

BRITISH VALUES

BRITISH VALUE	BRITISH VALUES AT HAWKESBURY SCHOOL
DEMOCRACY	Our children have plenty of opportunities to experience democracy within the school environment. We encourage children to show ambition and to take on positions of responsibility . As a result, we hold elections for our School Council as well as House captains and vice captains. We encourage children to work in groups and use their creativity in order to establish the direction of their learning. As a result, children are required to listen to the ideas of others around them and to vote for the best options.
RULE OF LAW	Our school has a behaviour policy detailing rewards and sanctions that are commonly used throughout the school and understood by our pupils. The reasons behind our rules are shared with the children so that they can understand and respect the need for laws in our community.
INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY	We actively encourage our pupils to be independent and be involved in the planning of elements of their learning. We provide a safe learning environment in which they can develop their ideas and prosper. We welcome different ideas and strategies and celebrate creativity and perseverance .
MUTUAL RESPECT	Respect is a key value of the school and is understood by all members of our community. Services are regularly held that promote this value in order to develop respect on a personal, local and global level.
TOLERANCE OF THOSE WITH DIFFERENT BELIEFS	Our community is not very culturally diverse. For this reason, we provide whole school services and learning experiences that promote awareness and respect for other cultures and religions.