



THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Kingsland CE (VA) Primary School



The Kingsland Times

Friday 4th November 2022

Let your light shine

“Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:16

Let your light shine on our vision:

As God’s children, overflowing with His light, we will shine before others to inspire, nurture and bring joy so all may embrace life in its fullness to the glory of God.

Our Christian value for this half-term is **RESPECT**

Please help your child to reflect on the importance of this Christian value



Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)

The Church of England’s Vision for Education, called [Deeply Christian: Serving the Common Good](#), has the promise of ‘life in all its fullness’ at its heart and is based around four elements. The second is ‘[Educating for Hope and Aspiration](#)’ which states: “In the drama of ongoing life, how we learn to approach the future is crucial. Good schools open up horizons of hope and aspiration, and guide pupils into ways of fulfilling them. They also cope wisely with things and people going wrong. Bad experiences and behaviour, wrongdoing and evil need not have the last word. There are resources for healing, repair and renewal; repentance, forgiveness, truth and reconciliation are possible; and meaning, trust, generosity, compassion and hope are more fundamental than meaninglessness, suspicion, selfishness, hardheartedness and despair.” Our school vision of [‘Let your light shine’](#) encapsulates these sentiments, aiming for all children to flourish and thrive.

PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME

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Dates for your diary

Monday 7 th November	Children's Bookshelf visitor in school hall
Wednesday 16 th November	Open Morning for prospective new parents and children
Tuesday 6 th December	KS2 (Y3 – Y6) maths parents' information session
Monday 12 th December	KS1 Nativity performance 2.15pm
Tuesday 13 th December	Y1 – Y6 visit to Birmingham theatre
Wednesday 14 th December	KS1 Nativity performance 5.30pm
Thursday 15 th December	Christmas dinner and parties
Monday 19 th December	Parents' Show and Tell 2.30pm
Tuesday 20 th December	Christmas Carol Service in Kingsland Church 1.30pm
Thursday 5 th January	Start of term
Wednesday 11 th January	Y5/6 to Young Voices
Tuesday 7 th February	Winter Concert
14 th and 15 th February	Parents' Evenings
Monday 6 th March	Whole school photograph

The full 2022 - 2023 term dates can be found on the school website following the link:

<https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/term-dates/>

This week's attendance – congratulations to Class 4

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	School total
93.13%	96.11%	92.5%	98.79%	97.65%	95.87%

House Tokens

Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!

Ambrey	Berrington	Croft	Mortimer
Arthur Jenson Adele	Ollie Emmy	Lilly George Ava Ronnie	Austin Nora Clara

Remembrance Poppies

For Remembrance Day we will be selling poppies each day in school next week in aid of the Poppy Appeal. Children can bring in a donation to purchase a poppy. There are also other items for sale, such as zip pulls and reflectors for 50p; wristbands for £1; and snap bands for £2.



REMEMBRANCE DAY



Every Friday, a child is awarded with "The Maths Rock" – this is given to a child who has worked especially hard in maths during the week. This week's winner is **Freddie** ... Well done!

PTA Messages:



The PTA have been invited to host a Bingo night at Leominster Sports and Social Club on Wednesday 16th November. This is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year, with us raising £1,650 last year for our school. We do however rely on your generosity and are asking all children to please bring in items on **Friday 11th November** to go into the prize hampers. To ensure variety we suggest:

Class 1 - Chocolates

Class 2 - Toiletries

Class 3 - Christmas items

Class 4 - Biscuits

Class 5 - Bottles e.g. wine

We would also welcome any raffle prizes, if you have a generous employer or know a contact in a local business!

The bingo will be held at Leominster Sports and Social Club on Wednesday 16th November. Doors open 7pm / Eyes down 7:45pm.

PTA film night – TONIGHT!

Children should be picked up at 5.30pm from the ramp outside the school hall.

Class 4 Staffing

A slight tweak to the current staffing provision in Class 4 for after half term ... Mr Nelson will teach Class 4 on Tuesday afternoons instead of Mr Powell. He will teach science, which will give excellent continuity for when children move into Class 5. **Class 4 children will need to wear their PE kit on Mondays and Thursdays from after half term.**

Big Question

We continue our series of BIG QUESTIONS as a focus for family discussions. In Worship Time on Thursday we heard the story of Jesus and the children ... so this week's BIG QUESTION is:

What is the best way for you to show respect?



An update from the school governors: this week, the **Learn to Love committee** met to discuss Christmas plans and to take part in national SIAMS training. The **Finance and Premises** committee also met to review the building works and to plan future building projects.

