

Bishop Tufnell CE Infant School

Christian Values leaflet 1

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Reverence



The front cover of this leaflet illustrates our school's 15 Christian Values. We teach our pupils about these and emphasise that they are different from our Learning Values. These leaflets are for adults who may wish to know more about our Christian Values.

Our School Values can be found in writing near Maple Class and in practise they can be found underpinning all the work of our school.

We talk about 5 Christian Values per term in class and they are also reflected in our weekly Worship Themes.

The Christian Values are not separate but link together the beliefs of Christians. One is not more important than the other and therefore our leaflet cover represents them as interlocking building bricks of faith.

There are 15 leaflets with information about how each value defines itself in Christian faith.

Even if you choose not to be a Christian the leaflets may have information that helps you in your life's journey - or just makes you stop and reflect.

I hope that you find these leaflets helpful and informative.



Time to reflect is important

REVERENCE

Reverence is the proper human response to what is holy and sacred. It is related to awe and respect. It is a reverent acknowledgement of God's greatness and our dependence upon him.

Reverence can be seen as respect, admiration, worship awe or amazement to God all that is holy.

Reverence is the correct response to the mystery of life and death and to the created world in which we live.

A profound respect for God is how true worship flows.

Although only God is truly worthy of reverence, the Bible does ask us to honour one another and one of the Ten Commandments is to honour our father and mother.

Please turn over the page to find out some of the ways we celebrate Reverence in our school



What do we do in school in response to Reverence?

In school we have our Thinking Areas in each class which promote spiritual reflection. Often the pupils choose the items that they wish to place in these special places.

Pupils can respond in reverence during Worship, quiet reflective thinking times and during Religious Education lessons. Many thoughts can be found in our spirituality books and comments in our Worship records.

Our pupils visit many churches and Chichester Cathedral and this helps them learn personal responses to all that is holy.

In many subject areas pupils have an opportunity to develop their feelings of awe and wonder at God's world.



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