Would you like to become a **School of Sanctuary?**



Meeting at 4.30-5.30pm, Tuesday 24th September

@ Avenue Junior School, Norwich. NR2 3HP

Schools of Sanctuary is a nationwide initiative that encourages schools to commit to being safe and welcoming places for everyone, especially for those seeking sanctuary.

Interested schools can apply to become Schools of Sanctuary. Our award scheme recognises schools that help their pupils make sense of refugee migration and encourages them to take positive action in order to create more welcoming communities.



Our aims are:

- To build understanding of the experiences of displaced people
- To combat stereotypes and misconceptions about refugees and asylum seekers
- To engage with Norfolk's rich history as a place of sanctuary
- To support refugee communities and the organisations that serve them

Norfolk has one of the most active Schools of Sanctuary networks in the country. Since launching in 2017, 12 schools have already been recognised as Schools of Sanctuary and in June 2019, 65 schools took part in Norfolk Welcomes, our day of action in solidarity with refugees. This year we are looking to build upon that and provide more ideas, resources and opportunities for our schools to show that #NorfolkWelcomes refugees.





If you'd like to know more, or to attend the meeting, please contact Jake Rose-Brown at info@norwichschoolsofsanctuary.org or see our website for more information.

