

Biblical Basis for our Shire Oak Values and Class Christian Values

Sharing (Reception Class)

What? Feeding of the 5000

A young boy shares his five loaves and two fish to feed 5,000 people and their families and the disciples recovered 12 small baskets full of leftovers.

Where? In Matthew 14:13-21, Mark 6:31-44, Luke 9:10-17 and John 6:5-15,

Kindness (Year 1)

What? The Golden Rule

“Do unto others as you would have them do to you.”

Where? Luke 6:27-31

Love (Year 2)

What? What is love like.

“Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.”

Where? 1 Corinthians 13:4-5

What? Jesus tell us to love everyone.

“A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.” He continues, “By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another”

Where? John 13:35

Trust (Year 3)

What? Story of David and Goliath

David trusts and can overcome a mighty giant

Where? 1 Samuel 17:45-47

What? Jesus Calms the Storm

Where? Matthew 8:23-26

What? The parable of the mustard seed

If you have faith like a mustard seed it can be very powerful.

Where? Matthew 17:20

Respect (Year 4)

What? Everyone is equal and a child of God.

Where? Galatians 3:26-29

What? Jesus respected everyone: tax collectors, women, slaves, the sick and diseased... people that were not respected in those times

Where? Throughout the New Testament, including the parables.

What? How to be respected

Where? Proverbs 3:3-6

What? Respect your parents and everyone you meet

Where? Matthew 19:19

Forgiveness (Year 5)

What? The Parable of the Prodigal (or Lost) Son

Where? Luke 15:11-32

What? The Parable of the Unforgiving Servant / how many times should we forgive?

“Then Peter came up and said to him, ‘Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?’ Jesus said to him, ‘I do not say to you seven times, but seventy-seven times.’”

Where? Matthew 18:21-22

Compassion (Year 6)

What? The Story of the Good Samaritan (compassion for all, regardless of race, religion or background)

Where? Luke 10:29-37

What? What is God like? “He heals the broken hearted and binds up their wounds.”

Where? Psalm 147:3

What are our values?

Children at Shire Oak enjoy creative teaching and high quality learning.

All our children are encouraged to fulfil their potential in a happy, safe and nurturing environment.

We express our Christian values in a sensitive way while, at the same time, welcoming families of different faiths and beliefs.

Children at Shire Oak recognise their responsibilities towards each other, the local community and the wider world.

What? The importance of teaching children. “Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.”

Where? Proverbs 22:6

What? Jesus the Good Shepherd (the image on our South American cross) “I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.”

Where? John 10:10



What? Salt and Light. Our actions (more importantly than our words) show others the love of God and are a positive influence in the world.

Where? Matthew 5:13-15

In addition, naturally, to the stories and passages linked to the class values.