**Accessibility Action Plan 2022 - 2025**

**Aim 1:** To increase the extent to which disabled pupils can participate in the school curriculum. Our key objective is to reduce and eliminate barriers to access to the curriculum and to ensure full participation in the school community for pupils, and prospective pupils, with a disability, medical condition or other access needs. Provision may include: Liaison with specialists, CPD for staff, a differentiated curriculum, specialist resources to support learning and access to the curriculum, a range of support staff including trained teaching assistants and access arrangements in place for statutory testing.

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| Targets | Strategies | Timescale | Responsibilities | Success Criteria |
| To liaise with pre-school providers to prepare for the new intake of children into Foundation each year | To identify pupils who may need adapted or additional provision | May to July annually | HT EYFS Leader and teachers | Provision set in place ready for when the child/ren start school |
| To liaise with educational establishments to prepare for the intake of new children who transfer within year | To identify pupils who may need adapted or additional provision  | Ongoing as need arises | HT & Deputy/SENCo | Provision set in place ready for when the child/ren start school |
| To review policies to ensure that they reflect inclusive practice and procedure eg Transgender Policy | To comply with the Equality Act 2010 | Ongoing | SLT & Governors | All policies clearly reflect inclusive practice and procedure |
| To establish and maintain close liaison with parents | To ensure collaboration and information sharing between school and families. | Ongoing | SLT and all teaching staff | Clear collaborative working approaches through regular meetings, risk assessment reviews, provision reviews and action planning |
| To establish and maintain close liaison with outside agencies for pupils with additional needs | To ensure collaboration between all key personnel. | Ongoing | SLT/SENCo, all teaching staff and outside professionals | Clear collaborative working approaches through regular meetings, risk assessment reviews, provision reviews and action planning |
| To include pupils with a disability, medical condition or other access needs as fully as possible in the wider curriculum including trips and residential visits as well as extracurricular provision | Create personalised risk assessments and access plans for individual children. Liaise with external agencies, identifying training needs and implementing training where needed. Ensure that actions, including emergency evacuation procedures, are clear and that staff are capable of carrying them out. | Ongoing | SLT, SENCo and all teaching staff, extracurricular service providers and educational visits settings | Evidence that appropriate considerations and reasonable adjustments have been made |

**Aim 2:** To improve the physical environment of the school to increase the extent to which pupils with a disability, medical condition or other access needs can access education and associated services.

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| Improve the physical school environment | The school will take account the needs of pupils with physical difficulties and sensory impairments when planning and undertaking future improvements and refurbishments of the site and premises, such as improved access, lighting and colour schemes, clear signage and more accessible facilities and fittings. | Ongoing | SLT, site manager and governors | Evidence that appropriate considerations have been made wherever physical school improvements are carried out. |
| Ensure that reasonable adjustments are made for pupils with a disability, medical condition or other access needs | Create personalised risk assessments and access plans for individual pupils. Liaise with external agencies, identifying training needs and implementing training where needed. Ensure that actions, including emergency evacuation procedures, are clear and that staff are capable of carrying them out. | Ongoing | SLT, SENCo, all teaching staff and site manager | As full as possible inclusion for all pupils. Safe evacuation in an emergency. |

**Aim 3:** Improve the delivery of information to pupils, staff, parents/carers and other members of the school community

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| To enable improved access to written information for pupils, parents and visitors. | Create and offer information in alternative formats Access arrangements are considered and put into place for statutory testing | Ongoing | SLT, teachers, admin team and SENCo | Evidence that appropriate considerations and reasonable adjustments have been made |
| Ensure that reasonable adjustments are made for parents with a disability, medical condition or other access needs so as they can fully support their child’s education | Adopt a proactive approach to identifying the access requirements of parents and make reasonable adjustments where possible | Ongoing | Whole school team | Evidence that appropriate considerations and reasonable adjustments have been made, so that parents can fully support their children in their education. |