



Collective Worship Plan 2017-18

Term 3

The main theme for this term is Honesty

Please link Reflective Areas in classrooms to this theme.

Ideas for Reflective Areas and displays:

Pictures of the 'legal, decent and honest' checklist for adverts; a pair of scales; WordArt (produced in Microsoft Word) of other synonyms for honesty, such as truth, lack of bias, plain speaking, refusal to exaggerate, and so on.

A recurring motif could be Post-it 'mouths', which might 'speak' the truth or lie, with speech bubbles coming out of them. Ask: 'How honest are your words? Have you told a lie?'

Another motif that could be used to decorate the display is 'honesty seeds'- 'honesty' can spread like the seeds inside these petals.

Bible verses to include could be: ***'If you can control your tongue, you are grown-up'*** (James 3:2, paraphrased).

The ninth commandment: ***'Do not tell lies about others'*** (Exodus 20:16, CEV).

A verse to discuss from Proverbs 16:8: ***'It is better to be honest and poor than dishonest and rich.'***

Some other images from around this Bible passage include a rudder and a horses' bit, used as similes of the tongue - small things that can affect the course of something much bigger. Likewise honesty in speech can have a big influence.

Include a copy of the storybook about 'crying wolf'; also a copy of the rhyme 'liar, liar... pants on fire'.

Use the headline 'fact or fiction?'; a copy of the oath taken in court ('I swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth'); pictures of pure gold or refined silver as symbols of pure honesty.

Make up a pretend family tree of 'lies', suggesting that one lie will produce many more.

You could also include a copy of Hilaire Belloc's poem about Matilda who lied.

Key questions to have on the display: Why do I sometimes tell a lie? Why do I sometimes exaggerate the truth? Am I always honest with myself? Do I make an honest friend? Who do I trust always to be honest with me?

Please remember to start giving me children's work by the end of week 2, so I can put them on display. Don't forget to save some work for the church display.

Thank you! 😊

w/b: 1.1.17 Theme: Epiphany Key Bible text – The Wise Men visit Jesus	
Wednesday (03.01.18)	Whole School Collective Worship – Epiphany – Children to wear homemade crowns Rv Canon Penock-Claire B
Thursday (04.01.18)	FS/KS1 Class Collective Worship KS2 Collective Worship (Hall)- Afroditi
Friday (05.01.18)	Celebration Assembly – Lianne

w/b: 8.1.17 Theme: Monday - Being honest with yourself - facing up to a new year; new year's resolutions; turning over a new 'honesty leaf'; being true to yourself; saying 'no' to lying and cheating; owning up to mistakes. The Ten Commandments – do not lie / give false testimony against neighbour. The Boy Who Cried Wolf? Key Bible text – Exodus 20 verse 16	
Monday (08.01.18)	Whole School – Claire B –
Tuesday (09.01.18)	FS/KS1 Collective Worship (Hall)– Sally KS2 Class Collective Worship
Wednesday (10.01.18)	Whole school Choral Worship (Hall)-Cara/Lianne
Thursday (11.01.18)	FS/KS1 Class Collective Worship KS2 Collective Worship (Hall)- Natasha
Friday (12.01.18)	Celebration Assembly – Lianne

w/b: 15.1.17 Theme: Being honest with others. Joseph the dreamer (Monday) Joseph's brothers being dishonest and selling him to traders and lying to their father Jacob about what had happened to him Joseph's brothers lie about his death - see (the relevant song about this from the musical could be used to tell this story). Key Bible passage - Genesis 37:17-33	
Monday (15.01.18)	Whole School – Claire B –
Tuesday (16.01.18)	FS/KS1 Collective Worship (Hall)– Sharon KS2 Class Collective Worship
Wednesday (17.01.18)	Whole school Choral Worship (Hall)-Cara/Lianne
Thursday (18.01.18)	FS/KS1 Class Collective Worship KS2 Collective Worship (Hall)- Sandy

Friday 20 th	Celebration Assembly – Lianne
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w/b: 22.1.17 Theme: Monday - Being trustworthy - God knows everything we do - Justice and Honesty – Naboth’s Vineyard http://www.barnabasinschools.org.uk/justice-and-honesty/ Key Bible passages – 1 Kings 21 Theme: Being honest with others. Jacob lies to his father in order to gain the blessing of the firstborn. Story of Jacob and Esau Key Bible passage – see Genesis 27:1-45	
Monday (22.01.18)	Open the book-Claire B
Tuesday (23.01.18)	FS/KS1 Collective Worship (Hall)– Becky KS2 Class Collective Worship
Wednesday (24.01.18)	Whole school Choral Worship (Hall)-Cara/Lianne
Thursday (25.01.18)	FS/KS1Class Collective Worship KS2 Collective Worship (Hall)- Laura
Friday (26.01.18)	Celebration Assembly – Lianne

w/b: 29.1.17 Changing from dishonesty / Having courage to be honest The story of Zacchaeus http://www.barnabasinschools.org.uk/standing-up-zacchaeus/ Key Bible passages – Luke 19:1-10	
Monday (29.01.18)	Whole School – Claire B –
Tuesday (30.01.18)	FS/KS1 Collective Worship (Hall)– Sally KS2 Class Collective Worship
Wednesday (31.01.18)	Whole school Choral Worship (Hall)-Cara/lianne
Thursday (01.02.18)	FS/KS1Class Collective Worship KS2 Collective Worship (Hall)- Afroditi
Friday (02.02.18)	Celebration Assembly – Lianne

w/b: 5.2.17

Theme: Monday - Jesus as a perfect example of being trustworthy and honest

Jesus saying "I am the way, the truth and the life."

Key Bible passage– John 14:6

Being honest in what we say and keep promises - Jesus teaches his followers to be honest in their speech and to keep their promises - see

Key Bible passage– Matthew 5:33-37.

Monday (05.02.18)	Whole School – Claire B –Canon Pennock
Tuesday (06.02.18)	FS/KS1 Collective Worship (Hall)– Sharon KS2 Class Collective Worship
Wednesday (07.02.18)	Whole school Choral Worship (Hall)-Cara/Lianne
Thursday (08.02.18)	Andy Hodgson-New Life Church
Friday (09.02.18)	Celebration Assembly – Lianne