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Purbrook Park School

Accessibility Plan

2023-2026

Introduction

1. Purbrook Park is an inclusive school community, in which we nurture everyone, to create a whole school environment conducive to maximising an individual's learning and achievement.
2. It is the responsibility of all stakeholders to ensure that we treat everyone in our school fairly and with respect, in accordance with the Equality Act 2010.
3. The Equality Act 2010 defines disability as "a physical or mental impairment that has a 'substantial' and 'long-term' negative effect on your ability to do normal daily activities".
4. Our Access Plan, read in conjunction with our Access Self-Audit and School Improvement Plan, sets out how we will improve accessibility for all.

Objectives for 2023-26

1	Provide information for disabled visitors on web site such as accessible parking, toilet, Induction loop.
2	Place signage at the front car park indicating where the disabled bay is.
3	Improve signage to make it easier for new pupils and visitors to find their way around the school.
4	Insert a strategy in the Fire Management Procedure for assisting disabled visitors/pupils to evacuate.
5	Provide escape for wheelchair users from the hall in a fire or an emergency.
6	Repaint front car park disabled bay.

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ACTION	TIMESCALE	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	BUDGET/RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS	MONITORING (WHO BY AND HOW OFTEN)	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RAG
1: Provide information for disabled visitors on web site such as accessible parking, toilet, Induction loop.	End of Spring 2024	Headteacher	Site Manager to provide Web Manager with relevant information.	Business Manager/Site Manager – Half termly.	Approved by Governing Body and published on School Website.	
2: Place signage at the front car park indicating where the disabled bay is.	End of Spring 2024	Site Manager	Site Manager to source sign (Approx. £50).	Business Manager/Site Manager – Half termly.	Signage has been displayed.	
3: Improve signage to make it easier for new pupils and visitors to find their way around the school.	End of Summer Holiday 2024	Site Manager	Site Manager to research, plan, purchase and resolve. Site Manager to keep PFO informed at each stage.	Business Manager/Site Manager – Half termly.	Signage has been displayed.	
4: Insert a strategy in the Fire Management Procedure for assisting disabled visitors/pupils to evacuate.	End of Winter. 2023/24	Site Manager	No budget implications, time provided by Site Manager.	Business Manager – Half termly.	Approved by Governing Body and published on School Website.	
5: Provide escape for wheelchair users from the hall in a fire or an emergency.	End of Winter 2023/24	Business Manager/Site Manager	Escape method to be purchased by Site Manager and placed in hall.	Business Manager/Site Manager – Half termly.	Approved escape method placed in hall.	
6: Repaint front car park disabled bay.	End of Spring 2024	Site Manager	Paint already in storage. To be completed by Site Manager.	Business Manager/Site Manager – Half termly.	Road Sign Repainted	