

BECKFOOT ALLERTON ASSEMBLY PROGRAMME 2020/2021

School Values: SCARF Safety, Caring, Achievement, Respect, Friendliness

The Assembly Programme at Beckfoot Allerton Primary School & Nursery forms an important part of the provision at Beckfoot Allerton for the personal development of all pupils. We want to help pupils at Beckfoot Allerton to find their place in the world, to show they care and to know that they are never too small to make a difference.

Assemblies at Beckfoot Allerton are used to:

- Reflect on and further embed School Values;
- Bring together our school community;
- Address and reflect on any issues arising or concerns that children or the wider community may have (in school, out of school or in the wider world);
- Celebrate achievements (academic, social and emotional) and
- Share whole school messages and news.

Links to Personal Development

The Assembly Programme at Beckfoot Allerton is designed to support pupils' personal development by:

- Promoting an understanding of the fundamental British Values of democracy, individual liberty, the rule of law and mutual respect and tolerance;
- Promoting equality of opportunities so all pupils are proud to be responsible and respectful citizens who understand that diversity and difference is something to be celebrated;
- Supporting the development of pupils' character and in particular their ability to be reflective, maintain a positive attitude to learning challenges, work and interact effectively with others and wear their SCARF with pride;
- Helping pupils to understand how to keep themselves physically and mentally healthy and safe both within and beyond the school day and
- Supporting pupils to recognise any risks to their wellbeing (in particular any risks beyond the school gates) and make them aware of the support available to them*.

Links to Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Development (SMSC)

The Assembly Programme at Beckfoot Allerton is designed to support the pupils' Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Development by:

- **Spiritual Development:** Enabling pupils to reflect on their own beliefs (religious or otherwise) and values whilst acknowledging and respecting the feelings and values of others and to develop a sense of enjoyment and fascination in learning about themselves, others and the world around them.
- **Moral Development:** Helping pupils to recognise the difference between right and wrong and to understand the consequences of their actions and behaviour.
- **Social Development:** Encouraging pupils to make a positive contribution to their community, find ways to resolve conflicts effectively and fully understand and engage with the fundamental British Values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance.
- **Cultural Development:** Building cultural capital by introducing pupils to the best that has been thought and said to foster an appreciation of human creativity and achievement and develop an understanding of the cultural influences that have shaped their own heritage.

Arrangements for assemblies

Assemblies will be held virtually for the foreseeable future. This will include 'live' assemblies held on Microsoft Teams on Mondays. Powerpoint vidoes with voiceover of Monday assemblies will subsequently be shared with families on Class Dojo. Tuesday assemblies will continue to be led by the Friends of Allerton Faith Representatives and will be pre-recorded video assemblies to be shared with each class. Friday assemblies will be pre-recorded video assemblies to be shared with each class and will also be shared on Class Dojo. On Thursdays, the assembly will be a class assembly to enable children across school to reflect on and discuss in more depth and at an age appropriate level the assemblies on Monday and Tuesday.

Children in Years 1 to 6 will join all assemblies. Children in Reception will continue to have regular class assemblies and celebrations and will join some whole school assemblies, particularly Monday assemblies from Spring 1 onwards.

Day	Purpose of assembly
Monday	Assembly led by the Leadership Team linked to the assembly theme for the half term
Tuesday	Assembly led by Friends of Allerton Faith Representatives
Wednesday	Phase assemblies led by year group teams to celebrate achievements
Thursday	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Friday	Celebration assembly led by the Leadership Team

Assembly Themes

Autumn 1: I know how to keep myself safe

Aim: To support pupils to better understand how to keep themselves safe both in light of the pandemic and more broadly

Link to SCARF Values: S for Safety

Autumn 2: I care

Aim: To help pupils to be committed community contributors ready and enthusiastic to show they care and know that they are never too small to make a difference

Link to SCARF Values: C for Caring

Spring 1 & 2: I respect and celebrate difference

Aim: To embrace and celebrate the diversity of the Beckfoot Allerton school community and the wider community pupils live in. We want to help pupils find their place in the world and to be proud to be responsible and respectful citizens who celebrate diversity and difference.

Link to SCARF Values: R for Respect

Summer 1: I am friendly and caring

Aim: To highlight the attributes of being a friendly and caring person and celebrate the friendliness of the Beckfoot Allerton School community.

