

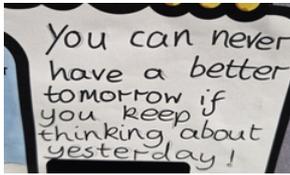


Article of the Month - January



Article 29 states each child has the right to be the best that they can be. Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

Some classes explored this right through a variety of activities including the Primary 6s who looked at "New Year, New Goals". They reflected on their strengths, identified skills they are practicing and set new intentions for the new year. They also wrote a positive mantra to encourage a positive mindset and to motivate their fellow classmates.



As part of our Rights Respecting Schools "Going for Gold" award, we have introduced a new school certificate to be presented at assemblies, celebrating pupils who demonstrate our school values. Our Rights Rangers will present these to selected pupils each week.

Anti-Bullying Behaviour Policy

Our Rights Rangers have been working hard to help create our new child-friendly behaviour policy. Our Rangers will be sharing this with the whole school during their assembly at the end of February and a poster will be displayed within the classrooms.

NEW

HILLINGDON PRIMARY SCHOOL Anti Bullying Policy

What is bullying?

Bullying is when someone hurts another person on purpose. This can be physically, like being pushed or hit, or emotionally, such as being called names or left out.

Bullying can be...

- Verbal - being called names, teased or threatened
- Physical - hit, tripped, pushed or kicked
- Emotional - ignored, left out or having rumors spread about you
- Cyber - horrible messages, pictures or images on social media, online game platforms or phones/tablets
- Identity based - being targeted because of who you are or who you are perceived to be
- Material - belongings being taken or damaged

What to do if I feel bullied?

Any trusted adult within the school will help. You could tell a teacher, support assistant, someone in the office or janitor. Whoever you are comfortable with.

What will our school do to help?

In school the adult will listen to your concerns and ask you questions about what is happening. They will make you feel safe and supported.

What will happen if you bully?

You must take responsibility for your actions. You will take steps to repair the harm you have caused. You will need to talk to an adult about your worries and concerns.

Bullying and your Rights

Bullying takes away your rights. You have the right to be respected and feel safe at school, and bullying stops you from enjoying those rights.

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How can I be a positive role model?

This links to our school values:

- Show respect
- Show compassion
- Include others
- Fairness
- Treat others equally

Coming Soon...

- Article of the Month for February - Article 17 and 19 - Linked to Internet Safety Day 10th Feb
- Rights Rangers Assembly on 27th Feb to launch new Anti-Bullying Policy