



Nevill Road Junior School

Assemblies 2022-24

Assemblies give us the opportunity to come together as a whole school to explore social, emotional, cultural, moral and spiritual aspects of learning.

At Nevill Road Junior School, our assemblies link to the PSHE curriculum and help to promote British values. Children are encouraged to reflect upon and discuss assembly themes over the course of the following week.

Assembly Timetable

Monday: Whole School Circle Time (09:00- 09:30). Use the Circles Medium term plan

Tuesday: UKS2 Assembly (13:15 - 13:45)

Wednesday: LKS2 Assembly (13:15 - 13:45)

Friday: Whole School Celebration Assembly (1:15 - 1:45)

Themes

<u>Term</u>	<u>Circle Time Theme</u>	<u>Certificate Theme</u>
Autumn 1	Be Ready	Aiming High
Autumn 2	Be Respectful*	Successful
Spring 1	Be Responsible	Perseverance
Spring 2	Be Safe	Imagination
Summer 1		Respect*
Summer 2		Enthusiasm

**The nine characteristics protected through the 2010 Equality Act characteristics are discussed within these themes.*

Our assemblies help children to explore and learn about the multicultural society in which they live. Religious festivals, educational events and significant dates throughout the year are acknowledged and current affairs (where appropriate) are also discussed. Children also are encouraged to reflect on difference, equality and the nine protected characteristics (particularly through No Outsiders)

The content of assemblies may include stories, songs, videos, drama and music. All assemblies are designed to be thought provoking, inviting the children to reflect on their learning and explore things further. Where appropriate, visitors will be invited to deliver or join in with school assemblies. A whole school "celebration" assembly takes place on a Friday. During this assembly, children's achievements (linked to the ASPIRE curriculum) are celebrated, and class privileges are awarded to classes with the best attendance. Children are invited to present a kindness award to a classmate, and The 100 book challenge and author of the month are also discussed.

Children take an active role during assembly time. Year 6 children have a particularly important role to play, and may act as door monitors, computer monitors or music monitors. These roles are rotated each half term.



Themes: Be Ready and Aim High

Date	Leads (1 LKS2, 1 UKS2)	Theme / Event
Weds 7 th / Thurs 8 th	JC	Welcome back
Weds 14 th / Thurs 15 th September	NJ and EG	What are British Values?
Weds 21 st / Thurs 22 nd September	JS and AB	No Outsiders - to be who you want to be. Use Red, a crayon's story
Weds 28 th / Thurs 29 th September	LD and RP	Black History Month
Weds 5 th / Thurs 6 th October	CP / HN and CR	National Poetry Day
Weds 12 th / Thurs 13 th October	LC and AT	Hello Yellow (World Mental Health Day) Being Kind to others Matt Pierce
Weds 19 th October	MK and RW	Harvest Festival Christians in Schools

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