

Living in the Wider World | Diverse Britain | KS1 Key Knowledge

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Key Vocabulary

community: A group of people who live or work together in the same place, or who like to do the same kind of things.

belonging: Feeling that we are part of a group.

respect: A way of treating or thinking about someone that

shows they are important and they are valued.

listen: Hearing and concentrating on what someone is saying.

behaviour: Our actions.

choice: Options we have about what to do.

consequence: Things that happen as a result of something else.

neighbours: People who live and work in our local **community**.

neighbourhood: The area near and around where we live.

responsibilities: Tasks that we do to contribute or things we are in

charge of.

environment: The world around us, including the land, sea, sky,

plants, animals and people. Environments can be

natural or built.

multicultural: A group of people from many different cultures.

diverse: Made up of lots of different things.

culture: The food, clothes, language and

traditions people enjoy.

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Being a Good Neighbour

We can be good **neighbours** by thinking about what other people need to feel happy. We can show **respect** to others, look after the **environment**, smile and help people.

Looking After Our Neighbourhood

To look after our **neighbourhood**, we need to look after the natural and built **environment** that is local to us. People have the right to live somewhere clean and safe, where they can be healthy. We have a **responsibility** to look after our **neighbourhood** to help make sure all people and other living things have a comfortable home.

Living in Britain

Britain is **multicultural**. There are many different **cultures** and traditions. This will mean there are many similarities and differences between people, places and experiences. These differences are what makes the world an exciting place and they should be celebrated.



British People

The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and other British Isles are multicultural nations. People come from many different backgrounds. They wear many different types of clothes, eat many different foods, speak many different languages and enjoy doing lots of different things. We all have the right to live as we choose and this must be **respected**. We can show **respect** by smiling, being friendly and learning from each other.

Feeling Proud of Our Country

There are lots of things that make our country special. These include the people, places, cultures and traditions. We can all help to keep our country special by respecting and valuing our differences and looking after the environment.



Key Learning Points:

Respecting Our Differences: There are many ways we are similar to and different from people around us. Everyone deserves to feel **respected** and valued and to have every opportunity to be and achieve all they can. To help show everyone kindness and **respect**, we can:

- smile at others:
- speak kindly;
- show care:



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