



**REDMILE CE
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Rise
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Collective Worship Overview

Teach children how they should live and they will remember it all their lives.

(Proverbs 22:6)

As a Church of England Primary School, Collective Worship is an integral part of every day in school for all staff and children. It is a time when the whole school comes together to learn, listen, reflect and pray. Our worships are invitational, inclusive and inspirational.

The main focus of our worships are the four values which form the fundamental ethos of our school:

Friendship: we show friendship by looking out for one another and sharing our love! We can help and take care of one another.

Respect: respect is treating others how you want to be treated. If you want to show respect, you should know everyone is unique and different. We show respect to everyone and everything.

Forgiveness: when someone has done something bad to you they say sorry. To forgive them means you didn't hold it against them anymore. You let it go.

Perseverance: we demonstrate perseverance through continued effort. Even though, we may have to overcome difficulties; find things hard and keep trying.



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Transforming the
lives of children and
young people

Educating for wisdom,
hope, community and
dignity



Other values, including British Values, form our Collective Worship. Many significant and important events and celebrations, including those from other religions are also included in the schedule.

Every worship includes music and song both as a time for reflection and listening, and through raising voices in praise. Reverend Monica and Reverend Mike regularly join our Collective Worship, as well as festivals and celebrations held throughout the year.

Friendship ○ Perseverance ○ Forgiveness ○ Respect



Each week follows a similar routine:

Monday	Whole-School Worship – focusing on our weekly values
Tuesday	Whole-School Worship – focusing on our values through current affairs
Wednesday	Whole-School Worship – focusing on our weekly values through pupil-led worship.
Thursday	Whole-School Worship – focusing on our weekly values, or a significant festival or event.
Friday	Whole-School Worship – focusing on our weekly values and our connections around the world

We have a very involved and active team of Worship Leaders. The leaders have the important role of preparing and setting up for worship each day, including dressing and preparing the Worship Table - the focal point for worship. They organise the candle and the song/hymn choice, as well as preparing the hall to receive the staff and children.

The Worship Team support the delivery of collective worship and prayer throughout the school. They write and read prayers, including special ones for worship and for key events and celebrations. They also support and care for the school reflection areas and all those who wish to use that area for their own private prayer and reflection. The Collective Worship Team also lead the evaluation of worship and feedback to the Collective Worship Team leader.

Please see the Collective Worship Plan for each term for more details about the content of the worships.