

SMSC Subject Statement



Subject: Geography

Spiritual

- Geography supports spiritual development by promoting a sense of wonder and fascination with the physical and human world. An understanding of scale is an important aspect of Geography and how small changes in climate can have far reaching consequences.

Moral

- Geography supports moral development by looking at a range of moral issues such how the development of cities have put pressure on wildlife. We cover moral issues of an ever increasing population and the different approaches taken by countries to tackle the problem. We explore issues of poverty and the moral dilemma of importing food and the consequences of it on global warming.

Social

- Geography supports social development because social issues are common themes within geography. Pupils discuss issues such as global warming with an emphasis on how they can make a difference by making small changes to their lifestyles.

Cultural

- Geography supports cultural development by helping pupils to understanding different cultures. Through geography, pupils look at how different cultures and beliefs can impact on the environment and human issues. Pupils look at different places and are introduced to their customs and traditions allowing pupils to develop their humility and an understanding of the world as a global community.