

Forest Lodge Community Primary School

Assembly Provision and Planning (2016-2017)

Assemblies at Forest Lodge Community Primary School take place each week in the form of whole school assemblies and phase assemblies. At the heart of each assembly is a SEAL/PSHE/ SMSC focus which act as a stimulus for related themes being addressed throughout school. In turn we also aim to address issues relevant to the pupils, local community, British Values and introduce children to a world view by referring to relevant events and significant occasions in assemblies.

During each assembly (first introduced in the whole school assembly on Monday mornings) we begin by considering 'statements to live by.' These are discussion points for the assembly and for further exploration of the theme to take place during work in classes. These statements relate directly to the SEAL/PSHE/SMSC themes the whole school is focused on during that half term. The statement is explained to the children, shared with parents through the web site and newsletters and discussed further in non-curriculum time.

Through phase assemblies held on Wednesdays each week (phase 1 consisting of Nursery, Foundation 2, Year 1 and Year 2) and phase 2 consisting of Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6) we focus on specific themes identified which are further addressed during PSHE lessons in class. This co-ordinated approach ensures not only a greater understanding of each focus area but the ability to make progression in PSHE, SMSC and British Values, building on prior learning and allowing children to explore each topic in greater depth.

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Assemblies
‘Statements to live by’

Autumn 1

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
5.9.16	Welcome assembly	New beginnings	Health and well being	We can make someone feel welcome.
12.9.16	Roald Dahl 100 th Birthday (13 th Sept) Eid ul Adah (9 th or 10 th Sept) Muslim Festival	New beginnings	Health and well being	We can be brave and overcome feelings of fearfulness.
19.9.16	Harvest Assembly (Christian Aid Assembly)	New beginnings	Health and well being	We belong in a community that includes our school.
26.9.16		New beginnings	Health and well being	We recognise there is conflict in the world. We can forgive and be forgiven.
3.10.16	Walk to school month (1-31 st Oct) Navrati (9 th October) Hindu Festival Rosh Hashannah (3rd October) Jewish Festival	New beginnings	Health and well being	Through our actions we can help others.
10.10.16	Yom Kippur (12 th October) Jewish Festival	New beginnings	Health and well being	We can share with others and feel a sense of belonging in my community.

Autumn 2

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
24.10.16	Diwali (30 th October) Hindu Festival	Getting on and falling out	Health and well being	We can co-operate with others in work and play.
31.10.16	Halloween (31 st Oct) Bonfire Night (5 th Nov)	Getting on and falling out	Health and well being	We know that it is ok to make mistakes as long as we learn from them. We can look after each other.
7.11.16	Remembrance Day (11 th Nov)	Getting on and falling out	Health and well being	We understand the importance of peace.
14.11.16	Anti-bullying week (14 th -18 th November- power for good) Children in Need (18 th Nov)	Say no to bullying	Health and well being	We stand up for ourselves and others who are being treated unfairly. We will work together to put a full STOP to bullying.
21.11.16		Say no to bullying	Health and well being	We try to appreciate the world around us and in what makes other people both the same and different.
28.11.16	International Volunteer Day (5 th December)	Say no to bullying	Health and well being	Helping others can make us happy.
5.12.16		Say no to bullying	Health and well being	We try to be accepting of others and to respect their beliefs.
12.12.16	Christmas day (during holidays 25 th Dec) Hanukah (25 th Dec) Jewish Festival International Human Rights Day (10 th Dec)	Say no to bullying	Health and well being	We think before making choices that affect our health.

Spring 1

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
9.1.17		Going for goals	Living in the wider world	We know that small steps can lead to large leaps.
16.1.17		Going for goals	Living in the wider world	We know that it is ok to ask for help.
23.1.17		Going for goals	Living in the wider world	We can learn from the achievements of others.
30.1.17		Going for goals	Living in the wider world	We can appreciate that competition is good but so is working together.
6.2.17	Valentines Day (14 th Feb)	Going for goals	Living in the wider world	We try to keep going when things are difficult and not give up hope.

Spring 2

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
20.2.17		Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can discuss the traditions of the British Isles.
27.2.17	Fairtrade Fortnight (Commencing 29 th Feb) Shrove Tuesday (28 th Feb) Christian Festival	Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can understand the significance of 'fair trade'. We can discuss being just and fair.
6.3.17	World book day (2nd March)	Good to be me	Living in the wider world	I can try to use words that make the world a better place.
13.3.17	Holi (13 th March) Hindu Festival Good Friday (14 th April) Christian Festival	Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can think about national identity and our shared values.
20.3.17		Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can discuss the importance of water to the world.
27.3.17	Hindu New Year (28 th April) Mothering Sunday (26 th March)	Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can think about our mothers and those who are like mothers to us and all they do for us.
3.4.17	Pesach (Passover) (11 th -18 th April) Jewish Festival	Good to be me	Living in the wider world	We can think about the people who are not so fortunate as we are living in different countries around the world.

Summer 1

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
24.4.17	St Georges Day (23 rd April)	Relationships	Relationships	We know how to help others when they are in trouble.
8.5.17		Relationships	Relationships	We can discuss England and the British Isles.
15.5.17		Relationships	Relationships	We can say one good thing about ourselves.
22.5.17	Ramadan (27 th May) Muslim Festival	Relationships	Relationships	We can say one good thing about someone else.

Summer 2

Week	Special Events	SEAL Theme	PSHE/ SMSC Theme	Statements to live by
5.6.17	Healthy eating week (Commencing 1 st June)	Changes	Relationships	We can talk about healthy eating and why it is important as part of a healthy lifestyle.
12.6.17		Changes	Relationships	We can be pleased for someone else's achievements.
19.6.17	Fathers Day (18 th June)	Changes	Relationships	We can value the truth and recognise when we need to make amends for our behaviour.
26.6.17	Eid al Fitr (26 th -28 th June) Muslim Festival	Changes	Relationships	We can value the different relationships in our lives.
3.7.17		Changes	Relationships	We can help each other cope with change. We know that change can be frightening but often brings rewards.
10.7.17		Changes	Relationships	We understand the importance of having friends and a community to support us.

SEAL/PSHE Whole School and Phase Assembly Map

	SEAL Theme	PSHE/SMSC Theme
Autumn 1	New beginnings	Health and well being
Autumn 2	Getting on and falling out, Say no to bullying	Health and well being
Spring 1	Going for goals	Living in the wider world (incorporating British Values)
Spring 2	Good to be me	Living in the wider world (incorporating British Values)
Summer 1	Relationships	Relationship
Summer 2	Changes	Relationships

