

British Values at Saxon Wood



We encourage and foster British values by:

- *Encouraging children to make choices turn take and have a say in their lessons and tasks.*
- *Encouraging children to communicate and share ideas.*
- *Encouraging an ethos based on friendship, tolerance and respect for all children and staff.*
- *Using lessons, assemblies and everyday interactions with children and staff to model and cultivate British values.*

Democracy

- through School Council nominations
- having a say in class activities
- turn taking
- listening to others views

The rule of law

- through the school's ethos (mission statement).
- we emphasise positive behaviour and conduct for all children and staff
- we set high expectations for behaviour and respect
- we teach the differences between right and wrong

Individual liberty

- through respecting pupils and staff views and opinions, listening to them and encouraging friendship
- co-operation and sharing
- understanding that everyone is different and unique
- understanding that everyone is equal

Mutual respect

- show respect for everyone
- tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith through: multicultural events, curriculum delivery, ethos of the school, respecting equality, multi-cultural assemblies and the celebration of different faiths and religions.
- by using our everyday interactions between children and adults to demonstrate respect for others to create an atmosphere of mutual exploration of values and beliefs.