WIRE AWARD

Widening Inclusivity in Religious Education

WHAT IS WIRE?

Recognises inclusive RE provision in schools.

Guides schools towards broader community engagement.

Encourages global citizenship and understanding.

Promotes high-quality, meaningful RE.

The WIRE Award seeks to **encourage and support diversity** and **good practice in Religious Education**. Be recognised for your commitment to inclusivity and better RE. This is done through three key areas (visits, CPD and enrichment). The WIRE Award recognises and celebrates schools that demonstrate a commitment to promoting diversity in Religious Education.

AWARD LEVELS

Bronze Level
Start your journey.

Silver Level
Build your practice.

Gold Level
Share & lead excellence.

HOW TO ACHIEVE

Visits/Visitors

The visit or visitor needs to be to a place, or from a person, who represents a worldview which is different from your school community.

Bronze: Invite one or more **visitor** from a religious or non-religious worldview community into school.

Based on the visit, pupils complete work which links to curriculum learning topics.

Silver: Take pupils to visit one or more **places of worship**.

Based on the visit, pupils complete work which links to curriculum learning topics.

Gold: Take pupils to visit more than one **place of worship**.

Based on the visit, pupils complete work which links to curriculum learning topics.

Pupils present their responses to a wider audience.

CPD

Bronze: RE lead attends training event (CPD).

Silver: RE lead attends a training event (CPD).

Teachers include a plan or examples of pupil's work to show how they have used/implemented something they have learnt into their teaching/school curriculum.

Gold: RE lead attends a training event (CPD).

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Sharing this new knowledge with teaching staff in their own school or more widely e.g. leading a staff meeting or a local network group.

Enrichment

Bronze: Organise a school based event - entering a competition or putting on an event e.g. participating in online Interfaith day, spirited arts or sharing learning/visits with parents.

Silver: Organise a school based event - entering a competition or putting on an event e.g. participating in online Interfaith day, spirited arts or sharing learning/visits with parents.

Based on the enrichment event, pupils complete work which links to curriculum learning topics.

Gold: Organise a school based event - entering a competition or putting on an event e.g. participating in online Interfaith day, spirited arts or sharing learning/visits with parents.

Based on the enrichment event, pupils complete work which links to curriculum learning topics.

Pupils and/or staff share their reflective learning with a wider audience e.g. parents, SLT, SACRE, or others.

HOW TO TAKE PART

Visit your local SACRE's website for the evidence form and to apply:

B&NES Bristol South Gloucestershire Swindon

SACREs in some areas are also able to offer **grants** to support your transport costs.