Link to SCARF Values: F for Friendliness

Summer 2: Great Adventures

Aim: To explore what *Great Adventures* mean to children and members of the Beckfoot Allerton School community and beyond and to look forward to Great Adventures

Link to SCARF Values: Linked to all SCARF Values and transition into the next academic year

Autumn 1: I know how to keep myself safe			
Aim: To support pupils to better understand how to keep themselves safe both in light of the pandemic and more broadly			
Link to SCARF Values: S for Safety			
Date	Notes	Leaders	Message
Mon 14 th Sept	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	Introducing the theme: I know how to keep myself safe Focus: Hand hygiene
Fri 18 th Sept	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 21 st Sept	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	I know how to keep myself safe Focus: Talking about anything that might make you feel unsafe
Tue 22 nd Sept	Zoom assembly 10am Year 1 only	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton Team	Meet the Friends of Allerton
Thur 24 th Sept	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 25 th Sept	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 28 th Sept	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Walsh	I know how to keep myself safe

			Focus: Playtimes
Tue 29 th Sept	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Seema	The story of Sita and the protective circle Focus: How rules help to keep us safe
Thur 1 st Oct	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 2 nd Oct	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 5 th Oct	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Malcolm	I know how to keep myself safe Focus: Link to British Values and how these keep us safe. School Council elections to follow
Tue 6 th Oct	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Fatima	Keeping in touch with those you care about Focus: How we can help to keep other people safe
Thur 8 th Oct	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 9 th Oct	Teacher Training Day		
Mon 12 th Oct	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Kane	I know how to keep myself safe Focus: Keeping yourself safe beyond the school gates
Tue 13 th Oct	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Manjit	
Thur 15 th Oct	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 16 th Oct	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 19 th Oct	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	I know how to keep myself safe Focus: Keeping yourself safe online
Tues 20 th Oct	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – John Froud	Keeping yourself and others safe Focus: Exploring safety through music and song
Thur 22 nd Oct	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 23 rd Oct	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	End of half term celebration assembly

Autumn 2: I care

Aim: To help pupils to be committed community contributors ready and enthusiastic to show they care and know that they are never too small to make a difference.

Link to SCARF Values: C for Caring

Date	Notes	Leaders	Message
Mon 2 nd Nov	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	Introducing the theme: I care Focus: Never too small to make a difference - The Rethink Food Project
Tue 3 rd Nov	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Seema	I care for others in my community Focus: Link to community work during lockdown and Divali
Thur 5 th Nov	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 6 th Nov	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 9 th Nov	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Malcolm	I care Focus: Launch of the Beckfoot Allerton Pupils as Leaders (PALs) programme – caring for one another, our school and our community
Tue 10 th Nov	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton - Fatima	
Thur 12 th Nov	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 13 th Nov	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 16 th Nov	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Walsh	I care Focus: I care for others
Tue 17 th Nov	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton - Manjit	
Thur 19 th Nov	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 20 th Nov	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 23 rd Nov	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Kane	I care Focus: I care about the world. Links to curriculum work in school on environmental issues
Tue 24 th Nov	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – John Froud	
Thur 26 th Nov	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion

Fri 27 th Nov	Beckfoot Trust Conference Training Day		
Mon 30 th Nov	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	I care Focus: I care about my community
Tue 1 st Dec		Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Kate Sulc	I care Focus: Links to the Christmas Story
Thur 3 rd Dec	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 4 th Dec	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 7 th Dec	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Malcolm	I care Focus: I care about looking after myself
Tue 8 th Dec	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton	TBD
Thur 10 th Dec	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 11 th Dec	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 14 th Dec	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	I care Focus: Celebration of all the ways the Beckfoot Allerton school community show they care
Tue 15 th Dec	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton	TBD
Thur 17 th Dec	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion
Fri 18 th Dec	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	End of term celebration assembly

*Note - The Statutory aspects of the new Relationships, Sex Education will be taught through PSCH lessons in classes in an age appropriate and developmental appropriate way but may be referred to in assemblies where appropriate.

Spring 1: I respect and celebrate difference

Aim: To embrace and celebrate the diversity of the Beckfoot Allerton school community and the wider community pupils live in. We want to help pupils find their place in the world and to be proud to be responsible and respectful citizens who celebrate diversity and difference.

Link to SCARF Values: R for Respect

Date	Notes	Leaders	Message
Mon 4 th Jan	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	Introducing the theme - I respect and celebrate difference Focus: The wonderful diversity of the Beckfoot Allerton school community
Tue 5 th Jan	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton - Mrs Henry	The Indivisibility of Universal Human Rights
Thur 7 th Jan	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 8 th Jan	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 11 th Jan	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Walsh	Respecting and celebrating difference at playtimes
Tues 12 th Jan	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Manjit	Story from the Sikh faith – diversity and mutual respect
Thur 14 th Jan	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 15 th Jan	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 18 th Jan	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Goff	Respecting and celebrating difference in stories – link to Winne the Pooh day with a focus on emotions and characteristics
Tue 19 th Jan	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Seema	Story from the Hindu faith - Rama & Sita Shebree Forest – everyone is unique and everyone matters
Thur 21 st Jan	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 22 nd Jan	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 25 th Jan	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Kane	Respecting and celebrating difference in the Beckfoot Allerton curriculum – the highlights
Tue 26 th Jan	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Fatima	Story from the Islamic faith – words matter and words can hurt
Thur 28 th Jan	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday

