

Merridale Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Religious Education (RE) at Merridale

RE (Religious Education) is an important part of the curriculum at Merridale. Children learn about a wide range of faiths which enables them to understand the lives, experiences, cultures and beliefs of others. We believe that RE plays an important role in demonstrating our school values: Respect, Resilience, Kindness, Aspiration, Curiosity and Creativity.

To improve RE at Merridale, we would like to increase the number of visits to places of worship and visitors to the school and we are hoping that you (parents, carers and family members) can help us.

Do you know who we could contact to arrange a school visit at any of the following local places of worship?

- Gurdwara
- Mandir
- Mosque
- Buddhist temple

Would any parents be willing to come into school, either as part of an RE lesson, or during one of our many celebration days to talk about their religion?

Do you know faith leader who would be willing to come and lead a school assembly?

If you do, please contact the school office or e-mail office@merridaleprimary.co.uk

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Towle Headteacher