

Seal CE Primary School

Preparing Children for Life in Modern Britain – Evidence and Impact

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British Value	Statement	Evidence	Impact
Mutual respect and	Respect is a	Learning Walks for	Children can articulate why
the tolerance of	fundamental school	behaviour and	respect is important; how they
those with different	value, which	behaviour for	show respect to others and how
faiths and beliefs	underpins the very	learning – The Seal	they feel about it for themselves.
	essence of the	Tree of Rights	Children's behaviour
	school. We pay	demonstrates how	demonstrates their good
	explicit attention to	we respect one	understanding of this value in
	this as part of our	another's rights	action.
	RE, PHSE, and		
	SMSC curriculum.	Collective Worship	Children are able to talk about the
		planning and	different faiths and cultures they
	Respect is a school	outcomes file – links	learn about, ask questions and
	value that is	are made to other	show tolerance and respect for
	discussed deeply,	religions and related	others of different faiths and
	starting with self-	festivals where	religions.
	respect and covering	applicable.	
	respect for family,		
	friends, and other	RE curriculum,	
	groups (around the	planning and work	
	world).	books – we learn	
		about other faiths	
		across the school.	
		Our school aim,	
		curriculum statement	
		and prayer include	
		our core school	
		values.	
		Golden book -	
		afternoon tea with	
		the Headteacher	

		celebrates those children who have demonstrated respect throughout the week	
Democracy	The children at Seal C of E Primary School see the importance of democracy and pupils having the opportunity to share their understanding and opinions of school life as an essential component of a successful team. Democracy is a school value that children encounter when discussing respect, fairness and equality within the school and out.	Rights Respecting Ambassador meetings. Collective Worship planning and outcomes file – Friday Cool Dude collective worship is a place for acknowledgment of achievements. Learning Walks for behaviour and behaviour for learning	Children are able to work cooperatively in pairs and groups as well as in whole class situations. They understand about turn taking and respecting the views of others. Children across the school, including Foundation Stage are able to use the language of respect, e.g. I have respected our right to a clean and tidy environment, when picking up litter. In class, children can be heard asking others to be quiet and to respect their right to learn.
Rule of Law	The children at Seal C of E Primary School are familiar with this concept through PSHE and SMSC. Children are used to debating and discussing laws/rules and their application, especially in Key Stage 2.	Expectations are stated clearly in the school rules, values and behaviour policy. Right Respecting Ambassador meetings Collective Worship planning and outcomes file. Learning Walks for behaviour and behaviour for learning	Children are able to articulate how and why we need to behave in school and demonstrate they understand and can abide by these. During restorative justice, children are made aware of how their behaviour has consequences and how they have not followed the school rules.
Individual Liberty	Our acts of worship remind the children that they are unique children of God. Children are strongly	Children's individuality is reflected in the school aim. Seal C of E has a	Children understand about the importance of accepting responsibility and of their right to be heard in school. The Rights Respecting Ambassadors are consulted on
	encouraged to	Marking and	many aspects of school life and

develop	Feedback policy	demonstrate independence of
independence in	which ensures that	thought and action.
learning and to think	children can identify	ő
for themselves.	their achievements	
	and what they need	
Our curriculum	to do next to	
statement promotes	advance their	
independence.	learning.	
School improvement	3	
plan shows the	Whole school	
development of	priorities taken from	
independence within	book scrutiny	
the school	monitoring shows	
	identifying own	
	achievements and	
	enabling children to	
	use next steps to	
	improve their own	
	work.	

British Values Statement for the school website:

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Ways Forward

- Make sure that there is a reference to British values on our curriculum overview.
- Reference it on planning as BV.
- Ensure that discussions are taking place pupils having the opportunity to share their understanding and opinions of school life discuss respect, fairness and equality.