Fri 29 th Jan	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 1 st Feb	Zoom assembly 10am	Mr Kearsley	Respecting and celebrating difference – link to Harry Potter stories (Harry Potter Book Night 4.2.21)
Tue 2 nd Feb	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Kate Sulc	Story from the Christian faith – respect and diversity
Thur 4 th Feb	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 5 th Feb	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly
Mon 8 th Feb	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Malcolm	Respecting and celebrating difference – link to Safer Internet Day (9.2.21) and link to Be Internet Legends
Tue 9 th Feb	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Nigel	Story from the Jewish faith – respect and diversity and meet our new Friend of Beckfoot Allerton (Nigel)
Thur 11 th Feb	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 12 th Feb	Video assembly	Mrs Horton	Friday celebration assembly

Summer 1: I am friendly and caring

Aim: To highlight the attributes of being a friendly and caring person and celebrate the friendliness of the Beckfoot Allerton School community.

Link to SCARF Values: F for Friendliness

Date	Notes	Leaders	Message
Mon 12 th Apr	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	Introducing the theme: I am friendly and caring Focus: What makes a good friend?
Tue 13 th Apr	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Fatima	Finding ways to show we care during Ramadan A perspective from the Muslim faith on being friendly and caring
Thur 15 th Apr	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 16 th Apr	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 19 th Apr	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Walsh	Being a good friend at playtimes
Tue 20 th Apr	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Mrs Henry	School Linking assembly - Show the Love
Thur 22 nd Apr	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 23 rd Apr	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 26 th Apr	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Kane	Being a good friend in the classroom
Tue 27 th Apr	Zoom assembly 10.30am	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Kate Sulc	A perspective from the Christian faith on being friendly and caring
Thur 29 th Apr	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 30 th Apr	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 3 rd May	Early May Bank Holiday - wishing the school community Eid Mubarak		
Tue 4 th May	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Seema	A perspective from the Hindu faith on being friendly and caring
Thu 6 th May	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 7 th May	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 10 th May	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Malcolm	Being a good friend and celebrating diversity
Tue 11 th May	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Manjit	A perspective from the Sikh faith on being friendly and caring

Thur 13 th May	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 14 th May	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 17 th May	Zoom assembly 10am	Miss Goff	Being a good friend and showing you care for others beyond the school community
Tue 18 th May	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – John Froud	A celebration of song and music
Thur 20 th May	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 21 st May	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
Mon 24 th May	Zoom assembly 10am	Mrs Horton	Celebrating all the ways in which members of the Beckfoot Allerton school community have been a good friend and shown their cared during this half term
Tue 25 th May	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Nigel	Meet our new Friend of Beckfoot Allerton A perspective from the Jewish faith on being friendly and caring
Thur 27 th May	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 28 th May	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo and in classes
May half term holiday w/c 31 st May			

Summer 2: Great Adventures

Aim: To explore what Great Adventures mean to children and members of the Beckfoot Allerton School community and beyond and to look forward to Great Adventures

Link to SCARF Values: Linked to all SCARF Values and to transition to the next academic year

Date	Notes	Leaders	Message
Mon 7 th June	Zoom assembly 9.15am	Mrs Horton	Introducing the theme – Great Adventures
Tue 8 th June	Zoom assembly 10.15am Planning meeting following assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton Faith Leaders– all friends invited to attend the assembly	Looking forward to Great Adventures
Thur 10 th June	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 11 th June	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo in classes
Mon 14 th June	No assembly		
Tue 15 th June	Zoom assembly 10.15am	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton - Manjit	A perspective from the Sikh Faith on Great Adventures
Thurs 17 th June	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Tuesday
Fri 18 th June	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo in classes
Mon 21 st June	Schools Sports Day -no assembly		
Tue 22 nd June	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Meg	Assembly to mark Windrush Day
Thurs 24 th June	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 25 th June	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly - shared on Class Dojo in classes
Mon 28 th June	Zoom assembly 9.15am	Mrs Kane	Great Adventures
Tue 29 th June	Video assembly	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Seema	A perspective from the Hindu Faith on Great Adventures
Thurs 1 st July	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 2 nd July	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo in classes
Mon 5 th July	Zoom assembly 9.15am	Mrs Walsh	Great Adventures
Tue 6 th July	Zoom assembly 10.15am	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton – Nigel	A perspective from the Jewish Faith on Great Adventures

Thurs 8 th July	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 9 th July	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo in classes
Mon 12 th July	Zoom assembly 9.15am	Mrs Horton	Great Adventures
Tue 13 th July	Zoom assembly 10.15am	Friends of Beckfoot Allerton - Fatima	A perspective from the Islamic Faith on Great Adventures
Thurs 15 th July	Class assembly	In classes	Class assembly discussion following on from assemblies on Monday and Tuesday
Fri 16 th July	Video assembly		Friday celebration assembly – shared on Class Dojo in classes