

TAMAT Equality Statement

Our mission is to provide outstanding education for all children in both Church and secular schools of TAMAT. In everything we do we will work towards excellence for our schools and children.

As TAMAT we are totally committed to treating everyone with dignity and respect. The Equality Act 2010 prohibits direct and indirect discrimination, harassment, and victimisation of people on the grounds of protected characteristics which are:

- Disability
- gender
- gender reassignment
- pregnancy and maternity
- race
- religion or belief
- sex and sexual orientation
- age

The Equality Act requires us to have due regard for the need to:

- Tackle prejudice
- Promote understanding
- Foster good relations from people from different equality groups

This is called Public Sector Equality Duty, its purpose is to promote equality for all.

This means that as TAMAT Academy Trust we must consciously think about these three aims as part of our decision-making processes and pay due regard to equality issues within all our Key Policies, planning and performance management.

We will ensure that every pupil irrespective of race, disability, gender, religion and belief or sexual orientation is able to achieve high standards and that strategies are in place to tackle under achievement.

Please refer to our Policies for further information.

We will ensure that every pupil has access to the necessary teaching and support required to enable them to achieve their highest potential.

We will ensure that the school's procedures for disciplining pupils and managing behaviour are fair, effective, and equitable. All TAMAT schools have a copy of the Behaviour Policy on their website, for further information please select the link of the relevant school to see the policy.

Where appropriate, we will ensure that adults working or volunteering in the school are from diverse groups. We believe that this provides good role models for our pupils.

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