

British Values

6th-12th July

Individual Liberty

There may be times when we are judged, or opinions are formed based on our external appearance. It is important for us to think carefully about our own judgements and not to judge others solely on how they look.

Assembly Resource

Read through the information below, which looks at the history of the plane and some of the journeys it has been on. Discuss why we think that the government decided to spend the money on painting the plane. What impact do you think having the plane painted will have on first impressions that other countries may make?

The plane is being repainted in the colours of the Union Jack to "better represent" the UK abroad.



What I will say about the Voyager, I think it's great, but it seems to be very difficult to get hold of and also, why does it have to be grey?

Do you think that painting the plane will make it look better? Do you think it is important for it look good?

The RAF Voyager plane (above) is used by the Prime Minister and the British Royal Family.

Prime Minister Boris Johnson describing the plane before the recent announcement of the upcoming paint work.

The RAF Voyager, is an Airbus A330 jet and was re-purposed for use by the UK government in 2015, at a cost of £10m.

It was first used to take David Cameron and other ministers to the Nato summit in Poland in July 2016. At the time, the government defended the expenditure, saying it was cheaper than chartering flights and would save about £775,000 a year.

Resource 1

Look at the resource below, where some children describe what they are planning to do.

Do you think all of these children need to look smart? Explain why. Do you think everybody will agree with you?

I am having a film night at home with my family. We are all going to snuggle on the sofa after tea and watch films until we fall asleep!



Sanvi

I am going to meet our mayor when she opens the new swimming pool built in town.



Millie



I am going to play in the woods with my friends. We have our den to finish and then we will play on our mud slide.

Keane



My best friend is having a disco party for her birthday and I can't wait to go!

Luke

Resource 2

Look at the resource below, which shows examples of people representing others.



These ladies are representing their local football team. They all wear matching jumpers with the team logo before and after they have played their match.

Have you ever been asked to represent someone or something? Have you represented your school, team or club?



Your local MP (Member of Parliament) is elected to represent all of the people in your area in the House of Commons.

It is part of a lawyer's job to represent their client in court.



Your parents or carers sometimes represent you! They may have to give their permission for you to take part in activities, fill in forms at the dentists or doctors on your behalf and may discuss how you are feeling or share your opinions with other adults for you.

