



The John Locke Academy

Opening Minds to Success

Statement on the place of British values

John Locke Academy is situated in an area of rich cultural diversity. All staff are expected to ensure pupils acquire an appreciation of and respect for their own and other cultures, in a way that promotes tolerance and harmony between different cultural traditions.

We are committed to develop children as British citizens. Staff are expected to encourage pupils to respect the fundamental British values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect, and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.

Within the curriculum there will opportunity to explore a range of beliefs and values. Children will be encouraged to develop as confident members of a parliamentary democracy and to understand their individual roles and responsibilities relating to participation in the political process. Where political issues are brought to the attention of the pupils, staff must ensure that a balance of opposing views is presented. Partisan political views must not be promoted in the teaching of any subject at John Locke Academy