

My World (Values) Curriculum

Parent Collaboration Event 11 September 2023



Presentation coverage

- Why?
- What we teach & when?
- Who & How?



Why? Typical 1st experiences of young people aged 11-16

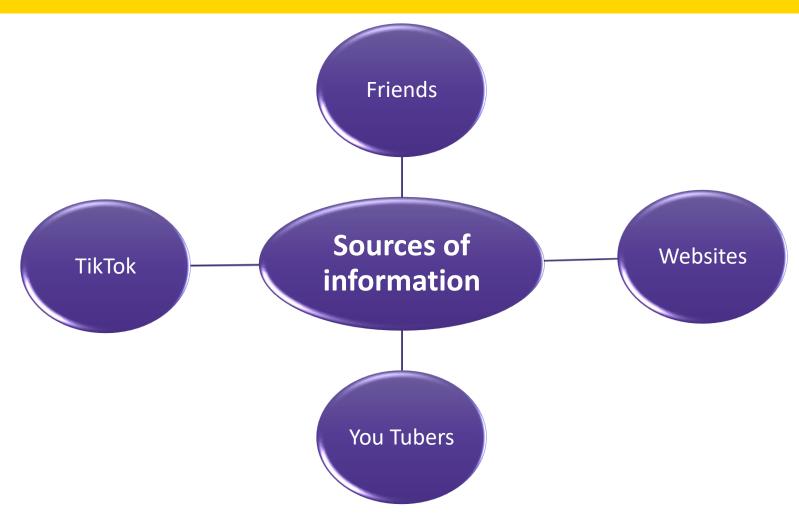
- Travel to school on their own
- Have 1st sleep over at a friend's house
- Travel into town without an adult
- Experience 1st date/1st kiss/falling in love/sexual experience
- Choice of how to spend money
- Witness/experience bullying
- Witness/experience of homophobia, racism
- Question body image
- Open bank account

- Start of puberty
- Offered (and tried) a cigarette/alcohol
- Make choices about drug use
- Opportunity to join a gang
- Whether to carry a knife (or another weapon)
- Choices relating to career
- Using contraception
- Be responsible for own actions in law (10 years old)

How are young people going to learn the skills and knowledge to manage these experiences?



Where young people get their knowledge



How reliable are they?



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Introduction to 'My World'

Statutory curriculum:

- PSHE
- RSE
- Citizenship
- British Values
- SMSC
- Prevent

Values Strands:

- UK: Democracy & Law
- International: Democracy & Law
- Respect & Equality
- Citizenship & Community
- Health & Wellbeing
- Relationships
- Finance
- Careers Advice & Guidance



Overview

Term	Values strands	Example content	
Autumn	International: Democracy & Law	Where our law comes from Role of police Role of UN, Commonwealth, Parliament, political parties, local government Importance of voting Discrimination (9 protected characteristics of the Equality Act) Radicalisation Importance of community and how they can work for the benefit of it	
	UK: Democracy & Law		
	Respect & Tolerance		
	Citizenship & Community		
	Finance (Y11)	Interpreting pay slips, debt, APRs, risk & reward	
Spring & Summer 1	Health & Wellbeing	Physical and mental health, changing hormones	
	Relationships	Gambling Gangs & peer pressure, safe relationships – on and offline, consent, RS	
Summer 2	Finance	Budgeting, debt and types of borrowing, consumer law	
	Careers	Competencies for the workplace (Barclays life skills) – Communication, leadership, problem solving	

Autumn term by YG

Y7	Y8	Y9	Y10	Y11
What are public institutions? Where do our values/behaviours come from? The law and the role of police. Volunteering. Tolerance & harmony – different but the same. Respectful relationships. Identifying & combatting discrimination. What makes a good community?	Development of the UK political system. Voting & parliament. Separation of powers in the UK. The role of the police. The role of the UK courts of law. Citizens work together to improve communities. Human rights – freedom to hold different beliefs. Respecting religion. Tackling age discrimination. Contributing positively to the community.	The role of political parties. Different electoral systems. Human Rights legislation. Liberties due to the Equality Act. Where UK law comes from. Social enterprise. How prejudice can lead to extremism. Sexual identity & discrimination. Religious & ethnic diversity. Disability and the dangers of stereotyping.	The UKs relationship with the rest of the world. Different types of government. Why vote? Respect for the law. Legal boundaries. Does faith have to divide? What does respect look like? How Britain became multicultural. Gender identity and discrimination. Contributing positively to the community.	Next steps (after full time education and money. Payslips explained. Budgeting. Money & mental health. Borrowing, repaying and interest. Manageable and unmanageable debt. Types of personal financial risk. Investments. Protecting yourself (financially). Types of insurance Protecting yourself from financial scams.

Advance notice of Citizenship & Community Xmas project

YG	Xmas Community Project	
7	Shoe box appeal	
8	Community Christmas card competition	
9	Christmas bauble decorating	
10&11	Foodbank collection	









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Who?

Your child's Tutor:

- It's really important that students feel that My World lessons are a safe place to ask questions – your child is most likely to feel comfortable asking their Tutor
- Tutors best know your child and their circumstances



Creating the right environment

In our My World lessons, I will remember:

- 1. To listen to other people's point of view and expect to be listened to.
- 2. To use the correct words rather than slang words as they may be offensive.
- 3. To not ask questions that try to embarrass anyone else.
- 4. To be open and honest but not directly discuss my own or others personal lives in a way that others could identify who I am talking about.
- 5. To keep what has been shared in the room unless I am concerned someone is at risk, in which case I will follow the schools safeguarding policy and encourage them to seek help.
- 6. It is OK to disagree with other people, but I will not judge anyone or put them down.
- 7. To not make assumptions about other people's values, attitudes, behaviours, life experiences or feelings.



How?

- 1. 2x 30 minutes slots per week both during afternoon registration
- 2. There is progression within the values strands from year to year
- 3. The DLDs each term link to the themes of the My World lessons for that term
- 4. Consolidation of half termly assessment multiple choice/short answer questions
- 5. One week per term students will have the opportunity to be creative with what they have learnt in My World across that term
 - 1. Tutor display



Deep Learning Days

Term	Theme
Autumn (19/10/23)	Respect & Equality
Spring (19/3/24)	Keeping Healthy & Safe
Summer (3/7/24)	Careers



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