**Valuing differences**

**Year 3**

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| In Autumn 2 we will be learning all about valuing differences  |
| This is what we will be learning about | * Recognising and respecting diversity – different types of families
* Being respectful and tolerant
* My community
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| Here is some of the vocabulary we will be using | Family, community, respect, similarities, prejudice, adoption, belonging, cooperation, differences, disability, fostering, listening skills, identity, name calling, gender, same-sex couple, politeness, respect, bullying, race, blended family, courtesy, colour, manners, sexuality |
| You can support your child by talking to them about –* Different types of family
* What is meant by 'adoption' 'fostering' and 'same-sex relationships'
* The benefits that come with belonging to a community, in particular the benefit to mental health and wellbeing
* People living in the UK have different origins
* Similarities and differences in ethnic and religious backgrounds
* The factors that make people similar to and different from each other
* Strategies for dealing with name calling (including talking to a trusted adult)
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| If you have any questions about this learning or would like to view the resources we will be using in lessons, please speak to your child’s Class Teacher.  |