

Annual Public Lecture 2020

# 'No Outsiders: Developing an inclusive educational ethos'

## Guest Speaker

**Andrew Moffat, MBE**

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Parkfield Community School in  
Birmingham*



'No Outsiders' is a whole school ethos preparing children for life in modern Britain. The ethos teaches children from age four upwards that we are all different in our school but everyone is welcome, no one is left out, no one is an outsider. Using the Equality Act 2010 as a foundation, the approach uses picture books as stimulus to explore diversity and difference and relate to the world outside the school gate. In 2017 Andrew was awarded an MBE for services to Equality and Diversity in Education.

In 2019, protests emerged at Andrew's school against the inclusion of LGBT equality in the 'No Outsiders' curriculum. These protests quickly spread to other schools and No Outsiders became a focus for the debate around Relationship and Sex Education in British schools. At the same time Andrew was listed as a top 10 finalist in the Varkey Foundation Global Teacher Prize; later in the year as a direct result of the protests, Andrew was the recipient of awards from Pink News, Attitude Magazine, the European Diversity Awards and presented with an honorary doctorate from the University of Worcester.

Andrew's school continues to teach No Outsiders and in January 2020 he started a new role as Personal Development Lead for Excelsior Trust. We are delighted to be hosting this lecture in partnership with Loughborough University and thank them for their hospitality.



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