






# SPIRITUAL MORAL SOCIAL CULTURAL








## At Hoyland Springwood






Our intent is to develop the spiritual, moral, social and cultural understanding within our school community. This calendar shows how our school develops **freedom, tolerance, responsibility, respect and pride** for all our pupils. This will be explored through a variety of activities that create awareness for meaningful causes as well as raising money for worthwhile charities.





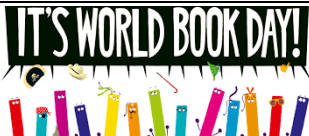
Date	Event	Aims
<b>Autumn</b>		
6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> September	 <p>Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)</p> <p>Spiritual</p>	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Rosh Hashanah for Jews.
13 <sup>th</sup> September	 <p>HAPPY ROALD DAHL DAY</p> <p>Cultural</p>	To promote a love of reading and storytelling through exploring the books of a well-known author.
17 <sup>th</sup> September	 <p>Jeans for Genes Day</p> <p>Moral</p>	To promote awareness of genetic conditions and how they impact the lives of many people.






October		Harvest Festival (Christian) Spiritual, Moral and Cultural	To understand the importance of harvest and how we can support those in need.
October		Black History Month  Moral and Cultural	To promote knowledge of black history, culture and heritage. To heighten the confidence and awareness of black people in relation to their cultural heritage.
4 <sup>th</sup> November		Diwali (Hindu)  Spiritual and Cultural	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Diwali for Hindus.
5 <sup>th</sup> November		Bonfire Night  Social and Cultural	To understand the importance of significant historical events and their impact both at the time and now.
11 <sup>th</sup> November		Remembrance Day  Cultural	To understand the importance of Remembrance Sunday and to pay respect to the service of others for their country.
19 <sup>th</sup> November		Children in Need Moral	To raise awareness of child poverty and other factors affecting children in the UK today.





15 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> November		Anti-bullying week  Moral and Social	To embrace and celebrate the differences and similarities that make us all special. To promote whole school unity. To identify forms of bullying and ways to prevent these.
15 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> November		Road Safety and Safeguarding week  Moral and Social	To ensure children in school know how to keep themselves safe generally and on the roads.
28 <sup>th</sup> November-6 <sup>th</sup> December		Hanukkah (Jewish)  Spiritual and Cultural	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Hanukkah for Jews.
December		Advent (Christian)  Spiritual and Cultural	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of advent to Christians.
11 <sup>th</sup> December		Christmas Jumper Day  Social	To celebrate the festive period and reflect upon those that are less fortunate than themselves.
25 <sup>th</sup> December		Christmas (Christian)  Spiritual and Cultural	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of advent to Christians.

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17 <sup>th</sup> January		Martin Luther King Day  Moral and Cultural	To promote an understanding of significant people in history. To celebrate diversity and understanding for those around us.
27 <sup>th</sup> January		Holocaust Memorial Day  Moral and Cultural	To develop an understanding of significant world historical events and their impact on people both at the time and now.
30 <sup>th</sup> Jan-6 <sup>th</sup> Feb		National Story telling week  Social	To promote a love of reading for pleasure through telling stories and listening to stories.
February		LGBTQ+ history month  Moral and Cultural	To celebrate diversity in our culture and to promote understanding and acceptance of all those around us.
1 <sup>st</sup> February		Chinese New Year  Spiritual, Moral and Cultural	To understand and accept diversity across the world.
9 <sup>th</sup> February		Safer Internet Day  Cultural and Moral	To reinforce our E-Safety message. To ensure children are aware of the dangers online and how to respond effectively to these.



7 <sup>th</sup> -13 <sup>th</sup> February		Children's mental health week Social, Moral and Cultural	To acknowledge mental health as something we should look after and how to get help if you are affected by any of the illnesses. To make sure that mental health issues are discussed and dealt with openly and recognised as illnesses in the same way as physical illness.
17 <sup>th</sup> February		Random act of kindness day Social and Moral	To promote unity within school and encourage kindness to those around us.
21 <sup>st</sup> February- 6 <sup>th</sup> March		Fair trade fortnight Cultural	To understand more about where the products we buy come from and how the people in this chain of distribution need to be treated fairly.
22 <sup>nd</sup> February		World Thinking Day (Guides, Brownies, Scouts etc)- Our world, Our Future Cultural and Social	To discuss our impact on the world and promote friendship and unity.
3 <sup>rd</sup> March		World Book Day Social	To raise the profile of reading for pleasure as well as exploring books that children may not usually choose.

14 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup> March		British Science Week Moral, cultural and Social	To allow children to use scientific enquiry, methods and techniques to answer questions about the world around them. To engage pupils interest in science through various science activities and workshops.
17 <sup>th</sup> -18 <sup>th</sup> March		Holi (Hindu) Spiritual, Moral and Cultural	To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Holi for Hindus.
18 <sup>th</sup> March		Comic Relief Moral and Cultural	To come together as a school to raise money for the vulnerable as well as reflecting on those less fortunate than ourselves.
21st March		World Poetry Day Social	To allow the children to experience and appreciate a range of poetry that they may not usually read.
2 <sup>nd</sup> April		World Autism Awareness Day Moral	To develop understanding and acceptance of diversity.

2 <sup>nd</sup> April – 1 <sup>st</sup> May	 <p>رمضان كريم Ramadan Kareem</p>	<p>Ramadan (Muslim)</p> <p>Spiritual and social</p>	<p>To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Ramadan for Muslims.</p>
7 <sup>th</sup> April	 <p>WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY</p>	<p>World Mental Health Day</p> <p>Social, Moral and Cultural</p>	<p>To acknowledge mental health as something we should look after and how to get help if you are affected by any of the illnesses. To make sure that mental health issues are discussed and dealt with openly and recognised as illnesses in the same way as physical illness.</p>
14 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> April		<p>Easter (Christianity)</p> <p>Spiritual and social</p>	<p>To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Easter for Christians.</p>
Summer Term			
22 <sup>nd</sup> April	 <p>Earth DAY</p>	<p>Earth Day</p> <p>Cultural</p>	<p>To understand how we impact the environment and how we can protect our planet.</p>

16 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> May		<p>Walk to School Week</p> <p>Social and Moral</p>	<p>To look at the impact of cars on the environment. To observe the effect of walking more on our bodies and learn how this can help our health in the long term.</p>
June		<p>Pride Month</p> <p>Moral and Cultural</p>	<p>To celebrate diversity and show understanding to all everyone.</p>
2 <sup>nd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> June		<p>The Queen's Platinum Jubilee</p> <p>Social, Moral and Cultural</p>	<p>To celebrate a major milestone in our country's history. To promote unity in the community through a shared celebration.</p>
6 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> June		<p>Child Safety Week</p> <p>Social and Moral</p>	<p>To ensure children in school know how to keep themselves safe when out and about and when online.</p>
13 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> June		<p>Healthy Eating Week</p> <p>Spiritual, moral, cultural and social</p>	<p>To promote a healthy lifestyle through physical activity and healthy eating.</p>



13 <sup>th</sup> July		<p>Asalha Puja Day (Buddism)</p> <p>Spiritual and social</p>	<p>To develop tolerance of the beliefs of others. To understand the importance of Asalha Puja for Buddhists.</p>
17 <sup>th</sup> July		<p>World Day for International Justice</p> <p>Moral</p>	<p>To understand and promote peace and justice. To understand how democracy and laws help communities live together peacefully.</p>