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| Week 1 Collective Worship Autumn Term |  |
| Teacher Lead- Mr Hodgkiss | Monday |
| CELEBRATING A NEW START (whole school)  Lamentations 3 v 23  „Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning.‟  Welcome the children back and say how good it is to see them. Welcome new children and new members of staff. Say that, as we are beginning this new school year, it is like making a new start. Show the children something new that you have bought for yourself for the new term e.g. a new pen, diary, a piece of clothing, shoes etc. Make a big thing about it being new. Ask the children if any of them have something new to start the new term. Take a few answers. How does it feel when you have new things? They will be getting new books with clean pages. This is a chance to start everything afresh. They will try not to make any mistakes, but they are bound to at some point. Mistakes can be rubbed out, erased, so that we can start again. It is like this in our lives. We make mistakes, but we can start again. God makes each day new and we can make a fresh start. Share the Bible reference above with the children. Each day we can start by remembering that the last day and night have gone, today is the start of new things if we want them to be. We can try new things, even change the way we are. It‟s a new beginning. | Drew attention to ‘Believe and Achieve’- Children should set themselves goals that they feel they can achieve- our school ethos  We are there to help them believe in themselves and achieve their goals- likewise they should be there for each other – they are. |
| ***Questions and thoughts from the children***  What will be new for you as we begin this new term?  What can you do to help someone else with his/her new start?  Children could: be a good friend and support others Help someone with their work Be kind- say please and thank you Work hard and try to be successful- achieve  Try new challenges and work hard  Not cry when something goes wrong- try to fix it. | ***Prayer/ Words of thought***  Prayer:  We thank you that we are a part of our school community, where we can support each other.  AMEN |
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| Teacher Lead- Mrs Batey | Tuesday |
| CELEBRATING OUR SCHOOL (whole school)  Isaiah 43  “Do not be afraid, for I have ransomed you. I have called you by name; you are mine”.  As we start our new term, let‟s think about what we are looking forward to and about how great our school is. Ask children to offer answers and record on a flip chart as they are said (or get a scribe to do this for you). They could be recorded in two columns.  Talk about belonging to the school community. Show the pupils items which have name labels on. These might include a luggage label, school jumper, coat and so on. As you read the names on the objects, have them returned to their owners. Explain that these things belong to people. How do we know we are part of the school community? Try to get the answer that the logo is on the school uniform. | If not, stick a label onto someone with the school name on it. The Bible talks about us belonging. In Isaiah 43, it says that we belong to God and that He calls us by name. Christians believe that all people belong to God, but they don‟t all wear labels to say so. Have a moment of silence and ask the pupils to think about their own name and those of their friends in the school community. |
| ***Questions and thoughts from the children***  Would someone come with me is I said “come and follow me”? This shows that Jesus was a powerful man and people listened to him- he definitely had a loyal group of friends- but were they all loyal? (Year 6)   What are we looking forward to?  Learning new and interesting things Making new friends with people we may not have spoken to last year Working with a new class teacher- seeing how the class works together  School trips- residentials- Going away with other class members and having fun  What does our school badge show?  We have close links with the Church- we are of CofE school who display proud Christian Values- We want people to see our badge and think “Id like to go there- those pupils are well behaved and support each other fully. “ | ***Prayer/ Words of thought***  We thank you that we are a part of our school community, where we can support each other. Response:  Amen |
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| Teacher Lead- Miss Jones | Wednesday |
| CELEBRATING BEING PART OF A TEAM (whole school) Mark 1 v 17  “Come, follow me,” Jesus said.  Ask pupils for answers to the thinking question. Ask the pupils to put up his/her hand if they are part of a team. Ask them what it is like. What are the best things about being in a team? (Friendship, loyalty, working together, playing your part and being needed etc.). Ask them if it is always easy? Take feedback.. As Jesus began to get ready to tell everyone about God, he needed to gather together a strong team to help him. He asked a lot of those he chose – to leave everything behind, to change their ways and so on.  It wasn‟t easy for them. Read to the children an appropriate version of the Calling of the Disciples.  Just like our sports teams and the disciples, we are all part of a team – The School Community Team! As our term begins, we may need to leave behind our old ways and learn and practise new skills. We need to support and encourage each other to make the team a success. We all have different strengths and abilities, just like the disciples, but each one of us plays a vital role in making the school team successful | We are inclusive in our school team- we support each other, look after each other and include everyone.  We do not judge others- we accept everyone regardless of who they are. |
| ***Questions and thoughts from the children***  Some people are natural leaders and others are not- we had a mixture of those who think they make good leaders and those who follow.  Friends need to be loyal and reliable- you need to know that you can trust your friends- just as Jesus trusted his disciples.  Friendship includes lots of different parts- linked back to our Christian Values- we always support each other and also look after the younger children.  We are proud of our school community- our school family. | ***Prayer/ Words of thought***  We thank you that we are a part of our school community, where we can support each other. Response:  Amen |
| Teacher Lead- Singing | Thursday |
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| Teacher Lead- Mr Hodgkiss Singing | Friday |
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