

## Overstone Combined School

### British Values – Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs



<p><b>What is tolerance?</b> Tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs is the idea that we understand that people in our community may believe different things to us, but we accept their right to believe in what they want to believe in and we do not impose our own beliefs on them.</p>		<p><b>Key Vocabulary</b></p> <p>diversity</p> <p>acceptance</p> <p>culture</p>	<p><b>Definition</b></p> <p>Differences that make us unique</p> <p>Being accepted or approved of</p> <p>Beliefs and behaviours that are traditionally practiced by a group of people</p>
<p><b>Teaching this British Value should:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- support further tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions by enabling children to acquire an appreciation for and respect for their own and other cultures</li> <li>- encourage respect for other people, paying particular regard to the protected characteristics set out in the Equality Act 2010.</li> </ul>		<p>discrimination</p>	<p>unfair treatment of one particular person or group of people</p> <p><b><u>Resources to look at with your children</u></b></p> <p><b>Mutual respect - BBC Teach</b> <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zp8yhcv">https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/zp8yhcv</a></p> <p><b>What is diversity?</b> <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z9dnp9q&amp;zrpxbk">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z9dnp9q&amp;zrpxbk</a></p>
<p><b>How we uphold the British value of Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tolerance can be seen and felt in our pervading ethos in school.</li> <li>• Links and visits are promoted with local faith communities and places of worship. Members of different faiths or religions are invited to share their knowledge and enhance learning within assemblies and in class.</li> <li>• Celebrating many British festivals and special events, e.g. Remembrance Day, November 5th, World Book Day, Children in Need, Red-nose Day etc.</li> <li>• Our R.E. curriculum is aligned with the Bucks Agreed syllabus for R.E. and reinforces the importance of understanding and respecting different faiths and beliefs.</li> <li>• Through the PSHE and R.E. curriculums pupils are encouraged to discuss and respect differences between people such as differences of faith, ethnicity, disability, gender or sexuality and differences in family situations.</li> <li>• We offer a culturally rich and diverse curriculum in which all major religions are studied and respected.</li> <li>• Our PSHE Curriculum covers differences in people and tolerance of others.</li> <li>• We rotate classroom places to give children opportunities to work with children with different strengths, opinions and beliefs.</li> </ul>			