Y1 and Y2 RWI Parents' Information Session

Thank you to those parents who attended the Y1 and Y2 RWI parents' information session with Mrs Wilson on Tuesday – we hope you found it helpful and informative. Please do contact us if you would like any further tips and support with RWI.



Children's Bookshelf

The Children's Bookshelf book sale will be in school again on Monday 7th November. Children will visit the sale during the afternoon, and parents will have the opportunity to take their child to the sale after school. More information below ...

Pudsey and Children in Need

On Thursday 10th November at 8.30am, we shall be having a visit from Pudsey to raise awareness and donations for Children in Need. School gates will open at 8.25am for children who would like to meet Pudsey. All monetary donations to Children in Need would be very gratefully received.

Children will be allowed to wear **non-uniform** on this day in exchange for a £1 donation to Children in Need. Children are encouraged to wear something SPOTY to fit with the Children in Need theme of Spotacular!

Leave of Absence Requests

Parents are reminded that Leave of Absence requests should be sent into school using the Leave of Absence request form which can be found on the school website here: <https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/leave-of-absence/>

Herefordshire SEND Local Offer

www.talkcommunitydirectory.org/localoffer



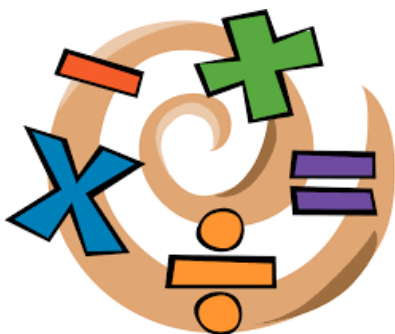
Like our Facebook page to stay up to date with local information, services and groups for children and young people with SEND.

[@HfdsSEND](https://www.facebook.com/HfdsSEND)




KS2 Maths Parents' Information Session

We will be holding a maths parents' information session on Tuesday 6th December 3.30pm – 4.30pm in Class 2 room. This is for all parents of Y3 – Y6 children. The session will cover expectations of the curriculum in maths, how you can support your child at home with maths, and national assessment expectations.



House captains

Those children that receive a house token certificate will now find it is being written by their house captains! This is just another example of how we promote community responsibility within the school.




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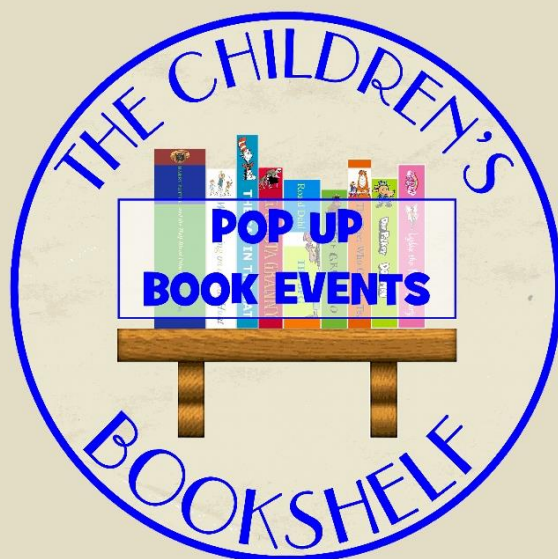
A new initiative to help people cope with the cost of living crisis.

Heinz has teamed up with Morrisons to offer visitors a discreet free lunch if people need it – no questions asked.

All you have to do is ask for 'Henry' at one of the supermarket's 400 cafés across the country to be given a free jacket potato and baked beans.

The offer is available from Wednesday, October 26 until Sunday, November 6.

The initiative was inspired by the work of Henry J. Heinz, founder of Heinz and known philanthropist. October marks the birthday of Henry J. Heinz, so the company wanted to 'honour his good heart and kind spirit' by introducing the scheme.



The Children's Bookshelf

Kingsland Primary

POP UP BOOK EVENT

Monday 7th November

ALL BOOKS BRAND NEW & JUST £2

“ LET'S GET CHILDREN READING “

The Children's Bookshelf, Maylord Shopping Centre on Gomond Street



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Parent / Guardian Information

- ✓ The Children's Bookshelf will be visiting your school on Monday 7th November.
- ✓ All books are Brand New & just £2 each.
- ✓ There will be a wide range of books to choose from - board, picture, chapter, fact, education, fiction & non-fiction, and so many more.
- ✓ The school will be buying each child a book, however you are more than welcome to send money in, or even pop in after school up until 3.45pm.
- ✓ Nearly all the books have a retail value of £5.99 or more, so there are huge savings to be made.
- ✓ For EVERY 10 books purchased at the POP UP, your school will earn 1 FREE Golden Ticket (£2 book voucher).
- ✓ **Did you know? The Children's Bookshelf is located in the Maylord Shopping Centre on Gomond Street.**

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Ofsted:
OUTSTANDING

“... the quality of education provided is exceptional”

“Pupils’ experiences go far beyond what they learn in lessons.”

