How British Values is Taught in Our School – Design Technology Curriculum

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Democracy	Rule of Law	Individual Liberty	Mutual Respect and Tolerance
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encourages children to work	teaches children about the importance	encourages children to explore their	teaches children about the diverse
collaboratively and share their ideas when	of following rules and regulations when	own interests and ideas, and to express	cultures and traditions that have shaped
designing and making products. For	designing and making products. For	themselves creatively in different ways.	the world of design and technology. For
example, when working on a design brief,	example, when working with tools and	For example, when designing and	example, when studying the design and
children may be encouraged to listen to	equipment, children may be taught	making a product, children may be	technology of different cultures, children
and respect the ideas and opinions of	about the importance of safety and the	encouraged to use their own unique	may learn about the different techniques,
others, and to work together to achieve a	need to follow specific instructions.	personality and individuality in the	materials, and styles that are unique to
shared vision. Teachers can facilitate this	Teachers can reinforce this value by	design process. Teachers can promote	each culture. Teachers can encourage this
by encouraging open communication	helping children to understand the	this value by giving children the	value by promoting understanding and
and providing opportunities for children	importance of rules and regulations, and	freedom to express themselves in	empathy for different cultures and
to participate in decision-making.	encouraging them to take responsibility	different ways, and by encouraging	beliefs, and by challenging stereotypes
	for their own actions.	them to explore their own interests and	and prejudices.
		passions.	The Design Technology Curriculum
			provides opportunities for children to
			learn about different religious and
			cultural traditions through the products
			they design and make. For example,
			when designing and making a product
			for a cultural celebration, children may
			learn about the traditions and beliefs
			associated with that celebration. Teachers
			can promote this value by providing
			opportunities for children to learn about
			different religious and cultural traditions
			through their design work, and by
			encouraging respect and tolerance for
			diversity. They can also ensure that their
			teaching is inclusive and respectful of all
			students, regardless of their backgrounds
			or beliefs.