

Below you will find a variety of examples of how we promote the fundamental British Values in our school. The list is not exhaustive.

**1. Provision that may help pupils develop an understanding of how citizens can influence decision-making through the democratic process;**

Our practice:

- Elected school council
- Pupil voice
- Creating own rules
- Classroom monitors/ jobs
- Prefects
- Buddies
- Team captains
- Teams
- Voting on which charities to support
- Pupil questionnaires
- Working on discussions, debates, balanced arguments etc
- P4C
- Circle time
- Lessons on specific areas eg Scottish Independence, The British Empire, Ancient Greece
- Creating environments which create an atmosphere that cares for others, values all children and their opinions and views

**2. Provision that may help pupils develop an appreciation that living under the rule of law protects individual citizens and is essential for their wellbeing and safety;**

Our practice:

- Our whole school ethos
- Ensure school rules, including safety rules, are understood and consistently applied
- Rewards/Consequences
- Prefects/ buddies
- Opportunities for pupils to distinguish between right and wrong
- Safety Carousel
- Junior Neighbourhood Watch
- First Aid training
- Pupils learning about law makers and the development of English law in history
- Visits from emergency services AND PLANNED TOPICS LINKED TO THE COMMUNITY
- Restorative justice
- E-Safety rules and their importance, including Internet Safety Day
- Bikeability, road safety, Pedestrian training, Mega Motion
- Ownership of class rules
- Magna Carta Topic
- PSHE lessons
- PE-Fair play, rules etc
- Rules and the importance of safety on school trips

**3. Provision that may help pupils develop an understanding that there is a separation of power between the executive and the judiciary, and that while some public bodies such as the police and the army can be held to account through Parliament, others such as the courts, maintain independence;**

Our practice:

- School and class rules
- How laws are made in Britain

- Learning about the monarchy in history
- The Magna Carta
- Role plays/ drama/ debates
- P4C
- The General Election activities
- School council votes, Buddies, Team Captains
- Police, Neighbourhood Watch visits
- Safety Carousel
- Democracy
- Restorative Justice
- Various lessons in topics eg Ancient Greece, Scottish Independence

**4. Provision that may help pupils develop an understanding that the freedom to choose and hold other faiths and beliefs is protected by law; and that an acceptance that other people having different faiths or beliefs to oneself (or having none) should be accepted and tolerated, and should not be the cause of prejudicial or discriminatory behaviour;**

**Our practice:**

- RE
- PSHE/ Circle times
- Stories from other cultures and religions
- Geography- locality studies- looking at similarities/ differences
- P4C/ debates/ discussions
- Celebrating other religious festivals and events from major world faiths eg Diwali, Chinese New Year
- Breadth of themes in Collective worships and assemblies
- Lunches to cater for different needs
- Culture/ RE weeks and mini topics
- Visits to different places of worship and links with faith communities
- Durham Cathedral Leavers' Service
- The Church in our school
- Visits to other countries and other localities in UK eg Anne Frank's House, France, London
- Visitors to our school eg Bishop Of Jarrow, Durham, Sikhs, Hindus

**5. Provision that may help pupils develop an understanding of the importance of identifying and combatting discrimination;**

**Our practice:**

- RE/ School ethos
- PSHE/ Circle times
- Stories from other cultures and religions
- Collective worships and assemblies
- Geography- locality studies- looking at similarities/ differences
- P4C/ debates/ discussions/ balanced arguments
- Biographies of famous human rights campaigners
- Slavery, Apartheid
- Anti- bullying
- E-Safety
- Consistent approach to modelling positive relationships and encouraging children to resolve conflicts fairly
- Supporting charities around the world
- Show Racism the Red Card activities
- "What's in the News?"
- Neighbourhood Watch, Young Carers, Safety Carousel
- Harvest Round the World