



Year 5 Autumn 2 Celebrating Difference

This second Jigsaw unit of work is all about celebrating difference. In this Puzzle (unit) the class explore culture and cultural differences. They link this to racism, talking about what it is and how to be aware of their own feelings towards people from different cultures. They revisit the topic of bullying and discuss rumour spreading and name-calling. The children talk about direct and indirect bullying as well as ways to encourage children to not using bullying behaviours. The class talk about happiness regardless of material wealth and respecting other people's cultures.

Questions for family learning

- What is our culture?
- Can people with different cultures be friends?
- How can differences in culture cause conflict?
 - What is racism?
 - Why is racism unfair?
- What are your feelings about racism?
- How can bullying affect how a person feels about themselves? Is this fair?
 - Is money more important than happiness?
- What can we do to help people who are less fortunate than us?
 - Can you show me how to do a Calm me time?

Your challenge:

On a world map choose another culture and explore what children do at school.

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

