

Draft sequence for Collective Worship 2025-26

Month	Focus/ events	Values	Possible ideas?
September	Start of term World Suicide Prevention Day (10 Sept)	Belonging, connection, identity, transition, support, courage, listening, inclusion Community, respect, responsibility, identity, new beginnings, connection, kindness, openness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What helps people feel that they truly belong? • How can we notice when someone might be struggling? • What kind of community do we want to create together this year? • How do small actions shape how others experience our school? • Who can I turn to if I need support?
October	World Mental Health Day (10 Oct) Black History Month UK Restart a Heart Day (16 Oct)	Awareness, equality, resilience, heritage, care, empathy, courage, health Justice, empathy, dignity, wellbeing, judgment, respect	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whose voices are heard or missing? • Why is it important to talk openly about mental health? • How can we recognise and celebrate diverse histories and contributions? • What does it mean to act with empathy every day? • How can we respond in an emergency – physically and emotionally? • What responsibility do we have to challenge unfairness?
November	Anti-Bullying Week (UK) + Odd Socks Day Remembrance Day (11 Nov) Road Safety Week World Children’s Day (20 Nov) White Ribbon Day (25 Nov)	Individuality, care, kindness, safety, remembrance, responsibility, voice, rights, non-violence Respect, peace, compassion, care, justice, safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does respect look like in our daily interactions? • How can words harm or heal? • Why is it important to stand up against bullying and violence? • What can we learn from remembering the past? • How can we make sure everyone feels safe? • How do we take care of everyone?
December	Human Rights Day (10 Dec) Christmas + Hanukkah	Generosity, hope, gratitude, appreciation, collaboration, family, togetherness, celebration, reflection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does it mean to give, beyond material things? • Why are human rights important for everyone? • How do celebrations bring people together?

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January	<p>Holocaust Memorial Day</p> <p>New Year, new beginnings</p> <p>Blue Monday</p>	<p>Justice, remembrance, moral courage, reflection, resilience, change, responsibility, courage, empathy</p> <p>Justice, remembrance, moral courage, reflection, resilience</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happens when prejudice is ignored? • Why is it important to remember difficult parts of history? • What does moral courage look like in everyday life? • How can we create positive change in the new year? • What helps us stay resilient when times are hard? • When should we speak up for others?
February	<p>Children's Mental Health Week (UK)</p> <p>Safer Internet Day (UK)</p> <p>LGBTQ+ History Month (UK)</p> <p>National Storytelling Week</p>	<p>Identity, safety, expression, belonging, diversity, voice, understanding</p> <p>Acceptance, empathy, respect, safety, openness</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is fairness? • How do differences strengthen us? • What helps people feel accepted for who they are? • How can we stay safe and kind online? • Why is it important to hear and tell different stories? • How can we support someone who feels excluded? • What does it mean to respect differences?
March	<p>International Women's Day</p> <p>Neurodiversity Celebration Week</p> <p>British Science Week</p> <p>Neurodiversity Week</p> <p>Ramadan</p>	<p>Equality, diversity, innovation, faith, curiosity, inclusion</p> <p>Respect, understanding, curiosity, inclusion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does true equality look like? • How do different ways of thinking benefit everyone? • Why is curiosity important for learning and growth? • How can we respect different beliefs and practices? • How can we challenge stereotypes?
April	<p>Easter + Passover</p> <p>World Health Day (7 Apr)</p> <p>Stress Awareness Month</p>	<p>Renewal, health, awareness, compassion, environment, balance, growth</p> <p>Forgiveness, hope, acceptance, wellbeing, responsibility</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does a fresh start look like? • Why is forgiveness hard? • What does true equality look like? • How do different ways of thinking benefit everyone? • Why is curiosity important for learning and growth?

	World Autism Acceptance Month Earth Day (22 Apr)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we respect different beliefs and practices? • How can we challenge stereotypes?
May	Mental Health Awareness Week International Day Against Homophobia, Biphobia and Transphobia (17 May)	Support, inclusion, resilience, advocacy, kindness, respect, courage Wellbeing, resilience, acceptance, tolerance, inclusion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do we care for our mental health? • What helps us cope? • What strategies help us manage our wellbeing? • How can we support others who are struggling? • Why is inclusion important in creating safe spaces? • What does it mean to stand up against discrimination? • How can we build resilience?
June	Pride Month Refugee Week World Environment Day (5 June) Men's Health Week	Belonging, identity, compassion, justice, environment, wellbeing, awareness Inclusion, compassion, responsibility, individuality, justice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What does belonging feel like? • How can we support people who have had to leave their homes? • Why is caring for the environment everyone's responsibility? • How can we promote positive health for everyone? • What actions can we take to challenge injustice?
July	End of year Online safety prior to holidays Summer wellbeing Sun safety	Reflection, transition, celebration, safety, growth, achievement, responsibility, gratitude, growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are you most proud of this year? • How have you grown as a person? • How can we stay safe during the holidays? • What lessons will you carry forward? • How have you contributed positively to your community? • How have we contributed to our community?