Great Chart Primary School Equality Scheme Action Plan 2025-26

| Objective/ Target | Activity | By When | By Whom | Success Criteria |
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| Review Disability | Review scheme at staff meetings and | November | HT/DHT | Disability Equality Scheme reviewed by |
| Equality Scheme | Governors Personnel | each year | | stakeholders indicated |
| Awareness of Diversity | Member of staff responsible for this area in | Annually | All staff | Staff awareness of diversity and equality |
| and Equality for all staff | school- subject leaders | review | | reinforced. Curriculum reflects diversity. |
| To identify children | At least one visit per child to settings providing | May 2025 | EYFS | Staff are fully prepared for new intake to prepare |
| allocated to EYFS for | pre-school provision More than one visit for | | Leader | for a smooth transition. |
| the next academic year | children identified as needing. | | | |
| who need provision | Liaison with pre school and nurseries and | | | |
| made | outside agencies and parents where relevant. | | | |
| To establish and | Parent of children with who need support and a | 3 times a | Class | Parents of children with special education needs |
| maintain close liaison | provision plan are invited to review the plan | year | teacher/ | feel involved in supporting their child. Their child |
| with parents | with the class teacher and/or SENCO/ | | Inclusion | makes good progress and can access the full |
| | Assistant SENCO | | team | curriculum. |
| To establish and | Time allowed for SENCO and other staff to | Ongoing | Inclusion | Staff attend relevant meetings to ensure the |
| maintain close liaison | attend network opportunities | | team | school is meeting the needs of the pupils with |
| with outside agencies | Time allowed for staff to attend relevant | | class | SEND |
| for pupils with | meetings /training. | | teacher | |
| additional needs | | | | |
| To include pupils with a | Early planning and risk assessments for regular | Ongoing | Inclusion | All pupils are accessing and experiencing the |
| disability, medical | trips, to meet identified needs of cohorts who | | team and | opportunities available |
| condition or other | are in the school | | class | |
| access needs as fully | Ensure each new venue is vetted for | | teacher | |
| as possible in the wider | appropriateness. Adult supervision is | | | |
| curriculum including | appropriate for needs of children. | | | |
| trips and residential visits | | | | |
| | Early planning and risk assocsments for regular | Ongoing | Inclusion | All pupils are accessing and experiencing the |
| To include pupils with a disability, medical | Early planning and risk assessments for regular trips, to meet identified needs of cohorts who | Ongoing | team and | All pupils are accessing and experiencing the opportunities available. |
| condition or other | are in the school. | | class | opporturnities available. |
| access needs as fully | | | teacher | |
| as possible in | | | | |
| extracurricular provision | | | | |
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| To regularly review the curriculum and teaching plans to ensure children have access to all opportunities and their needs are being met | Termly planning meetings to review curriculum plans. Differentiation and relevant visual support provided to aid access to learning. | Termly | Class teachers and subject leaders | All pupils are accessing and experiencing the opportunities available. |
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| Ensure there is a comprehensive CPD programme which includes development of knowledge and sharing of information for staff on meeting specific identified needs | Annual training cycle that includes SEND and specific training as identified. | Annually | All staff | There has been access to learning opportunities for staff who are designing curriculum areas, where pupils at the school have an identified need. The learning from these opportunities is shared with colleagues to promote awareness for all relevant staff. |
| Use ICT software to support learning | During PPM meetings staff discuss strategies to aid learning eg use of chrome books, Communicate in Print etc. | Termly | SLT Class teacher Inclusion team | Wider use of SEN resources in classrooms to support pupils |
| Analysis of Standards | Track pupil progress of pupils with a disability | Term 2, 4 and 6 | Phase Leaders/ Class teachers/ Inclusion Team | Pupils tracked to ensure they progress as expected |
| Ensure information is gathered regarding pupils joining the school | Review existing application forms to ensure information is recorded regarding disabilities. Record this information centrally on the MIS | Ongoing | Business Administrati on Manager | School holds records of pupils with disabilities. Procedures are reviewed to assist these pupils. Health Care Plans formulated if necessary |
| Ensure information is gathered regarding all staff including those under a different contract | Review existing application forms to ensure information is recorded regarding disabilities. Record this information centrally on the MIS | Ongoing | Business Administrati on Manager | School holds records of staff with disabilities. Procedures are reviewed to assist staff |
| Review information to parents/carers to ensure it is accessible. | Provide information/ letters/emails in clear print in "simple" English. School office and the FLO will support and help parents to access information and complete school forms | Ongoing | Office staff FLO | All parents receive information in a form that they can access All parents understand what are the headlines of the school information |

| Provide information in other languages for pupils or prospective pupils | Access to translators. Interpreters to be considered and offered if possible where necessary | Ongoing | Office staff | Pupils and/or parents feel supported and included |
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| Ensure hearing and visual environment in classrooms is regularly monitored to support hearing impaired and visually impaired children | Seek support from LA HI and VI advisory teachers when necessary | | Inclusion Team | All children have access to the appropriate environment |
| Ensure access to reception area for all | Maintain entrance area for wheelchair access | | Office staff and site managers | Disabled parents/carers/ visitors feel welcome |
| Ensure disabled toilet facilities meet current regulations | Maintain disabled toilet facilities | | Site Managers | Disabled parents/carers/ visitors feel welcome |
| To ensure disabled parking space is available at all times | Regular notices/ reminders to other parents in newsletters | Ongoing | HT/ DHT | Disabled parking space kept clear |
| To ensure supply staff are aware of disabilities of some pupils | Information to be shared as appropriate with relevant staff. Google doc related to medical issues | Updated each September | DHT | All teachers better informed |
| Ensure colour contrast around the school is maintained for VI | Maintenance programme | | Site Managers | Colour contrast around the whole school is clear for the whole community. |