

The Rule of Law

- During our Romans topic, we look at how Roman society was ruled and governed.
- During our Crime and Punishment topic, we look at what is meant by crime and punishment, how crimes are investigated today, what happens when someone commits a crime, how the police force was started, how crime and punishment in Britain has changed over time (from Roman to today) and how crime and punishment is different in other countries.
- In RE, we explore the 10 Commandments as rules to live by both in the past and now.
- During our RE topic Living with Rules, we explore the importance of living within a set of rules is for all of us.

Democracy

- During our Romans topic, we look at the birthday of democracy through how Ancient Rome was governed.
- During our World War II topic, we learn about what is meant by democracy in the modern age and compare this to the autocracy of Adolf Hitler's leadership.
- During our World War II topic, we learn about how the allies fought to protect democracy.

Individual Liberty

- During our World War II topic, and our celebration of Remembrance Sunday, we appreciate our freedoms and the sacrifices made by those who fought in the war to ensure we have our liberty.
- In RE, we look at how Ghandi campaigned for the rights of the untouchables,

Promoting British Values in Year 4



Mutual Respect

- During our World War II topic, we use the book Rose Blanche to introduce us to the idea of religious and cultural intolerance during the period, leading to discussions as to why this is not an acceptable viewpoint.
- Our thought of the week promotes mutual respect, understanding and support.
- Where relevant, our daily news focus is chosen to promote mutual interest, understanding, respect and tolerance and to celebrate diversity.

Value those of different Faith and Beliefs

- Our class charity, Operation Christmas Child, supports children of different faiths across the world who are suffering from war, persecution and displacement.
- Through our study of the Conch Bearer in literacy, we learn about the beliefs and practices of Hindus, and visit a Hindu temple.
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- In Re, we learn about how Hindus express joy through the celebration of Diwali, and learn about the Sikh langar (free kitchen) and Buddhist Four Noble truths.