



Week Commencing	SMSC Assembly Theme	Assembly Outline	Debate Focus and Year Group	Resources
Monday 22 nd Feb	Democracy in Britain (FBV-citizens making decisions)	<p>1. Can you think of a situation where you have voted for something? (<i>school council, choosing which game to play at playtime, deciding on teams, sharing tasks, making choices over classroom activities</i>)</p> <p>2. Choose a child-tell them they can be 'leader' for the day. Explain they can decide what everyone learns during lessons and what we play on the playground. Let the child tell everyone what they've decided for the day!</p> <p>3. How would you feel if only one person was always allowed to make the choice and your opinion was never considered? (<i>frustrated, unfair, powerless, confused, controlled</i>)</p> <p>4. What is a democracy? <i>A system where people vote to decide who leads the country. The government (leaders) then listen to, and consider the views of the people. Where people are given a choice over decisions. Where the ideas of others are considered. Where leaders represent the people.</i></p> <p>5. Why is democracy important? <i>So that decisions are made fairly, so that the decisions consider the thoughts of everyone.</i></p> <p>6. Do we have democracy in our country? What does this look like? KS2-Show the Newsround clip below to see how democracy works in Britain http://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/30880972</p> <p>Ensure ch understand the importance of democracy within Britain and how it is important that as citizens of our country, we make decisions for our future.</p>	<p>Year 4</p> <p>Is it important to listen to everyone's opinions?</p>	<p>http://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/30880972</p>



<p>Monday 29th Feb</p>	<p>St David's Day (March 1st)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask the children if they know what special day was celebrated yesterday? 2. Explain that it was St David's Day in Wales in honour of Saint David the patron Saint of Wales. 3. Do the children know of any stories about St David? 4. Share ideas and watch the clip below http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories/lets-celebrate-stdavidsperformance 5. Discuss how in Wales there would have been lots of celebrations taking place yesterday. 6. Watch some children celebrating in the below film http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-stdavids2 7. Why is it important to celebrate these occasions? Discuss coming together to recognise the changes and important decisions people before us made. 	<p>Year 3</p> <p>Should children have to go to school on national days of celebrations?</p>	<p>http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories/lets-celebrate-stdavidsperformance</p>
<p>Monday 7th March</p>	<p>Good Samaritan Day - First Aid Situations</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tell the ch that this Sunday, 13th of March, it is 'Good Samaritan Day'. 2. What do you think the term 'good Samaritan' means? What might a good Samaritan do? 3. Explain that the day is dedicated to celebrating kindness and the actions of those who help others in need. 4. Tell the ch we are going to focus on how first aid can help others in dangerous situations. 5. Go to the British Red Cross weblink below and share with the children the 6 different first aid scenarios: http://www.redcross.org.uk/What-we-do/Teaching-resources/Teaching-packages/Microsite/Life-Live-it-first-aid-education-for-children/What-is-first-aid/How-to-videos 	<p>Year 6</p> <p>Aren't we all 'good Samaritans'?</p>	<p>http://www.redcross.org.uk/What-we-do/Teaching-resources/Teaching-packages/Microsite/Life-Live-it-first-aid-education-for-children/Wh</p>



		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Reflect upon the videos. Do ch feel like they'd know what to do in these situations if someone was in distress? 7. Why is it important to be a good Samaritan and help others that need us? 8. Share any experiences that ch may have where they have felt helped by others (maybe even a stranger-highlight stranger awareness-compared to times where a strangers help may be acceptable!) 		at-is-first-aid/How-to-videos
Monday 14 th March	Sports Relief-Supporting charities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ask the ch-which important charity event is taking place across our country this week? 2. Ask the ch if they can tell you anything about Sport Relief? Who does it help? What is it about? 3. What are we doing as an Academy this Friday? Running a mile! 4. Watch the film about Champa to show ch how we need to support the work of Sport Relief. <i>Champa is a ten-year-old girl who lives in a slum in Dhaka, Bangladesh. She spends four hours a day collecting rubbish from the streets with her younger brother to earn money for food.</i> 5. The good news is a project funded by Sport Relief cash is helping her. Champa goes to a drop-in centre for a few hours a day, where she can study, make new friends and find time to play like other children her own age. http://www.sportrelief.com/schools/primary/learning-resources?utm_source=schools&utm_medium=redirect&utm_campaign=champa 6. Discuss the challenges faced by working children and how money raised for Sport Relief helps. 7. What do you think would be the hardest thing about Champa's 	<p>Year 5</p> <p>Should it be compulsory to give money to charities?</p>	http://www.sportrelief.com/schools/primary/learning-resources?utm_source=schools&utm_medium=redirect&utm_campaign=champa



		<p>life?</p> <p>8. What emotions do you think Champa feels when she is litter picking?</p> <p>9. What are the things that Champa likes to do?</p> <p>10. How is money raised by Sport Relief making a difference to Champa on a day-to-day basis? How might it make a difference to her future?</p>		
Monday 21 st March	<p>Easter & Christianity</p> <p>FBV- different faiths</p>	<p>1. Ask ch which holiday is coming up?</p> <p>2. What are the children looking forward to? How do they celebrate Easter?</p> <p>3. Why is Easter important, what is it about?</p> <p>4. Revisit the Easter story with the class. Use PowerPoint to support if necessary.</p> <p>5. How do the things we do and eat at Easter link with the Christian story?</p> <p>6. Where would Christians go on this special weekend?</p> <p>7. Watch the below clip of a Christian family celebrating this special time of year. http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-easter2</p> <p>8. Reflect upon this important time of year and how Jesus forgave others. Can we forgive too? Share any examples of when children have done so.</p>	Year 4	<p>Is it important that children in Britain learn about different faiths?</p>