

PSHE assembly rota and themes to include in PSHE form sessions on Friday mornings.

Week beginning	Assembly theme/this week's theme	Staff	To include in form time on Friday
September 18 th	Welcome back/our values	MOD	<p>What is a value?</p> <p>What are our school values?</p> <p>What are our class rules? Agree and create a class rules poster</p>
September 25 th	Our school and me – school values: communication, collaboration, motivation	AJ/MB	Recap on school values and create a poster for each using pictures: Communication, collaboration, motivation. Consider the use of video clips to show each of these values in action
October 2 nd	What does it mean to be British?	NW/TS	Key words and points to consider – What are local, council (district/borough/unitary/county), region, county, nationality, Britain, Europe, International) . Show information on where we are compared to the rest of the world. Look at different maps. Use google maps if possible. TA to take notes on student's perception of their place in the world. What links do they have to other parts of the world?
October 9 th	Tolerance – Black history month	RS/DP	What is Black History Month? Why do we not need a white history month? Successful people from ethnic minority groups (from a range of industries e.g. businesses, politics, sports, tv, presenters – try to avoid stereotypes where possible). Examples don't necessarily need to be rich and famous.
October 16 th	What are British values? (tolerance – World mental health day)	DH/RSt	British values – Reflect back on school values. What things do we tolerate? What do we find hard to tolerate? Why do we think this is? What reactions does this sometimes cause? How do we show understanding of other people?
October 30 th	Rule of law – Freedom of expression (including money laundering resources)	MB/AJ	Discuss laws: Criminal and Civil. Impact of the law – positive and negative. Also – do we always know when we are breaking the law? See money laundering resources http://www.actionfraud.police.uk/fraud-az-money-muling https://www.financialfraudaction.org.uk/money-mule-scams.asp

November 6 th	News and current affairs (including Halloween) - local community, respect	MOD	Keeping safe. PSHE topic of personal safety. What to do if we feel unsafe. Road safety, out and about.
November 13 th	Remembrance day – tolerance, compassion	TS/NW	Armistice day - why do we remember. What does 'lest not forget' mean and how is this significant to us in the modern world. Speak about current wars/genocide etc; and how do we show respect and compassion.
November 20 th	Children in need – charity, mutual respect	DP/RS	What is charity and why is it so important. How can we contribute. What charities exist. Form charity challenge?
November 27 th	Faith in action – compassion, motivation	RSt/DH	Looking at how we help others and ourselves. Not just charity but kindness. How do we motivate not just ourselves and others. Can we help to improve our situation by helping others improve theirs. Can talk about team work and team spirit/ethic.
December 4 th	Local, National, International communities - World aids day, individual liberty, Antarctica day	AJ/MB	Where in the world are we? Geography stance on our place in the world and all the communities we are part of. Look at Antarctica and how it is divided. Look at the environment and global issues surrounding this.
December 11 th	The real meaning of Christmas	RS/DP	What can we learn from Christmas? What underlying themes could there be in the Christmas story. Is present giving important? Commercialisation of Christmas. Think of the theme of – Hope

December 18 th	Year 11 assembly – collaboration	NW/TS to oversee	How do we collaborate with one another. How can you be a good team member.
December 18 th	Celebration/achievement assembly	MOD	Look how much we have achieved!

PSHE themes for lesson one 2017-18 (linked to weekly assembly themes nb; the things to be included in the PSHE form time sessions can be used as helpful pointers for staff that are delivering assemblies.