Appendix 14

Our P6&7 pupils have been trained in peer mediation to become Playground PALS. They have regular check ins with our pupils in the playground and ensure everyone is included by playing games and chatting on the buddy bench.



Pupil Leadership Groups- Planning Sheet 2024/2025

Group Name: Playground PALS Teacher: Miss Mackenzie



Term 1 Targets

- Begin Peer Mediation training using the AGREE model.
 - 'A' is for ask to mediate. The children must want to discuss
 - 'G' is for gathering information. We will listen carefully to understand the
 - 'R' is for repeat back the main points. This helps us check we have listened
 - 'E' is for evaluate the options. We will provide options on what you can do to
 - 'E' is for examine the situation. We will keep an eye on these people after the discussion and check in on them.

Term 2 Targets

- Create a bank of age-appropriate games to use within the infant playgrounds
- Update the school during assembly of who we are, what we do and how to spot us in the playground.
- Launch our Playground PALS programme.

Term 3 Targets

- Children's Mental Health Focus (Week beginning 3rd February). Provide opportunities for informal chats with the Playground PALS through the 'Talking Table' in P2-3 playground.
- Create 'Talking Table' question cue cards to engage pupils in conversations about them personally, the playground, friendships and feelings.

Term 4 Targets

- Incorporate playground equipment into Playground PALS games.
- Playground PALS stickers for P1-3 (playtime and lunchtime). Pupils choose one person from each class that was playing nicely with others.
- Evaluate the Playground PALS programme for 2024/2025. Give suggestions to improve the programme for the future.



Agree to mediate.

Gather information.

Repeat back points of view.

Evaluate options.

Examine the situation.