“Pupils’ behaviour exemplifies the aim ‘Learn to love.’”

(Ofsted March 2020)

SIAMS:
OUTSTANDING

OPEN MORNINGS

Do you have a child due to start school in September 2023?

You would be most welcome to visit school on one of our Open Mornings:



Thursday 22nd September 9.30am

Monday 17th October 9.30am

Wednesday 16th November 9.30am

Please contact the school office to book a place
(bookings are essential): 01568 708436

admin@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk



The Early Help team offer free Triple P courses to all parents and carers, which aim to:

- Strengthen relationships in your family
- Encourage positive behaviours
- Teach your child new skills and behaviours
- Handle disruptive or challenging behaviours with greater confidence
- Encourage you to take care of yourself as a parent
- Set goals for making positive changes
- Offer parents an opportunity to meet and discuss common parenting issues with others



For more information about The Triple P programmes visit:
www.triplep-parenting.uk.net

For more information about parenting courses visit:
www.herefordshire.gov.uk/parentingcourses

For more information contact
Tracey Spencer 01432 383651 or email
Tracey.Spencer@herefordshire.gov.uk

Early Help Team
Children's Wellbeing
Nelson House
Hereford HR4 0DG

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Early help service



Triple P Positive Parenting Programmes



What is Triple P

Triple P are learning programmes designed to give parents the skills they need to raise confident, healthy children and young people and to build stronger family relationships. Triple P doesn't tell people how to parent, instead it gives parents simple and practical strategies they can adapt to suit their own routines, values, beliefs and needs.

Triple P is distinctive in that it is not a 'one size fits all' course. It's based on the idea that parents receive just the right amount of support they need to parent their child more confidently.



Triple P Parenting Groups

The Triple P Parenting Groups focus on strategies to increase desirable behaviour, and methods for managing everyday issues, as well as improving the emotional wellbeing of parents, carers and children.

Each course consists of 7 x 2 hourly sessions. Five of these sessions will be classroom based and two will be telephone sessions.

Attendance at all sessions is essential.

Stepping Stones

Stepping Stones Triple P is for parents of children with diagnosed additional needs and aims to make parenting easier. Children with additional needs have the same requirements as other children, however, they may need extra assistance and opportunities to develop their full potential. This course provides information to help you develop your child's full potential.



Standard Triple P

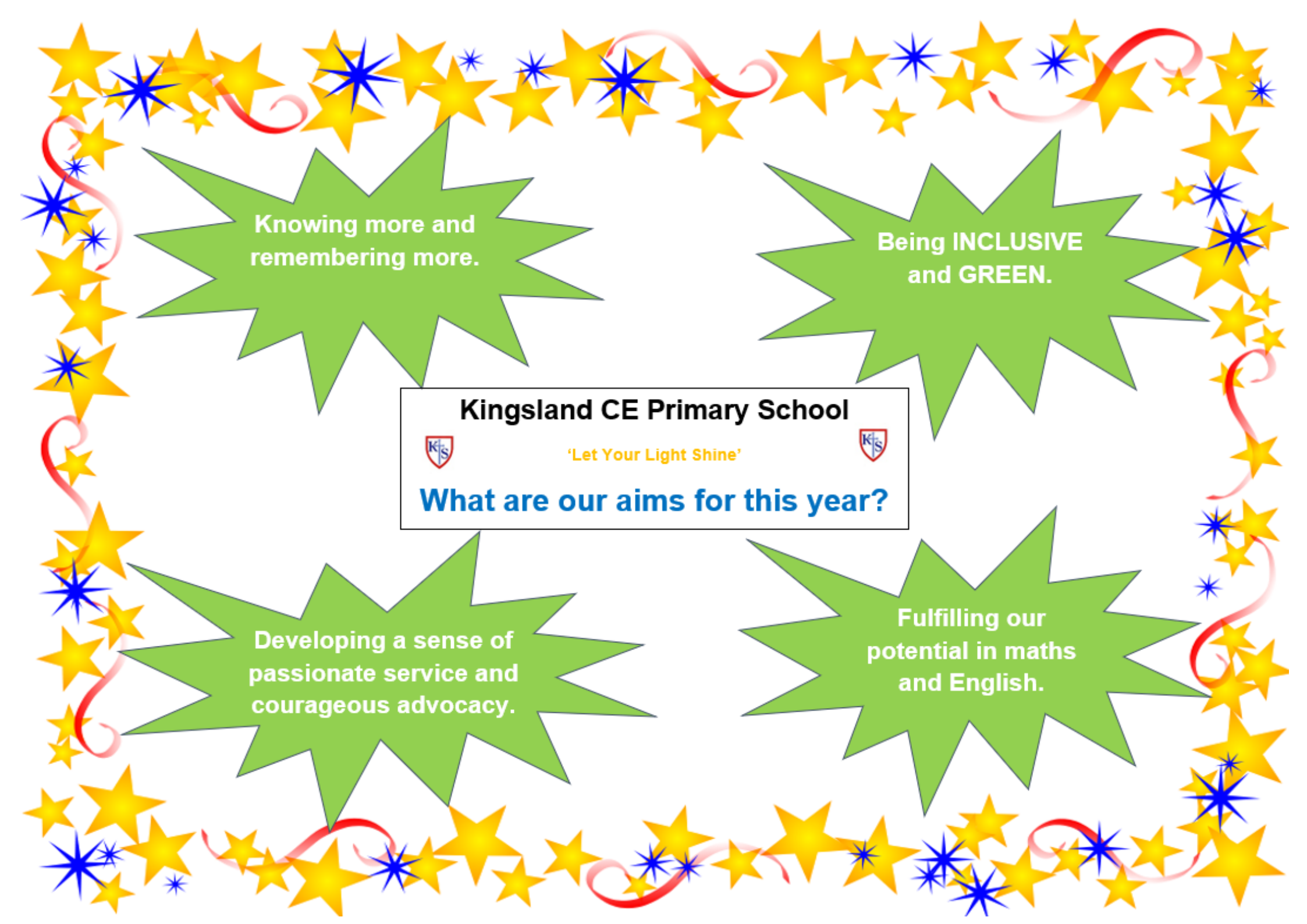
This course is for parents of children aged 2 to 11 years. It provides support to help you manage your child when their behaviour is challenging or aggressive and helps to prevent scenarios that make your family life stressful.



