Eleanor Palmer Primary School Plan for Collective Worship

Organisational Arrangements

As a school, we hold assembly every day, though with one key stage split, children attend four days per week. Assemblies are led by the co-headteachers, deputy and class teachers, as well as our music teacher.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Whole School	Key Stage One	Music Assembly	Key Stage Two	Celebration
Assembly	Assembly		Assembly	Assembly

Themes

At Eleanor Palmer, we operate a two year cycle of assembly themes. Cycle One encourages children to reflect on themselves and their engagement in the wider world, looking at inspirational figures and events that can help to shape them as global citizens. Cycle Two focuses on our 'life skills' curriculum, developing children's knowledge and understanding of key characteristics that will enable them to grow and succeed in all areas of life. Key events, such as religious holidays, national days and celebrations, are taught and reflected upon each year. Our school rules of 'ready, respectful, safe' are embedded in all that we do.

Alongside our assemblies, we also hold 'Big School Meetings'. This involves every child from Reception to Year 6, who meet in a vertical group with a class teacher. Meetings will have a discussion theme, which may relate to current assembly topics, and are often an opportunity for children to share their views, debate and vote on choices that will impact them. Examples of this include choosing new playground equipment and voting for a charity to fundraise for.

	Cycle One	Cycle Two
Autumn	What kind of person can I be? EP Values Nature News (monthly) Growth Mindset Autumn Equinox Sukkot & Rosh Hashanah Navratri BHM: Black British Stories World Mental Health Day Harvest Festival What are emotions? World Science Day Remembrance Day Diwali Anti-Bullying Week	Social skills EP Values Gratitude Empathy Autumn Equinox Sukkot & Rosh Hashanah Navratri Fairness Trust BHM: Significant Figures Harvest Festival Organisation Respect Remembrance Day Diwali Anti-Bullying Week

	Christmas Story	Encouragement
	Hanukkah	Cooperation Christmas Story
		Hanukkah
		Communication
Spring	What kind of community do I	Emotional skills Self Belief
	want to be part of?	Honesty
	New year and resolutions	Courage
	Nature News (monthly)	What helps us to learn?
	Community - people need people Different families	Resilience
		Kindness
	Respecting diversity Poetry by heart	Mental Health Week
	Allyship	Big Garden BirdWatch
	Keeping safe	Safer Internet Day Integrity
	Anti-Bullying	Lent
	Big Garden BirdWatch	Shiveratri
	Children's Rights	National Engineering Award
	Mental Health Week	World Book Day
	Safer Internet Day	Self-Motivation Ramadan
	National Engineering Award	British Science Week
	World Book Day	Responsibility
	Arts in the Community	World Poetry Day
	Lent	Holi
	Shiveratri	Purim
	Democracy	Easter Story Passover
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	Purim Ramadan	
	World Autism Day	
	Easter Story	
	Passover	
Summer	How can I be a changemaker?	Thinking skills Eid
	Eid Global Goals	Earth Day
	Global Goals Vesak	Curiosity
	Responsible consumption and zero	Road Safety
	hunger	Trusted adults
	Mental Health Week	Imagination
	Innovating and campaigning	Mental Health Week
	Shavuot	Resourcefulness
	Pentecost	Pride
	Life on land and life at sea	Shavuot
	World Refugee Day	Pentecost
	Summer Solstice	Looking after our bodies
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Neurodiversity Week Pride Changemakers at EP	World Refugee Day Problem Solving and Reasoning in life Summer Solstice Neurodiversity Week