



Nascot Wood Junior School

We are a community of learners, fostering and developing a life-long love of learning

Promoting British Values

At Nascot Wood Junior School, we have a richly diverse community where we celebrate differences, as well as actively promoting British values.

British values are defined as being: democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect and tolerance.

At Nascot Wood Junior School these values are reinforced regularly and in the following ways:

Democracy

At Nascot Wood Junior School, we work hard to ensure that we are a democratic community.

All stakeholders have the opportunity to have their voices heard. Examples of this include: School Prefects, School Council, Pupil questionnaires, Pupil Learning Detectives helping to monitor and feedback about teaching with a given focus, daily interactions between pupils and all staff, including Senior Leaders, Staff meetings, Governing body meetings, Parents' focus groups and Parent View. All of these interactions inform the school's strategic development.

The Rule of Law

Pupils are taught the value and reasons behind laws, that they govern and protect us, the responsibilities that this involves and the consequences when laws are broken.

The importance of Laws, whether they be those that govern the class, the school, or the country, are consistently reinforced throughout regular school days, as well as when dealing with behavior and through school assemblies. The visits that have informed us during the past year are: the local Magistrate, our local Vicar, visits from drugs and addiction awareness support groups and our Community Police Officer.

Individual Liberty

Within school, pupils are actively encouraged to make choices, knowing that they are in a safe and supportive environment. As a school we educate and provide boundaries for young pupils to make choices safely, through of provision of a safe environment and empowering education. Pupils are encouraged to know, understand and exercise their rights and personal freedoms and advise how to exercise these safely, for example through our E-Safety and PSHE lessons. Whether it be through choice of challenge, of how they record, of participation in our numerous extra-curricular clubs and opportunities, pupils are given the freedom to make choices.

Mutual Respect and Tolerance

At Nascot Wood Junior School, we work hard to ensure that we are a fully inclusive environment. We value everybody equally and ensure that children are well informed in order to promote respect for others. We achieve this through activities such as: Diversity Week, the celebration of Black History Month, international food days, the celebration of religious festivals, the Stonewall School Champions initiative and promoting awareness and understanding of disability, both physical and mental.