



Nevill Road Junior School

Assemblies 2022-23

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

Thursday: 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 Resilient / Perseverance

Date	Leads (1 LKS2, 1 UKS2)	Theme / Event
Weds 11 th / Thurs 12 th January	JC	Welcome back. ASPIRE What is perseverance?
Weds 18 th / Thurs 19 th January	MK & RW	My Happy Mind
Weds 25 th / Thurs 26 th January	LC and MW	Matt Pierce Bramhall Baptist Church
Weds 1st February LKS2 1.15pm to 1.50pm UKS2 1:55 to 2:30pm	EH and SB	Gratitude Christians in Schools to deliver
Weds 8th / Thurs 9th February	JH and AO	Safer Internet Day 2022 (actual date 7 th February)
Weds 15th February / Thursday 16 th February	NJ and JS (rolled over from Autumn 2)	No Outsiders - To accept people who are different to me. Use <i>And Tango makes 3</i> by Justin Richardson

Themes: Be Responsible and Imagination

Date	Lead	Theme / Event
Thurs 2nd March	CP / HN and AB	World Book Day
Weds 8 th March LKS2 1.15pm to 1.50pm UKS2 1:55 to 2:30pm	CR / LD and New 3P teacher	International Women's Day Inspirational Women Christians in Schools to deliver (Catherine Fullalov)
Weds 15th / Thurs 16th March	LC and MW	ASPIRE (Imagination) Red Nose Day is 17 th March
Weds 22nd / Thurs 23rd March	NJ and JS	World Poetry Day (actual date 21 st March)
Weds 29th March LKS2 1.15pm to 1.50pm UKS2 1:55 to 2:30pm	MK and RW	Easter Matt Pierce Bramhall Baptist Church