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| **Year 4**  **Aim: to make links and connections to show that we are all different. To celebrate these differences as we appreciate that God’s love accepts us as we are now and as we change.**  Key Words: God, gifts, talents, difference, development, change, stereotype, acceptance, cultural, biological, respect, courtesy, manners, sensitivity, religious, belief, bullying, polite, uniqueness, innate, beauty, dignity.  Key Skills: Respecting, encouraging, recognising, appreciating, celebrating, relating | | |
| **Social and Emotional** | **Physical** | **Spiritual** |
| LI: to describe how we all should be accepted and respected. | LI: to describe how we should treat others making links with the diverse modern society we live in. | LI: to celebrate the uniqueness and innate beauty of each of us. |
| **Activities:**   1. Adapt St Paul’s letter to the Colossians giving advice on how to make society better. 2. Create a poster showing that bullying, teasing and unkindness do not contribute to the upbuilding of communities or promote positive mental health and well-being. 3. Create an information leaflet on the people in our community that you could go to for help and how you would contact them.   **Prayer:**  God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, courage to change the things I can and wisdom to know the difference. Amen.  Sing: Do not be afraid. | **Activities:**   1. List a number of ways we are different: physically, mentally, culturally, biologically, ethnically and in religious beliefs. 2. Design a poster to show that we are all welcome in our community. 3. Write a list of Golden Rules for the way we should treat everyone in our community, e.g. list how to treat others on the playground, during lessons, sports matches, etc.   **Prayer:**  Loving father, we thank you for the wonder and gift of each person made in your image and likeness.  Help us to be courageous in loving all despite our uniqueness and difference.  Amen.    Sing: Do not be afraid. | **Activities:**   1. Compose a litany of thanks to God for the unique gifts of friends and family, e.g. For Kirsty’s kindness, Thank you Lord. 2. Create a card depicting examples of your God given uniqueness being recognised and appreciated at home, school and in clubs to which you belong. 3. Create an act of worship to celebrate the beauty and uniqueness of the class.   **Prayer:**  Lord God, I give you all the members of our family.  You know them all so well and love them all.  I ask that you would cover us with a rainbow of hope.  Hope that draws us together to work out our differences.  Hope that helps us to celebrate together and care for one another.  Hope that rides like a banner in our lives and watches over us wherever we go.  Hope that overcomes adversity and gathers strength to overcome.  Hope that guides us and gives us vision for our future alone and together.  Hope filled with love.  Hope that breathes peace.  Amen.  Sing: Do not be afraid. |