Rights and Diversity Education (RADE) e-newsletter Summer 2020

Dear colleagues

I hope this bulletin finds you well and managing to cope in these stressful times!

In light of the recent shocking events in Minneapolis and the ensuing outcry across the globe, we would like to remind you of the support and advice available from the RADE Centre to enable you to pro-actively address some of the issues this has raised with your staff and pupils.

We have a multitude of resources at the Centre that address race equality and diversity and enable you to embed these perspectives across all aspects of the ethos, environment and curriculum in your schools. See below for some examples.

I am available to provide whole-staff training (including Governors) to support and develop good practice in delivering diversity and equality education.

'It was a great session. One of the best training sessions I’ve had to do with school including insets in my own setting. By far the best governor course!’ South Wonston Governor

The new Hampshire Toolkit for challenging and responding to Prejudicial behaviours is available to download here: https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/hias/teaching-learning/rights-respecting-education/toolkit-language-behaviour

Password available from rade.centre@hants.gov.uk

The Toolkit includes a new comprehensive recording form, a pupil survey and a leaflet for parents and the wider community.

The Equality and Rights Advocates (EARA) group has expanded to include primary pupils, offering them the opportunity to become involved in advocating across their school communities to challenge discrimination and promote Equality. The primary group presented at the Virtual School conference earlier this year and were very well received. We are always open to new members, both primary and secondary. See link below for more information: https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/hias/teaching-learning/rights-respecting-education/equality-rights-advocates

For more information regarding any of the above please email: Minnie.moore@hants.gov.uk
Resources: new and recommended

KS3  Cooper, Yvette - *She Speaks: the power of women's voices*
     Heuchan, Claire - *What is Race? What are Racists? Why does skin colour matter?*
     Jewell, Tiffany - *This book is Anti-Racist*

KS2  Blundle, Harriet - *Racism: world issues*
     Li, Amanda - *Rise Up: ordinary kids with extraordinary stories*
     Moss, Caroline - *Blast off into space with Mae Jemison*
     Spilsbury, Louise - *Racism & Intolerance*
     Sirdeshpande, Rashmi - *How to be extraordinary: 15 true stories of incredible humans*

KS1  Ganeri, Anita - *Racism*
     Johnson, Chelsea - *Intersection Allies*
     Leonard, M.G. - *Tale of a Toothbrush: a story of plastic in our oceans*

FS   Bonker, Ashok - *I am Brown*
     Coelho, Joseph - *No longer Alone*
     Manushkin, Fran - *Happy in our Skin*

Resources for sale

*TEACHING ABOUT RACISM IN OUR SCHOOLS: COMING UNSTUCK*

*Coming Unstuck* is intended to be challenging for teachers and pupils alike. The concepts and activities set standards for good practice in personal, social and health education/citizenship. Strategies for emotional engagement are integrated with activities for analysis, questioning and creativity. Elements of the whole pack will also be useful to teachers as they look at the Rights of the child (UNCRC) in their curriculum development.

An engaging and stimulating teaching resource to challenge and explore negative perceptions and prejudice.

Available to purchase from the Rights and Diversity Education (RADE) Centre. Price £30 to subscribing schools, £65.00 non-subscribing.


For more information on resources please contact: rade.centre@hants.gov.uk

All the best,
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