



At home with values ...

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This half term we have been focusing on the value of RESPECT.

We have been talking about this in the classroom and as a whole school during collective worship. If you would like to explore this value further at home we hope that you will find this helpful.

TALK ABOUT ... RESPECT

Discuss with your child what respect means. Give examples of how someone can be respectful such as saying, "please" and "thank you" or holding the door for someone.

At school we give manners tokens to children who show good manners. Why not try something similar at home? See if your child can get tokens by the end of the week to earn a small reward.

A BIBLE STORY ABOUT ... RESPECT

(The Good Samaritan- p.80 of 'Children of God' Bible from church)

Take the time to read this Bible story to your child at home.

This story explains the difference between right and wrong. It tells us how important it is respect each other and to love and care for people, whoever they are.

FAMILY CHALLENGE "Respect Collage"

Help your child to cut out pictures from magazines of people being respectful. This could be a photo of someone shaking someone's hand, raising their hand, or paying attention to a speaker. Help your child to group the images together, forming a collage. Each photo can be glued onto a piece of paper. Discuss how each photo shows respect and talk about how they could do something similar.

Don't forget to ask your child to bring this into school to share with their class and the whole school during collective worship.

A prayer for bedtime

Dear Father God,
Thank you for the world we live in. Help us to show respect for everything in our world including our teachers, friends and family.
Amen.

Books recommended for Respect ... Shine by Sarah Asuquo, The Way I Act by Steve Metzger, I Just Don't Like The Sound Of No! by Julia Cook.