

VOCABULARY DOZEN!

parliament

The group of people responsible for making laws for a country. Parliament is made up of The House of Commons, The House of Lords and the Monarch.

MP- members of parliament

MP stands for members of parliament. Britain is split up into areas. Each area has their own MP who acts to look after the people living there. MPs spend most of their time working in the House of Commons

respect

Respect is caring how our words and actions may impact others.

elect

To choose someone for a particular role by voting for them.

rules

Rules are a set of guidelines to show us what we should or should not do.

representative

A person elected to act or speak for others.

positions of authority

A person in a position of authority has the power to make important decisions.

debate

A formal discussion on a topic in which opposing arguments are put forwards.

councils

A group of people who have been elected to manage the affairs of an area.

Responsibilities

A responsibility is something you are expected to do.

Rule of law

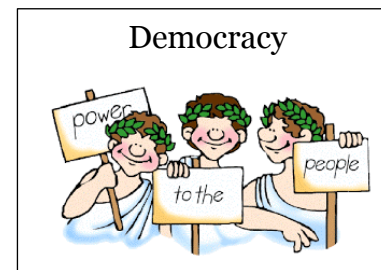
Rule of law means that no person or government is above the law and decisions must be made legally. We all have to follow the rules.

Democracy

A democracy means rule by the people. In a democracy, the people have a say how the government is run. They do this through voting.

KEY AREAS OF LEARNING

- We will learn about the conventions of courtesy & manners and how do these vary.
- We will reflect on how our behaviour online affects others & how we can still show respect.
- We will think about why it is important to keep our personal information private, especially online.
- We will reflect on how we can contribute to making and changing rules in school.
- We will discuss how we can make a difference in school.
- We will discuss whether there are places or times when we have to behave differently.
- We will learn about the basic rights of children and adults.
- We will discuss the laws that we have in our country.
- We will learn how democracy works in our community and in our country.
- We will find out what councils, councillors, parliament and MPs do.
- We will learn and demonstrate the skills involved in taking part in a debate.



This topic links to the British Values of: Rule of Law and Democracy