British Values- A Guide for Parents

Schools are required to provide for the spiritual, moral, social and cultural development of their pupils. Part of this requirement means that they actively promote the fundamental British Values. Th e fundamental British Values are:

- Democracy
- The Rule of Law
- Individual Liberty
- Mutual Respect and Tolerance of Different Faiths and Beliefs

By promoting British Values at All Saints we aim to help children become well rounded members of society.

We want our pupils…

Democracy

- To understand and respect democratic process
- To understand how they can influence decision making through a democratic process
- To understand how to argue and defend a point of view To understand the importance of team work.

The Rule of Law

- Ability to recognise the difference between right and wrong and apply to their own lives
- Ability to accept responsibility for their behaviour
- To understand the consequences of their behaviour and actions
- Ability to resolve conflicts effectively
- Understand how they can contribute to the lives of those living and working in the locality and society.
- To understand that living under the rule of law protects them and is essential for their well being

Individual Liberty

To understand rights and responsibilities

Mutual Respect and Tolerance of those with Different Faiths and Beliefs

- Reflective about their own and others beliefs and religions
- Understand, accept, respect and celebrate diversity as shown by their tolerance and attitudes
- Reflective about their own experiences
- Interest in investigating and offering reasoned views about moral and ethical issues and being able to understand and appreciate the viewpoints of others
- Use a range of social skills in different contexts
- Participate in a variety of communities and social settings, cooperating ell with others
- Understand and appreciate the range of different cultures within school and further afield