



Riverside Meadows
Academy

Setting up our
LGBTQ+ Club

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Our Vision: A safe place for LGBTQ+ young people, a campaigning group to raise LGBT awareness and tackle homophobia, a straight/gay alliance, a place to learn more about LGBT and gender issues and just have fun with activities and chatting together ...

Why have we set up our Club?

Our school has become gained the Rainbow Flag Award and we saw this as an opportunity to challenge homophobic language that can be heard within the school.

Through our LGBTQ+ Ambassador and the School Council we decided to set up a club where learners who identify as LGBTQ+, and allies, have time to meet, discuss issues and be accepted.

The SLT in school actively promoting inclusion and acceptance across the school.

We hope it will also give learners a chance to display leadership skills and present information to the school.

Short Term aims...

- To have a recognised club name – Kaleidoscope and to be represented on School Council
- To deliver assemblies and present our club to the whole school
 - Staff to become part of our club
 - To hold regular meetings in school
 - To put have a diary of possible events
- To create posters, newsletters and displays in school
- To communicate with parents/governors about our aims

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Our long term aims ...

- To keep our club active and if possible increase numbers to join in the discussion, fun and education
- To campaign within in the school to ensure we are a truly inclusive atmosphere
 - To hold a whole school event and ensure we celebrate LGBT History Month
- To increase tolerance and understanding across the school
- To ensure that LGBTQ+ is seen in the curriculum

THANK YOU

