



Year 5 Autumn 1 Being Me

This first Jigsaw unit of work is all about being me in my world. In this Puzzle (unit) the children think and talk about the year ahead, goals they could set for themselves as well as the challenges they may face. They learn and talk about their rights and responsibilities as a member of their class, school, wider community and the country they live in. The children talk about their own behaviour and its impact on a group as well as choices, rewards, consequences and the feelings associated with each. They also talk about democracy, how it benefits the school and how they can contribute towards it.

Questions for family learning

What makes an effective class team?

- How do all the different people in school work together so that it runs well?
Does everyone have a role in school?

- Do you have choices about how to behave?

How do rules, rewards and consequences help with this?

- What do you think democracy is? Can you give an example?
- What skills do you have that can help a team work well together?
- What are the Jigsaw Friends in your class called? How are the Jigsaw Friends used in your Jigsaw lessons?
- Can you tell me about Calm Me time?

Your challenge:

What makes a good team? What makes them successful?

Create a football team or a team of your choice. Give your team a name, design a kit and a team logo. When finished, explain the importance of teamwork. What qualities do the team need to work together?

Or



How many other different examples of teamwork do you know? This may include animals as well as humans. Choose a group of either people or animals and write about how they work together as a team.

I've put some sample pictures below to give you some ideas.

