



British Values

The five British Values are:

◇ **Democracy**

Democracy can be seen as a state of society characterised by equality of rights and privileges. It can also refer to our nation's electoral systems.

◇ **The rule of law**

All people and institutions are subject to and accountable to law that is fairly applied and enforced.

◇ **Individual liberty**

Individual liberty suggests the free exercise of rights generally seen as outside Government control.

◇ **Mutual respect**

The proper regard for an individual's dignity, which is reciprocated.

◇ **Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs**

A fair, objective, and permissive attitude to those whose faith and beliefs may differ from one's own.

It is, without question, everyone's duty to ensure they do not undermine these fundamental British values as detailed in the current Teacher Standards Part Two: Personal and Professional Conduct.