Great Horwood Church of England School

Character Education Curriculum Mapping Cycle A (2023-2024) & B (2024-2025)

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	EYFS Nursery and Reception							
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6		
Topic Cycle A 2023-2024								
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection		
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Trying new things session A and B Caring Hands session A Trying new things session A and B Who helps you? session A and B	Working together to help Little Red Hen The alphabet of kindness Virtue Shields	Let's wash our hands It's not fair/ fair shares session A and B Saying 'hello' to people in your classroom session A and B	Growing in the community session A and B Patience in my class Showing respect in the classroom session A and B Virtue Shields	Good manners Saying sorry The strength of a Superhero! Sitting Still	Picture journals session A and B Telling the truth session A and B Virtue Shields		
Topic Cycle B 2024-2025								
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection		
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Trying new things session A and B Caring Hands session A Trying new things session A and B Who helps you? Session A and B	The biggest snowman The alphabet of kindness Virtue Shields	Cleaning up our toys It's not fair/ fair shares session A and B Saying 'hello' to people in your classroom session A and B	Growing in the community session A and B The paws of patience Showing respect in the classroom session A and B Virtue Shields	Careful Listening Forgiving Words Goal! Speaking and Listening	Picture journals session A and B Telling the truth session A and B Virtue Shields		

	Character Education Key Stage 1 Years 1 & 2						
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5 /6	July	
Topic Cycle A 2023-2024	Unique you and me!	Pepys Pudding Palava!	Towers, Tunnels and Turrets!	There's no place like home!	The Secret Scented Garden! (Assessment period)	Pupil initiated:	
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Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Coming into school session A and B Caring for ourselves, eyes and caring for ourselves, ears Who do you help? Session A and B	Many hands make light work Working together to achieve a challenging task The book of virtues Virtue Shields	Cleanliness and orderliness session A and B Fair shares for others Session A and B Practice making a new friend Session A and B	Growing in the community session A and B The pencil of patience Patient partners How does the ugly duckling feel? Making the ugly duckling feel welcome	Courtesy at the lunch table: hungry tummy Courtesy in the playground Oops! I made a mistake Help me to forgive You can do it! Reach for the stars	Thank you cards, writing Thank you cards, designing Not stealing Not cheating Virtue Shields	
Topic Cycle B 2024-2025	Marvelous Transport!	Terrific Toys! (Then and now)	Going on a Safari!	To the Moon and the Stars!	Oh, we do like to be beside the seaside! (Assessments)	Pupil initiated:	
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Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Saying hello to new people session A and B Caring for others and family session A and B People who help us session A and B	Practicing conflict resolution through role play Encouraging one another The cup of kindness Virtue Shields	Food hygiene session A and B Fair shares for others Session A and B Practice introducing and asking questions sessions A and B	Growing in the community session A and B Busy adults Games that encourage Classroom rules that help us show respect Playground rules that help us show respect	Aesop's fable Courtesy in the classroom I beg your pardon Mending a friendship Dream on Aim high	A visit from a school staff member Thanking the classroom visitor Telling the who truth session A and B Virtue Shields of Aristotle's bottles	

Character Education Lower Key Stage 2 Years 3 & 4

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5 /6	July
Topic Cycle A 2023-2024	Going back in time!	Light of the World!	What an incredible earth!	A clang and a bang!	Pharaohs and Pyramids of the Nile (Assessments)	Pupil initiated:
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Learning from mistakes session A and B Caring for our school session A and B People who need our help session A and B	Bury the hatchet! Strengths and needs Secret agents of kindness Aristotle's bottles	Looking after your teeth Cleaning our teeth Two sides to every story session A and B Who do our friends need from us session A and B	Fundraising for the community session A and B Patient hands Brain, board, book, buddy, boss Showing respect whilst out and about Showing respect at home Aristotle's bottles	Courtesy to others: school visitors session A and B Why should I forgive? Please forgive me If at first you don't succeed/ I'm a believer A bubbly challenge! Session A and B	A visit from a school staff member Thanking the classroom visitor Scenarios: honesty role play Aristotle's bottles Reflection writing
Topic Cycle B 2024-2025	Making my body work for me	The Frozen Kingdom	Rampaging Romans	Where will we find them?	Gods and Heroes (Assessments)	Pupil initiated:
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Sports day session A and B Caring for the environment session A and B Helpfulness in your class Session A and B	Team building skills: the human knot session A and B Kindness acrostics Aristotle's bottles	Clean words session A and B School rules session A and B Flexible friends session A and B	Fundraising for the community session A and B A patient survivor Games that develop patience Powerful respect session A and B Reflection writing	Courtesy on school trips: out and about Courtesy to our neighbours: the good Samaritan Feeling of forgiveness Forgiving myself Never give up! What an example Can you wait session A and B	A visit from the school cook Writing a class thank you letter Being honest with yourself session A and B Aristotle's bottles Reflection writing

Character Education Upper Key Stage 2 Years 5 & 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5 /6	July
Topic Cycle A 2023-2024	It's time for a Disaster!	Victorian Children and Christmas	Animal, Vegetable or Mineral?	To be or not to be?	We have the Power to change! (Assessments)	Pupil initiated:
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Facing our fears session A and B Caring for our community: understanding dementia session A and B Helpfulness in your family session A and B	Understanding Aesop's tale: the bundle of sticks session A and B Cruel to be kind Aristotle's bottles	No smoking session A and B Seeing another point of view session A and B What are my friends interested in? session A and B	Keeping company in the community session A and B Patient snowflakes Session A and B Tricky discussion questions Similarities and differences Reflection writing	A courteous debate: round one and round two Positive role models People who inspire us session A and session B Knowing the limits session A and B	Where did that come from session A and B Being tactful session A and B Aristotle's bottles Reflection writing
Topic Cycle B 2024-2025	Invade, Conquer Settle	We're all Wonders!	May the Force be with you!	Globe Trotters and Map Makers	Spies, Suspicions and Secrets (Assessments)	Pupil initiated:
Virtue for study	Courage Caring Helpfulness	Cooperation Kindness Reflection	Cleanliness Fairness Friendliness	Service Project (charities from school council) Patience Respect Reflection	Courtesy Forgiveness Determination Self-Discipline	Gratitude Honesty Reflection
Session Titles- Skills and Knowledge	Heroes: knightly virtues Caring for our world: who owns the sky? Caring for our world: sustainability posters Who would you help? Session A and B	Coaching younger children: hula-hoop session A and B What would a kind school look like? Knightly virtues journal	Clean up your act Spring clean your mind Justice session A and B Developing friendships that last session A and B	Keeping company in the community session A and B Let me teach you! Session A and B Human rights session A and B Reflection writing	The knightly virtues session A and B Solving conflicts fairly Problem solving: solution focused approach Soldiering on Achieve your potential	Reflecting on gratitude session A and B The knightly virtues, El Cid session A and B Aristotle's bottles Reflection Writing