Teen Triple 11 plus

Teen Triple 11 plus is for parents of children aged 11 upwards. The course aims to promote positive, caring relationships between parents and their teens, and to help parents develop effective management strategies for dealing with a variety of teen behaviour problems and common developmental issues. Teen Triple 11 plus teaches parents how to help their teenager develop the social skills they need to get along with others and get the best from their education.





Knowing more and remembering more.

Being INCLUSIVE and GREEN.

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'Let Your Light Shine'



What are our aims for this year?

Developing a sense of passionate service and courageous advocacy.

Fulfilling our potential in maths and English.



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This half term's Christian value is:

RESPECT

Educating for Dignity and Respect



A prayer for RESPECT

Father God, Open our eyes to value and appreciate all people. Help us to recognise what we have in common and respect what makes each of us unique. Amen.

Christian Value Family Reflection

Welcome to our Christian Value Family Reflection which offers some suggestions, thoughts and ways into exploring and reflecting on the value of this half term: **RESPECT**

A reflection on RESPECT by Peter Greenfield (Kingsland Church) ...

'In everything, do to others as you would have them do to you' (Jesus' words in the Gospel of Matthew 7:12).

During this last half-term, our school has focused on the Christian value of love. But love is not merely a feeling or an attitude. It is to be applied through RESPECTING others: by doing to others as you would have them do to you.

When I was a schoolboy, students would fist-bump with their friends saying the word, 'Respect', as if respect were something cool and exclusive to one another's friends. When we have a friend, we will often respect them. The Christian value of respect is different, however. We are invited to show respect to all, because of God's love for us and ALL others.

God loves us and has made us to be like him. God has greater value than all creation, being the creator. It is therefore incredible that we, in a way, are like God. The fact that God loves us and made us to be like him means that we should love and respect OURSELVES. As God loves everyone, we are to respect EVERYONE, even the people that we find difficult to respect. But how do we do it? I have already given the answer: treat others as you would want to be treated yourself.

Let me give an example ... you may want that last piece of chocolate cake, but a friend (or another person) may also want it. By treating them as you would want to be treated, you offer them that last piece of cake before trying to take it yourself. The likelihood is that they will split it in half and share with you anyway!

During these difficult times of Covid-19, we have all had to show respect to others, and I want to encourage you to keep doing that by putting yourselves in the shoes of another person. Imagine if it were you who had to go into hospital because others were not obeying the rules. Many people have broken the rules because it has not hit them that other people might suffer and die because of them. But we have the opportunity, as Christians, to demonstrate a respectful way of living, and we hope that it may set an example so that all people may treat others as they would wish to be treated.

If such a level of respect could be achieved, this world would be like heaven!