

Love God. Love Your Neighbour. Love Yourself (Luke 10:27)



Spirituality Opportunities

Subject: Early Years

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Self</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding what emotions are • Recognising how we feel in our bodies when our emotions change • Understanding that God cannot be seen/felt or heard, but God is present within our daily lives • Opportunity for deeper thinking and reflection • Learn and use new vocabulary linked to prayer and worship • Learn prayers that are used within the class and setting • Listen to stories from the Bible and make links with how we live our lives today • Learn about school rules and how they impact us as a class family within school and how this can feed into our home lives • Begin to talk about the school values and make links to our personal lives • Talk about God and what this means for me 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Others</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying the people that we love and care for and recognising how they can make us feel • See themselves as a valuable individual • Build constructive and respectful relationships • Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others • Think about the perspectives of others • Talk about members of their families and their immediate communities • Compare and contrast characters from stories, including characters from the Bible in the past • Understand that some places are special to members of their community • Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate in different ways • Take part in whole school and class collective worship both in school and at church
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Transcendence (Beyond)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making connections with church, getting to know what a place of worship looks like, feels like and smells like • Experiencing listening to, engaging in and writing prayers • Developing spiritual connections through song • Getting to know God and Jesus through storytelling, drama and use of the Bible 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Nature/ World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore the natural world around us • Develop imagination and creativity both indoors and outdoors, with an appreciation and engagement in nature and living things around us • Learn about other celebrations and cultures in the world – Lunar New Year, Janmashtami, Diwali • Explore the changing seasons and how this brings about the cycle of life and growth on earth – plants, animals • Finding ways to look after and care for our environment – making bird feeders, litter picking • Learn about the impact of humans on earth by exploring topics in PSHE such as 'Caring for our world' – rubbish, life cycles, safety at home and outdoors