

# **PERSONAL & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

## **Syllabus for Primary Schools**

# **YEAR 2**

# **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

**for**

**YEAR 2**

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**PROGRAMME**

**for**

**YEAR 2**

## 2.1 Group Building:

Learning Outcomes	Notes
<b>2.1.1 Getting To Know Each Other</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To help children to get to know each other's better</li><li>• To help children to get acquainted with their teacher.</li><li>• To help children to learn about each other's favourite things.</li></ul>
<b>2.1.2 Taking Care Of School Environment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To foster in children a sense of belonging to the school.</li><li>• To increase children' awareness of the importance of taking care of their school environment.</li><li>• To teach children how to take care of things shared with others, even the environment.</li></ul>
<b>2.1.3 Taking Care Of Each Other</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To help children reinforce the importance of respecting others.</li><li>• To become aware that with words and actions they can easily hurt others.</li><li>• To help children appreciate the importance of and to further develop, skills for caring for others.</li></ul>
<b>2.1.4. Ground Rules. Who Is In Charge?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To help children consider the importance of having and respecting rules.</li><li>• To help children come up with ideas of what they need to do to take care of their classmates so that every member enjoys the lesson.</li><li>• To help children develop ways for keeping these rules.</li><li>• To develop the concept of respecting each other.</li></ul>

## 2.2 Myself:

Learning Outcomes	Notes
2.2.1 This Is Me	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To identify my likes and dislikes and to share them with others.</li><li>• To recognise that different people like to do different things.</li></ul>
2.2.2 How I Feel!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To be able to distinguish and name more feelings.</li><li>• To be able to identify how certain situations, and places make me feel.</li></ul>
2.2.3 It's Good To Be Me	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To create an awareness of the My special qualities.</li><li>• To appreciate the importance of these qualities.</li><li>• To acknowledge the special qualities of others.</li></ul>
2.2.4 Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To foster in children the importance of sharing what they think with others.</li><li>• To make children aware that different people have different ideas.</li><li>• To emphasise the importance of listening to these ideas..</li></ul>

## 2.3 Relationships:

Learning Outcomes	Notes
2.3.1 Getting Along With People Around Me	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To learn to share one’s opinion in a constructive way.</li><li>• To learn and practice listening skills.</li><li>• To explore how good listening helps maintain friendships.</li></ul>
2.3.2 Friends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To define friendship and explore what makes a good friend.</li><li>• To be aware of the importance of responsibility in friendship.</li></ul>
2.3.3 Trust	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To identify what qualities make a person trustworthy.</li><li>• To become aware of the importance of telling the truth in gaining other people’s trust.</li></ul>
2.3.4 Sharing And Ownership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To understand the importance of being responsible for their belongings.</li><li>• To identify the importance of sharing with trustworthy people and keeping track of their things.</li><li>• To be aware of how to deal with losing valuable belongings.</li></ul>
2.3.5 Bullying	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To be aware that teasing and name calling constitutes bullying.</li><li>• To be aware of methods of dealing with bullying. For example, how to seek help.</li><li>• To recognise the importance of being assertive in tackling bullying.</li></ul>
2.3.6 My Special People	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To recognise that people are special for different reasons.</li><li>• To recognise that the special people in their lives are often part of the groups they belong to.</li></ul>

2.3.7 People Who Take Care Of Me	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To be aware of the different families that there are.</li><li>• To increase my understanding of the roles other family members have.</li></ul>
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2.3.8 People Who Help Me	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To explore different types of love between family members</li><li>• To be aware that my carers should be the people who love and care for me.</li><li>• To understand the importance of opening up to the people who care for me.</li></ul>
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## 2.4 Health And Safety:

Learning Outcomes	Notes
2.4.1 Safe People, Safe Places	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To identify what makes a place or person safe.</li><li>• To recognise that some places and people may be dangerous.</li><li>• To recognise that there are different types of dangers, including people.</li><li>• To recognise how they can keep themselves safe.</li></ul>
2.4.2 My Body	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To introduce the importance of taking care of self.</li><li>• To begin to explore the importance of hygiene.</li><li>• To introduce the concepts of dental hygiene.</li><li>• To introduce the concept of taking care of their hair and skin.</li></ul>
2.4.3 Keeping Myself Safe At Home	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To identify risks children might take if they are unsupervised at home.</li><li>• To make children aware of the consequences of these actions and their effects.</li><li>• To discuss ways of reducing these risks.</li></ul>
2.4.4 Keeping Myself Safe Outside	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To be able to identify dangers during play at school. For example, safe toys.</li><li>• To be aware that actions/risks during play can be very dangerous to them and others.</li><li>• To help children develop skills for avoiding these dangers, both to themselves and others.</li><li>• For children to identify safe and unsafe places to play outdoors.</li></ul>

## 2.5 Closure:

Learning Outcomes	Notes
2.5.1 This Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To explore what was special about this last year.</li><li>• To reflect on the experience of their third year at school.</li></ul>
2.5.2 Evaluation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To consider the changes that one has undergone during the year.</li><li>• To allow one to express ones feelings about this year.</li></ul>
2.5.3 Looking Forward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To allow one to express ones feelings about ending this school year and moving to Year 3.</li></ul>
2.5.4 Goodbye	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To discuss how the children are going to spend the holidays</li><li>• To wrap up the year and create a healthy parting atmosphere.</li></ul>