

## Talk time...

Talk about all the different ways you show respect to each other at home.

We can show respect to people by the way we speak to them. What does this mean?

How can we show respect to each other with our actions?

## Words of Wisdom...

'Respect is how to treat everyone. Not just those you want to impress.'

Sir Richard Branson

Home-School-Community Task Draw a picture of someone you respect. Write five reasons why you have chosen this person. This half term, in our community, we will be focussing on the value of Respect. We hope you will find these ideas helpful and enjoyable as you explore the value of RESPECT.

Jesus said, 'Do for other people the same things you want them to do for you.' Matthew 7:12

## Community Bible Storytime... Respect Parable: The Wedding Banquet

Jesus tells the story about a king who was making plans to hold a great banquet for his son's wedding. He decided to send invitations out to all his friends, family and all the people who were important to him. He made the preparations for a great party and went to great lengths to make it a special event.

On the day of the banquet nobody turned up! The king sent his servants to the invited people, but they all declined the offer (rather rudely) to come to the party stating they were all too busy. Not wanting all of his efforts to go to waste, the king sent his servants out again. He told his servants to go out into the streets and welcome everybody they came across to come to the party - the poor, the hungry...anybody!

The room began to fill up and the party was a success. The people who came were not the king's friends or family, they were not rich or famous, but they came and the king was very happy. They respected the invitation and all the work that had gone in to preparing the party and were welcomed. Jesus tells of how this is like the invitation to heaven. Heaven is open to anyone who wants to come.

Respect the invitation - Everyone is invited.

We are all God's children.



## Prayer time...

Dear God, Please help me to treat everyone with kindness and respect. Help me to tolerate those that are different to me and to respect and celebrate our differences. Amen