



As a school we have recognised the importance of kindness and have placed this as one of our core values. We began this journey with the teaching of what kindness means and how we show this to others. We are now at a stage where our children are ready to think deeper about kindness and reflect on questions posed to them weekly.

Summer 1's focus is based on the books - A World of Kindness and Have you Filled your Bucket Today? We will be working with the children to recognise acts of kindness through the filling of our Keep Kind bucket of kindness.

Our school's work to date:

Academic year 2018 - 19 - we relaunched our values at school and termed them the Gainsborough Keeps. This was a set of 6 keeps that we want our children to keep on doing in life. One of our keeps is Keep Kind.



Our logo featured around the school for keep kind.

We also have planned to focus on a keep each half term, with Keep Kind at the start of the academic year.

Values Curriculum 2018 - 19

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Gainsborough Keep	Keep Kind	Keep Giving	Keep Safe	Keep Connected	Keep Green	Keep Healthy
British Value	Democracy Exercised through elected representatives	Mutual respect & tolerance Tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions	Individual liberty Taking responsibility for our own behaviour	Mutual respect & tolerance Tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions	Rule of law Distinguishing right from wrong	Individual liberty Taking responsibility for our own behaviour
Religious Calendar Link	Eid-ul-Adha Harvest Festival	Diwali Hannukkah Advent Christmas	Chinese New Year St Valentine's Day Ash Wednesday	Lent and Easter	Ascension Pentecost	Ramadam
Awareness Day	BHM International Day of Peace World Food Day World Car Free Day Democracy Day	Black History Month Remembrance Day Anti-Bullying Week Road Safety Week	Storytelling week UNICEF Day for Change Safer Internet Day	International Mother Tongue Day Fairtrade Fortnight World Book Day International Women's Day Science Week	Walking to School Child Safety Week E-Safety Week	Healthy Eating Week Team Green Britain Bike Week World Environment Day Refugee Week
Fundraising	Harvest- Collecting food for a local food bank	Christmas Jumper Day		British Heart Foundation – Jump for Rope		UNICEF Soccer Aid
RRS link Each new article is linked to the theme of the term.	Article 2 The convention applies to every child without discrimination. Article 12 Every child has the right to be heard.	Article 2 The convention applies to every child without discrimination. Article 27 You have the right to food, clothing, a safe place to live and to have your basic needs met. You should not be disadvantaged so that you can't do many of the things other kids can do. Article 30 You have the right to practice your own culture, language and religion.	Article 13 You have the right to find out things and share what you think with others, by talking, drawing, writing or in any other way unless it harms or offends other people. Article 19 You have the right to be protected from being hurt and mistreated, in body or mind.	Article 14 Every child has the right to choose their own religion & beliefs. Article 29 We have the right to be the best we can be. Your education should help you use and develop your talents.	Article 19 You have the right to be protected from being hurt and mistreated, in body or mind. Article 39 You have the right to help if you've been hurt, neglected or badly treated.	Article 24 You have the right to the best health care possible, safe water to drink, nutritious food, a clean and safe environment and information to help you stay well. Article 31 Every child has the right to rest & play
Parent and Community Links	Biker's breakfast Parent Workshops linked to core curriculum area Reading Parent in Class event	PTA Halloween Disco Kench Hill Year 6 Party @ Hackney Empire BHM Christmas service	SATs workshop Parent Workshops linked to core curriculum area Maths.	Parents' Evening	Walk to school week Parent Workshops linked to core curriculum area Writing	Bike Around the Borough Summer Fair Spanish Week Year 6 Leavers Service Meet the Teacher Parents' Week Transition Sports Week

We have changed the keep for Summer 1 to a refocus on Keep Kind again. In Autumn 1 we had weekly assemblies focused on words related to keep kind - kindness, empathy, differences, compassion, loyalty and friendships.

This half term we have kept the weekly focus on reflection questions related to kindness:

1. Can kindness change the world?
2. Should we show kindness to everyone?
3. Is it just as important to be kind to yourselves or others, or is it of equal importance?
4. Is it just as important to show kindness to animals and our environment, as it is to be kind to humans?
5. Do acts of kindness need to be rewarded?

This half term we will have two focus books for our assemblies - Have You Filled a Bucket Today? by Carol McCloud and A World of Kindness by Ann Featherstone

Our display linked to filling our bucket with kindness

