

Map Activity

Values that guide us



Purpose

This activity gives pupils the opportunity to think about how the values of the school that they are leaving might help them to make choices in their new school.

Many schools have 6 values, which is why we have folded the paper into 6. If the school has more, you could use both sides of the paper. If the school has less the pupils could draw several examples of that value in action.

Equipment

Each pupil will need:

- Pens
- A blank A3 piece of paper folded into 6, like a map. Older pupils could do the folding themselves. You could even use a photocopy of the local area, which includes your school, with children using the back to write on.

Each pupil will need access to:

- Instruction card. (Provided on the website)
- For younger pupils it may be helpful to have written the school values on a whiteboard for them to copy.
- It may be helpful to have a folded (local) map to show the pupils.

Instructions for the pupils

- Our school values help us to know how to live well together they are a bit like a map showing us where to go.
- Open out your paper; you will see six rectangles made by the folds. In each of these rectangles write one of our school values.
- You could draw a symbol for that value or a picture of someone living out that value if you wish.
- Fold your values map back up and write your school's name and your name on the front.
- Maps often have a photograph of a place on the front, you could draw your school on the front of your map.