



# Bellingham Partnership of Schools Equality objective

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### Published equality information about the context of our school.

#### Equality objective 2025

This is our published information about our school population and the ways in which we work to eliminate differences of outcome and promote equality for groups with protected characteristics. It also explains how we promote good equalities practice and work to eliminate discrimination or inequality. The objectives we have set for the current reporting cycle are based on this context and are at the end of this document.

## The school has data on its composition broken down by year group, SEND, pupil premium, gender and EAL. This is available on request

Bellingham Middle School is in a rural location in the West of the county, North of Hexham.

Children have been recently consulted and involved in defining the school's values of courage, kindness, respect and excellence as principles they choose to live by and embody. Equality principles are key to how we articulate these values in practice.

The school teaches children about their rights, about respect for one another and the wider communities to which they belong. We celebrate individuality and the unique talents and characteristics of each child.

Bellingham is not a culturally diverse area, and it is rare that we have pupils who speak a first language other than English.

#### Equality Objective for 2025

To reduce the attendance gap between SEND and non-SEND students.

If you would like further information on this, please contact the school office.