at the heart of our education. Our Oracy Framework enables us to support our children to live out our values by being effective communicators so that they can use their voice for success in school and life, making for a fairer, more equitable society where all voices are valued and heard. At Asmall, we teach PSHE through the scheme 1decision, which is adapted for individual classes, focusing on their current needs.	Celebrating Diversity Our PSHE curriculum spans the globe, covering a range of cultures; exploring diversity and celebrating our differences. Our social impact assemblies and whole school events allow us to discuss relevant and important topics including LGBTQ+, Gender Equality. Children are given opportunities to learn about life in different cultures and countries; those who are less fortunate and those who face discrimination or have fought for a rightful cause of equality. At Asmall, children's wellbeing, happiness and safety are our priority; therefore, teaching & learning is sensitive to individual needs and supports children's self-esteem through inclusivity. Our PSHE Curriculum explicitly teaches the need for a society that celebrates diversity and promotes equality. We encourage children to develop the skills of listening, empathy, talking about feelings and relationships with families and friends.	Rich Experiences and Life skills Our broad curriculum allows children opportunities to become independent and responsible members of society. Our pupils experience life outside of their own locality and develop an understanding of the diverse world in which we live. Through a combination of weekly lessons, assemblies and theme weeks/ days, our pupils develop an understanding of life in the wider world; how they can become responsible and active citizens and the responsibilities they will face as they move towards adult life. During lessons our pupils discuss and explore a wide range of topics from challenges we may face, violence, diversity and personal relationships, allowing pupils time to consider the choices we may face and how to approach them. Pupils will learn about economic well-being; health lifestyles and how we have a responsibility to care for our environment. Our safeguarding and PSHE curriculum run hand in hand. Key understanding of keeping safe, from responding to an emergency, to e-safety and healthy relationships are taught throughout the curriculum. We have established key roles and responsibilities within school for our pupils to thrive including school council and Year 6 buddies.