

Haileybury Turnford Equality Objectives – April 2026 to March 2027

As a public body, Haileybury Turnford must comply with the public sector equality duty (PSED) in the Equality Act 2010 and the Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties and Public Authorities) Regulations 2017. This means that Haileybury Turnford must publish:

- details of how it complies with the public sector equality duty, and must update this every year
- its equality objectives, which must be updated at least once every 4 years

Haileybury Turnford will demonstrate compliance including details of how it is:

- eliminating discrimination
- advancing equality of opportunity – between people who share a protected characteristic and people who do not share it
- consulting and involving those affected by inequality, in the decisions the school takes to promote equality and eliminate discrimination

Under the public sector equality duty, Haileybury Turnford needs to agree and publish objectives. There must be at least one objective. Equality objectives for the period from April 2026 to March 2027 have been set.

1. To foster the strongest possible sense of belonging through eliminating discrimination, harassment and victimisation for all protected characteristics, through the school's policies and procedures.
2. To specifically promote anti-racism and racial harmony amongst the student body. This will involve regular staff anti-racism training throughout the academic year 2026/27, information to students on our zero-tolerance approach to racism in any form, and a rigorous follow up to any incidents, but also positive reinforcement through the curriculum of the achievements and lives of people from different races and nationalities.
3. To specifically analyse racist incidents by ethnic group and to combine this with the existing data on public exam performance and attendance by ethnic group, with a view to seeing whether further action is needed.
4. To specifically promote the principles in the school's Anti-Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia Policy and ensure all staff are confident in promoting equality in relation to sex and gender through staff training which follows DfE statutory guidance on this issue.

A report of performance against our equality targets will be made annually.