Zones of Regulation Progression Grid - Whole School



Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3/4	Year 4/5	Year 5/6
	М	inimum learning is highlight	ed Minimum vocabulary is in bold			
Children will be able to	Children will be able to	Children will understand	Children will use Zones	Children will create their	Children will continue to	Children will be able to
identify some feelings	talk about how they are	that the Zones of	of Regulation as a	own Zones of	develop their	explain why we use the
say when they are happy	feeling using words like	Regulation is a pictorial	reference for their own	Regulations resources eg	understanding of how	Zones of Regulation and
or sad	happy, sad, upset, angry,	representation of how	feelings	personal leaflet or class	the way emotions are	how it helps us in school
They may know when	cross, tired, excited	people feel	Children begin to	display	expressed makes other	Children will begin to
others are happy or sad	Chn will be able to	Children will be able to	understand that how we	Chn will understand and	people feel (empathy)	reflect upon their own
They will begin to talk	explain what the	name different emotions	behave may tell another	accept that all emotions	and start to moderate	behaviours and how
about things in life that	different colours	for each zone to include:	person how we are	are valid and are	their own negative	their emotions may be
make people happy and	represent in the Z ones of	Happy, sad, upset ,	feeling	experienced in different	emotions in a way that	<mark>triggered</mark>
sad	Regulation	angry, cross, unhappy,	Chn become aware of	circumstances but it is	does not impact	Children understand that
	Chn will begin to explore	bored, tired, relaxed,	how their behaviour	the way we express	negatively on others	success is more probable
	ways of "getting back to	calm, worried	makes other people feel	emotion that makes it		if they remain in the
	green"	Chn will be able to give	Exhausted, bored,	appropriate or	Chn will understand that	green zone
		examples of how people	proud, calm, relaxed,	<mark>inappropriate</mark>	events can and do	Chn will begin to
		"get back to green"	worried, mean, mad –	Chn will learn to use	change the way they are	understand and use
		Some children will be	plus previous vocab	terms such as relaxed,	feeling and can talk	idioms to express
		able to say what		unsettled, aggitated	about some of these	emotions
		strategies they use to			Out of control,	Content, overwhelmed,
		"get back to green"			confused, thankful,	depressed, anxious,
						elated

NB All planning taken from Zones of Regulation Folder – each year all prior vocab will be revisited to support children who are at a more developmental stage of emotional literacy.

Lessons will be taught in order – teachers to adapt and utilise as appropriate to their age group - but parts may be excluded if they are clearly embedded within children's learning eg vocab of happy/sad and creation of a poster/display.