

BRITISH VALUES- WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ST MARY'S CHILDREN?

<p>What is democracy and how do we show democracy at St Mary's?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → We get to vote for our council reps → We vote for the Head Boy and Head Girl - its a bit like a general election → We vote for our charities → We put forward our ideas to Mrs Maxwell and she listens to us → Everyone has a say through our school council → We fill out questionnaires → Everybody gets a say in things such as events We have a suggestion box → We get to vote for which book we want to read
<p>Why do we have rules and what happens if you break them?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → At school if you break rules you get a red or yellow card and miss your break time to do a reflection → Our school rules are - Respect, Ready, Reflective → Rules keep us safe They are fair because everyone has to follow them They help us be good → We know that actions have consequences → We are expected to say sorry and mean it → Parents are told if we get a red card → In the real world if you break the law you might get arrested and get a fine or go to jail. → You can also get parking tickets if you park where you shouldn't → If you break laws as an adult you could lose your job, your house or your friends If we didn't have laws, no one would know right from wrong- it would be chaos
<p>Individual Liberty- what does this mean</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → We get to make choices like what we want for dinner, who our friends are → We get to choose which challenge we will do during lessons → We choose which clubs we want to attend after school → We make choices with our behaviour- we know that if we make the wrong choice there are consequences → We have or hand of five people we can talk to ins school → Cindy the dog if we want to talk → Year 6's who are our Peer mentors at lunchtimes → We learn Rights and Responsibilities in school → We use buckets to understand about bucket dipping and bucket filling

Mutual respect	<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ Teachers speak nicely to us→ We respect each other like it says in the bibleChildren speak nicely to teachers and other staff→ We say please and thank you to the dinner ladies→ We had Diversity Week where we learned that everyone should be treated with respect.→ We find out more about mutual respect in Black History month each year→
Tolerance of different faiths and beliefs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">→ We learn a lot about different faiths in RE→ We held some debates during Diversity Week and learned about other people's points of view→ We learn from other children in our classes about what it's like to live in different countries→ We have visitors in school in assemblies and in some of our lessons about different faiths